

CLASS Curriculum Minutes October 22, 2018

Members in Participation:

Cory Lepage, Maria Ortuste, Meiling Wu, Inez Thiebaut, Dawna Komorosky (Associate Dean), Alicia Wilkins (Curriculum Coordinator)

Absent: Donavan Ceaser (vote by proxy)

Associate Dean's Report:

Associate Dean Komorosky explained proposals presented for discussion were mostly low-key; there would be some grouping, overlays.

Curriculum Committee Policies and Procedures would be reviewed briefly but would like to set a deadline for next meeting to have all revisions done. She will talk with Sarah to see if adjustments to can be done by email once revisions are done.

Proposals:

Committee chair Corey Lepage made a motion to discuss History 321 and History 391 individually; Group History 388, 473, 477 together and group 691, 692 and 699 together Ines Thiebaut seconded the motion

HIST - 321 Communication as Civilization

A motion was made to review HIST-321 – Communism as Civilization
Second: Ines Thiebaut

Vote: Approved unanimously.

Committee felt this course looked pretty simple. Question was asked whether or not it was up to the Curriculum Committee to discuss items with GE Tag? Response by Assoc. Dean Komorosky was Yes, as long as it pertains to the major.

HIST-388 – US/California Environmental History; HIST- 473, Sexuality and Identity in History; HIST- 474, Women, Gender and Rights in US History; and, HIST- 477, History and Trends in Nursing

A motion was made by Ines Thiebaut to group, discuss and approve these 4 courses together.

Second: Maria Urtuste

Vote: Approved unanimously

HIST- 391 – Latin America: Conquest to Revolution

A motion was made to review History 391 – Latin America: Conquest to Revolution

Second:

This course was not US related so was not grouped with the others. Question was asked why Diversity does not include International Diversity. Committee discussed the Diversity overlay and reviewed the GE requirements for clarification. Associate Dean Komorosky will check with the Semester Conversion committee and the CIC to find out origin of the diversity overlays.

Vote: Approved unanimously

HIST - 691 University Thesis; HIST- 692 Comprehensive Exam Review; HIST – 699 Departmental Thesis

No discussion

Vote: Approved unanimously

Japanese Language and Culture

Meiling Woo would like to develop Japanese Language and Culture minor to include classes from MLL and other disciplines that would relate. Would like to adjust courses to be offered on-line.

Cory Lepage made motion to approve and Inez Theibaut seconded.

Respectfully submitted,

Alicia Wilkins, Curriculum Coordinator