Arts and Sciences Curriculum Committee

11/29/11

Attending: C. Schubert (chair), D. Collins, A Fitzgibbon, G. Peterson, G. Zarate, J. O'Callaghan

From Claus: all last week's contingent passes are now OK and moving forward. Brief discussion of how a rewrite of the curriculum is in progress, however it doesn't appear that any of the school committees have a direct role. O'Callaghan agreed to ask Carol Van Der Karr to an upcoming meeting to discuss our role. Agreed to hold one extra meeting on 12/6/11 to catch up on proposals.

New Business

Brief discussion of proposals regarding the Honors program –focus on the logic of the sequence of courses and the needs of students who can't continue in all 5 sequentially (e.g. due to a study abroad semester).

••• New Course Proposals:

INT 360 Honors Seminar I

INT 370 Honors Seminar II

INT 380 Honors Seminar III

INT 490 Honors Senior Colloquium

VOTE: unanimous decision to pass.

INT 390 Honors Junior Colloquium

Suggested change to proposal to make the prereq INT 360.

VOTE: unanimous decision to contingent pass.

••• New Course Proposal: AAS 242 A Capella Africana

Suggested changes: change prereq answer to NO. Add consent of department reqd to course description. Add repeatability statement. Needs to consult with Performing Arts dept.

VOTE: unanimous decision to table.