

Minutes
LAS Curriculum and Requirements Committee
Wednesday, May 14, 2008
8:15 a.m. – COH 2025A

Present – Members: Deb Dew, Jim Eberhart, Raphael Sassower, Sonja Braun-Sand, Robert Durham, Lynda Dickson. Ex-officio: Ruth Sansing, Rex Welshon, Sheryl Botts, Sue Byerley

A. APPROVAL OF MINUTES – April 16, 2008 UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED

B. OLD BUSINESS - NONE

C. NEW BUSINESS

1. New Course Proposals: *ENGL 481 Special Topics in the Teaching of Writing:*
5 APPROVE/1 RECUSE (APPROVED) (Dew)

2. New Course Proposals: *GES 317 Saving Place (T. Huber)*
GES 383 Geography of Colorado (T. Huber)
GES 413 Programming Geographic Information Systems (Hodza)
ALL THREE UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED – Rex will talk to GES to make sure type of course and hours are correct

3. New Course Proposal: *HIST 482 Research Seminar on The Vietnam War 1945-1973 (Brumlik)*
UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED

4. New Course Proposal: *COMM 385 Walt Disney: The Nexus of Communication and Imagination (Nelson)*
UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED – Recommendation to faculty member to be more sensitive to the issues raised by Disney’s representation of ethnicity and gender

5. New Course Proposal: *ANTH 366/GES 366 Applied Community Studies: (K. Smith)*
UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED (Rex will consult with Kimbra about course)

6. New Course Proposals: *WEST 330 Methodologies in Women’s and Ethnic Studies*
WEST 364 Perspectives in Ethnic Studies
WEST 382 Inequality in Institutions (Crosby)
ALL THREE UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED

7. New Course Proposal: *WEST 348 Global Women’s Issues (Mitra)*
UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED

8. New Course Proposals: *WEST 341 Jihad, Women and the Family*
WEST 344 Sex and Gender in Islam
WEST 441 Topics on Women in the Middle East
(Ibrahim/Ferber)
**ALL THREE UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED –
Recommendation to faculty member to
reconsider the written assignments**
9. New Course Proposal: HIST 199 Writing for the History Major (Headle)
**MOTION: Approve with rejection of repeatability
UNANIMOUSLY DENIED**

Future meetings:
September 17
October 15
November 19
December 17?