

Minutes-September 21, 2010

College of Behavioral and Community Sciences

Interim CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MTG – MHC 2531

Present: Larry Thompson, Mental Health, Law & Policy
Sandy Reynolds, School of Aging Studies
Marion Becker, Aging & Mental Health
Ruth Bahr, Communication Sciences & Disorders
Bruce Levin, Child & Family Studies
John Rasch, Rehab & Mental Health Counseling
Christine Sellers, Criminology
Iraida Carrion, School of Social Work

Ex-Officio Beatrice Smith, Dean's Office
Catherine Batsche, Assoc. Dean

Other Attendees: Andrea Smith, CSD
Melissa Cahu De Lima, CSD
Bobbie Vaughn, CFS

Old Business:

- I. Minutes from May, June, and July 2010 **Approved** w/no changes.
- II. Curriculum Change Proposal for CSD ITT concentration Originally presented at July '10 mtg; Andrea Smith presented the revised proposal which was **Approved**.

CSD ITT concentration New Course Proposals Originally presented at July '10 mtg; revised syllabi were presented by Andrea Smith: **ASL 3XXX** ASL Literature, **INT 3004** Fundamentals of Interpreting, **INT 3112** Translation from English and from ASL, **INT 3200** Interpreting I, **INT 3270** Interpreting Process and Skill Development, **INT 3324** Advanced ASL Discourse, **INT 3400** Issues in Educational Interpreting, **INT 4XXX** Video Interpreting, **INT 4201** Interpreting II, **INT 4202** Interpreting III, **INT 4210** Transliterating, **INT 4232** Advanced Receptive Voicing, **INT 4480** Interpreting: Specialized Settings and Populations, **SPA XXXX** Culture and Diversity in CSD. All syllabi were **APPROVED** w/suggested minor revisions.

New Business:

NOTE: Details of all course changes and academic changes can be found in attachments to these minutes.

- I. **Introductions/Procedural Issues** New members: Christine Sellers, Iraida Carrion. Mtgs will continue to be 3rd Tuesday of month but will begin at 11:00 instead of 11:15 and end by 12:30.
- II. **Proposed curriculum committee governance document revisions** were briefly presented by Sandy Reynolds.

Two Action Items were **Approved**: 1) Once the BCS Faculty Council is official, a proposal to amend the Governance Document procedures will be made to a) accept nomination from each of the Departments without ratification required by either the Dean's Office or the Faculty Council; and b) allow for members who cannot attend specific meetings to send an alternate from their respective Departments/Schools. 2) The Curriculum Committee also requests that BCS representatives to the Undergraduate and Graduate Councils be added as ex-officio members.

- III. **Proposal for minimum "entrance" GPA requirement for CBCS** A proposal to require all undergraduates to have a min. 2.0 USF/overall GPA prior to declaring an undergraduate major in CBCS (with exceptions only considered w/dept. approval) was presented by Catherine Batsche and Beatrice Smith. **Approved**

→Dr. Batsche also made an announcement that depts. should specify in their Graduate Policies if instructors are eligible to serve as doctoral exam graders. Furthermore, it is highly recommended that all dept's develop a policy to address this issue.

- IV. **CSD Pre-Req/Grad Requirements Change proposal** **Approved**
- V. **CSD SLP-Change in total # of hours for Master's Degree** 1-credit increase in clinical practicum hours from 23 to 24. **Approved**
- VI. **Aging Studies-Change to BA degree** **Approved**
- VII. **Aging Studies-New Course Proposals: GEY 4101** Aging in Special Populations **and GEY 4102** Aging in Modern Literature and Film **Approved**
- VIII. **CSD AuD-New Course Proposals: SPA 6535L** AudD Clinical Lab I; **SPA 6536L** AuD Clinical Lab II; **SPA 6393** Audiology Practice Mgmt; **SPA 6307** Speech Perception and Sens Hear Loss **Approved**
- IX. **CFS-New Course Proposal: MHS 6xxx** Issues and Trends in Developmental Disabilities **Approved** w/minor revisions.
- X. **RMHC catalog copy change for M.A. concentration:** Remove MHS 5020 Foundations of Mental Health Counseling and add RCS 6476 Human Sexuality. **APPROVED**
- XI. **MHLP/FMHI:** Substantive course change-MHS 4741 **TABLED**

Next meeting: September 16, 2010 MHS 2531 11:00am-12:30pm