Discovery Committee Minutes, December 2, 2015 - final

Present: Katherine Aydelott, Norma Bazylinski, Thomas Birch, Andy Colby, J. Matthew Davis, Todd DeMitchell, Valentini Kalargyrou, Jerry Marx, Gregory McMahon, Amy Oliva, Justin Poisson, Patrick Shannon, Jason Sokol, Barb White

Absent: Dan Carchidi, Wayne Fagerberg, Mary Rhiel

The Committee took the following action:

Minutes

The Minutes from November 18, 2015 were reviewed.
Minutes approved by consensus.

Other Items

The Committee will meet virtually over J-term to review any student petitions that are submitted. The meeting will be scheduled approximately the second week of January. The day for this meeting will be determined at a later date.

Course Review

SUST 401 – Surveying Sustainability (Tabled at 11/18/15 meeting)
As of yesterday we received four email votes in favor and one abstention to approve SUST 401.
Vote: Yes: 4; No: 0; Abs: 1. Motion passed. Course approved.

Student Petitions

1. Petition to allow CIS110 Intro to Computers from Great Bay Community College to fulfill ETS requirement.
   Vote: Yes 0; No 7; Abs 0. Petition denied. (sfchhs111815)

2. Petition to receive FPA Discovery credit for Dijon course due to misadvising.
   Vote: Yes 7; No 0; Abs 0. Petition approved. (akcola113015)

3. Petition to waive INQ requirement due to misadvising.
   Vote: Yes 7; No 0; Abs 0. Petition approved. (zpchs111015)

4. Petition to allow POLT 508 fulfill WI requirement.
   Vote: Yes 0; No 8; Abs 0. Petition denied. (asCEPS111215)

5. Petition to allow PHIL 435 to fulfill HUMA requirement.
   Vote: Yes 0; No 8; Abs 0. Petition denied. (ksceps110915)

6. Petition to allow AH 1110 course from Plymouth State to fulfill WC requirement.
   Vote: Yes 1; No 5; Abs 2. Petition denied. (drceps112415)

7. Petition to waive INQ requirement.
   Vote: Yes 0; No 7; Abs 0. Petition denied. (mgcola112015)

8. Petition to receive FPA Discovery credit for Dijon course due to misadvising.
   Vote: Yes 7; No 0; Abs 0. Petition approved. (apecola111815)

9. Petition to allow Spanish course taken while studying abroad during 6 week summer session to fulfill WC requirement.
   Vote: Yes 0; No 7; Abs 0. Petition denied. (ebunhm111615)
10. Petition to allow Internship taken at Manchester to count as capstone credit. Capstones are usually completed after having 90 credits. This student currently has 87 credits and is 3 credits short of the 90 credits needed to take a capstone. This is the result of how courses are scheduled.
   **Vote:** Yes 7; No 0; Abs 0. **Petition approved.** (edunhm111915)

11. Petition to waive WC requirement due to experience and service in US military overseas.
   **Vote:** Yes 7; No 0; Abs 0. **Petition approved.** (sjunhm110515)

12. Petition to waive WC requirement based on living in many countries in the world up until 10th grade.
   **Vote:** Yes 7; No 0; Abs 0. **Petition approved.** (shpaul110615)

**Meeting adjourned at 1:40.**
Submitted by Renate Jurden