

Discovery Committee Minutes, 10/18/2017 - Final

Present: Kathrine Aydelott, Norma Bazylnski, Maryann Clark, Andy Colby, Gregory McMahon, Dawn Meredith, Subhash Minocha, Stephen Pugh, Charles Vannette, Nicky Gullace, Amy Oliva.

Absent: Nelson Barber (provided notes), Dan Carchidi, Jerry Marx, Patrick Shannon, Audrey Getman

The Committee took the following action:

Minutes:

Motion: Steve Pugh moved and Kathrine Aydelott seconded the approval of the Minutes from 10/4/2017.

Vote: Yes: 5; No: 0; Abs: 0. **Motion passed. Minutes approved.**

Course Review:

COLA

CHIN 521- *What Does it Mean to be Modern? Lenses of Modern Chinese Literature and film* - HUMA, WI.

Motion: Dawn Meredith moved and Kathrine Aydelott seconded to approve course for HUMA.

Vote: Yes: 4; No: 0; Abs: 2. **Motion passed. Course approved for HUMA.**

Motion: Dawn Meredith moved and Subhash Minocha seconded to approve course for WI.

Vote: Yes: 4; No: 2; Abs: 0. **Motion passed. Course approved for WI.**

ENGL 560 – *Introduction to LatinX Literature and Culture* – HUMA, INQ, WI.

Motion: Dawn Meredith moved and Kathrine Aydelott seconded to approve for HUMA.

Vote: Yes: 5; No: 1; Abs: 1. **Motion passed. Course approved for HUMA.**

Motion: Steve Pugh moved and Dawn Meredith seconded to approve course for INQ.

Vote: Yes: 6; No: 1; Abs: 0. **Motion passed. Course approved for INQ.**

Motion: Steve Pugh moved and Dawn Meredith seconded to approve course for WI.

Vote: Yes: 6; No: 1; Abs: 0. **Motion passed. Course approved for WI.**

The DC has been charged by the Faculty Senate to be the secondary review body for courses in the Schools. (The course below is not coming forward for Discovery category or attribute(s) at this time):

INCO 470 – *Sea Monsters and Whale Tales: Introduction to Marine Mammals.*

Motion: Charles Vannette moved and Greg McMahon seconded to reject the course and ask that it be resubmitted with additional course proposal information provided.

Vote: Yes: 7; No: 0; Abs: 0. **Motion passed. Course rejected. (Nicky Gullace will contact VPAA Vasudevan.)**

Student Petitions

1. Request for extended living experience in Japan and Taiwan to fulfill WC .
Petition tabled pending additional information. (kl10182017)
2. Request for MA 1500, Math and the Humanities, at Plymouth State University to fulfill QR.
Petition tabled pending review by UNH Mathematics department. (hk10182017)
3. Request for ACG2021, Principals of Financial Accounting, at Daytona State University to fulfill QR.
Vote: Yes: 0; No: 8; Abs: 0. **Petition denied.** (hk10182017)

4. Request for two art courses combined taken at University of Bourgogne, France (Dijon Program) to fulfill FPA.
Vote: Yes: 1; No: 7; Abs: 0. **Petition denied.** (sl10182017)
5. Request for military service to fulfill WC.
Vote: Yes: 0; No: 7; Abs: 1. **Petition denied.** (dc10182017)
6. Request for SASH 55 taken at Lund University to fulfill HUMA.
Vote: Yes: 1; No: 7; Abs: 0. **Petition denied.** (tb10182017)
7. Request for German REU study abroad to fulfill INQ.
Vote: Yes: 0; No: 7; Abs: 1. **Petition denied.** (am10182017)
8. Request for MUS 1030 taken at Lyndon State College to fulfill FPA.
Vote: Yes: 1; No: 7; Abs: 0. **Petition denied.** (mp10182017)

Other Items

Discussion of Social Identity (SI) Attribute.

Would like more time for further discussion and to invite Shelley Mulligan from Academic Affairs to attend the next discussion.

Meeting adjourned at 1:38 pm.

Submitted by Susan Whitcomb