

CAB Meeting Minutes – April 24, 2017, 9:00 – 10:45 am, SSC 122/124

Present: Chris Nichols (Chair), Charlene Armitage, Jacque Chase, Laird Easton, Holly Ferguson, Diana Flannery, Christine Goulding, Nicol Gray, LaDona Knigge, Irene Korber, Bill Loker, Rachel Middleman, Don Miller, Kent Sandoe, Paula Selvester, Kate Transchel, Jed Wyrick.

Guests: William Cuthbertson (MLIB), Patricia Black (ILLC), Brooke Moore (PHIL), Zanja Yudell (PHIL), Ann Bykerk-Kauffman (GEOS)

1. Announcements
 - a. Additional meeting will be scheduled for May 1 to review and vote on remaining GE applications.
 - b. ePortfolio Expo this Friday, April 28 from 3:30-5 in Tehama 116.
2. Approval of Minutes from 4/10/17
 - a. Edit to item 8d regarding BADM 101 Pathway application. Remove statement “and potentially consider for Experimental Pathway”
 - b. Approved
3. WI/C update: Summer 2017 and Fall 2017
 - a. Modified EMs have passed EPPC and will proceed to Senate this week. Senate meetings are open and all are encouraged to attend. EPPC feedback was mostly positive with some questions about students’ ability to challenge one of the course requirements.
 - b. Review of available WI/Z sections for F17. 119 GE WI/C sections scheduled compared to 98 in F16 and 81 in F15. This does not include A2 or summer.
5. Pathway Coordinator Election Nominees
 - a. One nominee received for each Pathway opening: Science, Tech, Values Zanja Yudell (PHIL); Global Development Sarah Anderson (ILLC); Health and Wellness Jason Clower (ILLC); Great Books and Ideas Laird Easton (HIST).
 - b. College Reps: Gary Braun (ACCT) for Business; still need AGR and BSS.
6. Information Literacy Curriculum Mapping & Information Literacy Student Learning Outcomes
 - a. Irene Korber and guest William Cuthbertson are developing a credit-bearing course to address Information Literacy SLO’s. They will be curriculum mapping existing courses to identify Information Literacy competencies across campus. The new course will be geared towards Freshmen at first but potentially would be available as Upper Division.
 - b. Reminder that the library is available to help faculty. Class time can be scheduled to assist students with research and other information literacy practices.
7. GE Pathway Course applications
 - a. FLNG 125 (Area A3, GC status, association with Global Development and International Studies pathways). Patricia Black from ILLC discussed the new course and how it relates to Critical Thinking. Philosophy professors Brooke Moore and Zanja Yudell explained the

difference between *using* and *teaching* Critical Thinking and the importance of focusing on Logic. They suggest SLO revisions and addition of Logic practices in the course.

Ann Bykerk-Kauffman, who teaches the GEOS 104 A3 course, talked about how she incorporates CT with a science perspective. CAB members would like to see A3 courses in multiple disciplines.

After a vote, the course was NOT approved for A3 Foundation but CAB would suggest revisions to the application and would like to know who will be teaching the course.

- b. Courses unaffiliated with a pathway:
 - i. UNIV 101 (Area E, Experimental pathway)
 - 1. Experimental courses can run for three years then would need to find a home in a Pathway or leave the GE program.
 - 2. Plan to offer seven sections, which will mostly be taken by special groups: EOP, CSSC, SSP, etc.
 - 3. APPROVED
 - ii. CIVL 131 (Area E, Experimental pathway)
 - 1. Sub-committee supports application
 - 2. APPROVED
 - iii. ABUS 451 (WI sub)
 - 1. Sub-committee supports
 - 2. APPROVED
 - iv. CIVL 461 (Major Course sub)
 - 1. APPROVED
 - v. ECON 499H (Capstone sub)
 - 1. Sub-committee satisfied after gathering more information from the department.
 - 2. APPROVED

4. EO 1100 Response

- a. The Chancellor's Office is requesting feedback on EO 1100 and has provided a template for each campus to fill out. The committee of Bill, Paula, Christine, Charlene, and Tami have met and made some suggestions. This is just a preview of some of their ideas, which will need to be discussed campus-wide. Some of their suggestions:
 - i. Remove restriction of taking UD after completing 60 units (we don't enforce this)
 - ii. Are there too many units; too many UD units?
 - iii. Remove one of the Area B lab requirements
 - iv. Contact Bill with any ideas, this is the beginning and will need future discussions.

8. Assessment Team Updates - postponed

9. Other—Will meet again May 1 and May 8.

10. Adjourn