

University of Washington, Tacoma
Curriculum Committee
Minutes
Wednesday, May 19, 2010, 12:30 p.m.

Present: Brian Coffey, Tom Diehm, Divya McMillin, José Rios, Dan Zimmerman, Ruth Rea, Kent Nelson

Guests: Jennifer Sundheim

1. Approval of Minutes

The minutes from 04/21/10 were approved, 5-0-0.

2. New Course Applications

TCRIM 370: Approved as is.

TCRIM 371: Approved as is.

TCSS 492: Returned to program It is suggested that since the goal is to create a variable credit alternative to existing 490/590 courses in this sequence, that a Course Change Application be submitted instead. If there are questions, Institute staff/faculty can contact José.

TCSS 592: See TCSS 492

TINFO 492: See TCSS 492

TCES 492: See TCSS 492

TINFO 441: Approved with the following corrections. In the Catalog Data change “issue” to “issues”. Please add a grading table. Return to José when complete.

TINFO 481: Approved with the following changes. Please rewrite the Catalog Data into active voice. Suggested: drop the first sentence. Change second sentence to “Develops plan to include...”. Under #5 of the learning objectives on the Application form, there is a stray “t” that needs to be deleted. Return to José when complete.

TINFO 482: Approved with the following changes. In the Catalog Data, please change “demonstrate” to “demonstration.” Under #5 of the learning objectives on the Application form, there is a stray “t” that needs to be deleted. On the syllabus, under the assignment grid, please change “detail status reports” to “detail status overview” to match the application form. Return to José when complete.

TEST 213: Approved with the following corrections. Please delete learning objectives 6, 7, & 8 as they are more teaching objectives than learning. Discuss this with José if you have questions.

On the grading scale, please add a percentage to the D- category to be consistent with the rest of the scale. Return to José when complete.

TCOM 490: Approved as is.

TCOM 495: Approved with the following corrections. Please rewrite the Catalog Data to a more active voice. Suggestion: Plan and carry out a scholarly communication or media studies independent research project under the direction of a Communication faculty member. Permission based on approval of proposal submitted in advance of the thesis. Return to José when complete.

TURB 222: late re-submission. Approved with the following changes. Add the prefix and course number to the Application form. On the abbreviated title, please change to “Urban Sustainability”. Return to José when complete.

TPOLS 325: late submission. Approved as is.

3. IAS 1503 Forms (Restoration of Ecology Network Minor):

Approved as is.

4. IAS Clone Request (Psychology)

Approved as is.

5. 2010/11 Chair Update

Course release time for Faculty Assembly Committee chairs has been reinstated. José has agreed to remain chair for next year, his last on the committee. We will need to mentor a new chair during this time period to take over after José’s departure.

6. Next Meeting

July 21, 2010, 12:30. Location to be announced.

10. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 1:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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Committee Member