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APAC Minutes
December 6, 1994

Members present: Reed, chair; Bense, Boe, Danielson, DuBord, Frederick, Moore, Olday, Pemble, Roy, Schmider, Shaker, Sibley, Swenson, Wasson, Zarrett.

Elizabeth Danielson announced that Molly Moore will assist her with Semester Conversion. Molly's responsibilities will include preparing post-APAC materials, for example, overseeing the monitoring of the course data sheets, follow-up on tabled items, and other items external to APAC. The Committee did not feel that it would be a conflict of interest for Molly to continue as an APAC member while assisting in this capacity.

Elizabeth reported that the conversion timeline will be extended into February instead of meeting on Saturdays. A revised schedule will be distributed at the next meeting and published in Continews.

1. Liberal Studies Recommendations.

Change in Liberal Studies Division F.

- a. To change the title of Division F from Non-Western Studies to Global Studies and to change the title of Division F1 from Cultural Diversity Studies to Multicultural. The final title will read: "Multicultural and Global Studies."

Wasson moved. Olday seconded to approve.
Motion carried unanimously.

- b. To add a criterion to Division F under the general guidelines that one should give consistent and extensive attention to the experiences and perspectives for the peoples in Asia, Africa and/or Latin America.

Moore moved. Sibley seconded to approve.
Motion carried unanimously.

2. Semester Conversion: Department of History

Major changes - New Courses:

HIST 230: World War Two, 1939-1945 (3 semester cr.)
The Liberal Studies Committee approved this course for Division C.
Zarrett moved. Boe seconded to approve.
Motion carried unanimously.

HIST 250: History of Mass Communications (3 semester cr.)
This course is cross-listed with Mass Communications and that department will present this course for conversion.

HIST 272: Latin America History II (4 semester cr.)
The Liberal Studies Committee approved this course for Division F.
Boe moved. Wasson seconded to approve.
Motion carried unanimously.

HIST 325: Modern France (4 semester cr.)
Boe moved. Bense seconded to approve.
Motion carried unanimously.

HIST 335: History of the Aztecs and Incas (3 semester cr.)
Wasson moved. Sibley seconded to approve.
Motion carried unanimously.

HIST 336: History of Mexico (3 semester cr.)
Boe moved. Sibley seconded to approve.
Motion carried unanimously.

HIST 345: History of South Africa (3 semester cr.)
Boe moved. Wasson seconded to approve.
Motion carried unanimously.

HIST 346: Modern China (3 semester cr.)
Wasson moved. Sibley seconded to approve.
A letter of support was submitted from the Language department and the
History department at Concordia College for this course.
Motion carried unanimously.

HIST 347: Modern Japan (3 semester cr.)
Moore moved. Boe seconded to approve.
A letter of support was submitted from the Language department and
History department at Concordia College for this course.
Motion carried unanimously.

HIST 350: Women in European History (4 semester cr.)
Moore moved. Zarrett seconded to approve.
Motion carried unanimously.

HIST 352: World War I (3 semester cr.)
Boe moved. Wasson seconded to approve.
Motion carried unanimously.

HIST 360: American Revolutionary Era (3 semester cr.)
Boe moved. Wasson seconded to approve
Motion carried unanimously.

HIST 361: Civil War & Reconstruction (3 semester cr.)
Boe moved. Roy seconded to approve.

Roy moved to table this course because of the prerequisites listed
None of the other courses require prerequisites and the instructor
not present to field questions from the committee.
Pemble seconded.
Motion to table carried unanimously.

HIST 363: U.S. in Vietnam, 1945-1975 (3 semester cr.)
Wasson moved. Zarrett seconded to approve.
Motion carried unanimously.

HIST 378: Asian-American History (3 semester cr.)
Swenson moved. Zarrett seconded to approve.
A letter of support was submitted from the Humanities and Multicultural
Studies department, Languages department and the department of History
at Concordia College.
Motion carried unanimously.

Minor Changes:

Roy moved. Zarrett seconded to approve the minor changes as listed under Section II of the Analysis form.
Motion carried unanimously.

Major Changes - Other:

None to act on.

Approval of History's conversion package:

Roy moved. Pemble seconded to approve History's semester conversion package with two exceptions:

The tabled course:

History 361: Civil War & Reconstruction (3 semester cr.)

The course cross-listed with Mass Communications:

History 250: History of Mass Communications (3 semester cr.)

The committee expressed concern that the History department requires no prerequisites for their courses.

Motion carried unanimously

3. Semester Conversion: Department of Special Education and Counseling

Major changes - New courses:

SpEd 200: Orientation to Special Education (2 semester cr.)
Wasson moved. Sibley seconded to approve.
Motion carried unanimously.

SpEd 220: Education of Students with Exceptionalities (3 semester cr.)
Wasson moved. Boe seconded to approve.
Motion carried unanimously.

SpEd 443/543:

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SpEd 620: Perspectives & Policies in Special Education (3 semester cr.)
This course was approved by the Graduate Council.
Roy moved. Sibley seconded to approve.
Motion carried unanimously.

Minor Changes:

Boe moved. Wasson seconded to approve the minor changes as listed under Section II of the Analysis form.
Motion carried unanimously.

Major changes - Other:

Zarrett moved. Moore seconded to approve the major changes as listed under Section III of the Analysis form.
Motion carried unanimously.

Approval of Special Education's Conversion Package:

Boe moved. Wasson seconded to approve Special Education's semester conversion package.
Motion carried unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 5:08 p.m.

Anderson