

MINUTES: CURRICULUM AND REQUIREMENTS COMMITTEE

Meeting of August 24, 1993

MEMBERS PRESENT: Professors Christensen, Eberhart, Hoerner, Tierson, and Welshon.

FACULTY PRESENT: Professors Miller and Sassower.

EX-OFFICIO: Stanbrough.

A. OLD BUSINESS

FCS 101 - Selected Topics in Strategic Languages I
FCS 102 - Selected Topics in Strategic Languages II
FCS 211 - Selected Topics in Strategic Languages III

Committee recommends approval of the above with the understanding that, while course descriptions will be included in the UCCS general catalog, the courses will only be offered through the Division of Continuing Education.

B. NEW BUSINESS

Recommended approval of the following changes to the music curriculum:

1. Change title of MUS 101 from Music Theory I to Music Theory.

2. Renumber MUS 195 to MUS 293 - Special Topics
Renumber MUS 215 to MUS 315 - Intro to Non-Western Music
Renumber MUS 495 to MUS 493 - Advanced Special Topics

3. End MUS 102 - Music Theory II
End MUS 103 and 104 - Ear Training
End MUS 153 - Computer Music Composition

4. Delete MUS 150 to 170 course descriptions from the general catalog but catalog but courses will continue to be taught through Continuing Education.

Recommended approval of the following new course:

MUS 401 - Theories of Composition

Recommended approval of the following changes to the Area Requirements General Humanities list with the understanding that all additions will be re-evaluated based on the new area requirements criteria at the time the Chair presents all departmental area requirements courses for re-evaluation.

OK Miller
Add to General Humanities Area Requirements:

FCS 389 - Field Studies in Ethnic U.S. or International Settings
MUS 201 - Advanced Music Theory
MUS 385 - Symphonic Literature

Delete from General Humanities Area Requirements:

MUS 102 - Music Theory
MUS 131 - Choir

C. DISCUSSION ITEMS

Due to lack of time, no discussion was held related to the three issues on the agenda.

D. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

We'll wait.
Raphael Sassower made a point to the committee members that there were two courses on the General Humanities list that were never brought to the Humanities Committee for consideration:

ID 315 - Contemporary Theological Thought

ID 497 - Literature in the Apophatic Tradition

Since all area requirements courses must be re-evaluated based on the new criteria, this problem may be resolved in this manner. If not, then the courses should be submitted to the Humanities committee for approval. John Miller concurred. *is John on CIR?*

Raphael also suggested that the Curriculum and Requirements Committee may want to consider the possibility of differentiating the number of courses a department can have on the Area Requirements list as opposed to a program. *(a faculty issue - not committee, could recommend)*

The Curriculum and Requirements Committee will schedule additional meetings through the fall semester in an effort to meet with all departments for the re-evaluation of area requirements courses.

J. Ameron
(Dean's Approval)