

# CURRICULUM COMMITTEE | AGENDA

Wednesday, September 19, 2012 | 3:00 p.m. Loft Conference Room – Drescher Hall 300-E

#### **Members:**

Guido Davis Del Piccolo, *Chair* Georgia Lorenz, *Vice Chair* Brenda Antrim Ellen Cutler Keith Fiddmont Roberto Gonzalez Pat Halliday Randal Lawson Emily Lodmer Walt Louie Walter Meyer Estela Narrie James Pacchioli Elaine Roque Josh Sanseri Deborah Schwyter

Jeffery Shimizu
David Shirinyan
Gary Taka
Van Tran
Toni Trives
Julie Yarrish

#### **Interested Parties:**

Maria Bonin Patricia Burson Jamie Cavanaugh Jonathan Cohanne Mary Colavito Kiersten Elliott Mona Martin Mitra Moassessi Steven Myrow Katharine Muller

Linda Sinclair Eleanor Singleton Chris Young

#### **Ex-Officio Members:**

Janet Harclerode Parker Jean

#### AGENDA

(Items for action are listed alphabetically; items for information are listed numerically)

- Call to order
- II. Public Comments\*
- III. Approval of Minutes......3
- IV. Chair's report:
  - ASSIST training
- V. Information items:

(Course Updates)

- 2. ACCTG 15: Individual Income Taxes (distance education course update)
- 3. ACCTG 16 Taxation of Corporations, Partnerships, Estates and Trusts (distance education course update)

(Program Review)

- 4. NURSNG 20: Introduction To Medical-Surgical Nursing
- 5. NURSNG 20L: Introduction To Medical-Surgical Nursing Laboratory
- 6. NURSNG 30: Intermediate Medical-Surgical Nursing

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<sup>\*</sup>Five minutes is allotted to any member of the public who wishes to address the Curriculum Committee on a specific agenda item, for general public comments, or non-agenda items.

#### VI. Action items:

(Consent Agenda)

# VII. Discussion items:

- 7. Prerequisites
- 8. Repeatability

#### VIII. Adjournment

(Please advise Guido Davis Del Piccolo (x. 3561), Georgia Lorenz (x. 4277) or Grace Smith (x. 4454) if you are unable to attend this meeting).



# CURRICULUM COMMITTEE | MINUTES

Wednesday, September 5, 2012 | 3:00 p.m. Loft Conference Room – Drescher Hall 300-E

#### **Members Present:**

Guido Davis Del Piccolo, Chair Pat Halliday Estela Narrie Jeffery Shimizu Gary Taka Georgia Lorenz, Vice Chair Randal Lawson lames Pacchioli Brenda Antrim **Emily Lodmer** Elaine Roque Toni Trives **Julie Yarrish** Keith Fiddmont Walt Louie Josh Sanseri Roberto Gonzalez Walter Meyer Deborah Schwyter

**Members Absent:** 

Ellen Cutler David Shirinyan Van Tran

**Others Present:** 

Fariba Bolandhemat Kathryn St. Amant

# MINUTES

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#### I. Call to order:

The meeting was called to order at 3:13 p.m.

#### II. Public Comments\*:

None

#### **III. Approval of Minutes:**

The minutes of May 16, 2012 were approved as presented.

#### IV. Chair's report:

- The Chair welcomed the following new members to the Curriculum Committee: Elaine Roque (Kinesiology/Dance/Rec/Athletics/Health Science); Toni Trives (Earth Science/Modern Language); Walt Louie (Design Technology/Computer Science Information Systems); Josh Sanseri (Cosmetology/Photo/Fashion); Pat Halliday (Business/Communications); Brenda Antrim (Member At-Large), Roberto Gonzalez (Administration)
- The Academic Senate approved the following on May 22, 2012:

#### (Consent Agenda)

- Renaming of degree from "Speech" to "Communication Studies (formerly Speech)"
- POL SC 95: Public Policy Experiential Learning: Change from "Prerequisite: POL SCI 31, Introduction to Public Policy" to "Prerequisite or Corequisite: POL SC 31"

#### (New Courses)

BUS 34; CIS 67; NUTR 3; NUTR 8; OFTECH 28; PHOTO 31; PHOTO 33

#### (Distance Education)

BUS 34; BUS 53; CIS 67; OFTECH 28

#### (Degrees & Certificates)

Associate in Science-Transfer, Business; Associate in Arts-Transfer, History;
 Removal of "Fundamentals of Interior Architectural Design" and Level 1 certificate for Digital Media; rename Level 2 certificate "Digital Media"

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#### (Old Business)

- CLEP Exams and SMC Credit (Degree, GE, and Course Equivalency); Revision of Ecological Literacy Criteria (Global Citizenship requirement)
- Committee Orientation and 2011-12 Annual Report: The Chair presented a
  PowerPoint slideshow which provides a brief overview of the Committee's functions,
  especially for new members. The presentation is available online at
  www.smc.edu/curriculum (under "Curriculum Resources"). Highlights of the
  Curriculum Committee Annual Report, presented at the Board of Trustees meeting on
  July 17, 2012 were also covered.
- 2. Stand-alone course training: The Chair provided training on local approval of stand-alone credit courses, presenting materials provided by the Chancellor's office and the Systems Advisory Committee on Curriculum (SACC).
- CurricUNET training (Training on ASSIST deferred until the meeting of September 19, 2012)
- 4. UC TCA (Transfer Course Agreement) see addendum on Page 5.
- 5. Repeatability (deferred until the meeting of September 19, 2012)

#### V. Information items:

#### (Program Review)

- 6. Counseling 21H: Adapted Computer Technology
- 7. Counseling 22H: Adapted Computer Technology, Internet Skills For Academic Success

#### VI. Action items:

#### (New Courses)

a. **CIS 70: Social Media Applications** – presented by Kathryn St. Amant and Fariba Bolandhemat.

#### **Approval of course:**

Motion made by: Jeff Shimizu Seconded by: James Pacchioli

The motion passed unanimously.

#### Prerequisite of CIS 50 or GR DES 65:

Motion made by: Randal Lawson Seconded by: Keith Fiddmont

The motion passed unanimously.

#### **Distance Education:**

Motion made by: Estela Narrie Seconded by: Brenda Benson

The motion passed unanimously.

#### VII. Adjournment:

The meeting was adjourned at 4:46 p.m.

# Addendum: 2012-2013 UC-TCA Course Agreement (See Minutes, Item IV. 4)

**From:** Jennifer Forsberg [Jennifer.Forsberg@ucop.edu]

**Sent:** Monday, August 13, 2012 5:03 PM

To: NARRIE ESTELA

**Cc:** Nancy Purcille; aplong@berkeley.edu; Barbara Love; Cynthia Bevc;

Cynthia Eisenhut; Dawn Hovey; Kim Alexander; Thea; Woo-Hoogenstyn, Yoly; 'dleaman@uci.edu'; jeking@ucdavis.edu

**Subject:** FW: Santa Monica College 12-13 TCA

Dear Colleague,

We have completed analysis of the courses submitted for Santa Monica College TCA for 12-13. This information is currently being entered into the ASSIST database. Subscribers to the ASSIST-L listserv will be notified via email when this new TCA has been published at <a href="https://www.assist.org">www.assist.org</a>. For information on subscribing to the ASSIST-L email listserv, visit <a href="https://info.assist.org/assist">http://info.assist.org/assist</a> l about.html.

The following is a summary of our actions on your newly submitted courses:

#### New courses approved as UC Transferable:

ANTHRO 10 Forensic Anthropology 3

ASTRON 6 Archaeoastronomy 3

COM ST 31 Research Methods for Communication Studies 3

POL SC 3 Introduction to Politics: Justice, Power and Agency 3

# Courses re-reviewed and approved as UC Transferable: NONE

Courses approved as UC Transferable, but will not appear on the TCA because they are Variable Topics:

NONE

Courses not approved as UC Transferable:

NONE

Courses which require additional review or campus action:

NONE

Courses removed by the college:

NONE

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# **Santa Monica College** Update (NON-Substantial Changes) Expanded Course Outline for POL SC 22 - Environmental Politics And Policies

Course Cover		
Discipline	POL SC-POLITICAL SCIENCE	
Course Number	22	
Full Course Title	Environmental Politics And Policies	
Cross Listed Course		
Catalog Course Description	This course examines environmental politics, including, but not limited to the issues of population, natural resource use, habitat loss, global climate change and pollution. The political, economic, and social origins of environmental change and degradation are examined, as well as democratic, bureaucratic and market-based solutions to environmental problems advocated by environmental movements, interest groups and political parties. Arguments for best public policy responses to a range of environmental problems will be assessed and debated. The course offers a practical problem-solving approach which includes local, state, national and global environmental politics. Course content focuses primarily on political concepts, such as sustainable development and ecological democracy, and on the relations between a range of contemporary political values and the environmental policy recommendations of each. The course explores various perspectives on what it means to take political responsibility for reducing the human impact on the earth.	
Rationale		
Rationale	I would like to suggest that we cross list Political Science 22, Environmental Politics and Policies, as Environmental Studies 22, Environmental Politics and Policies. So, Environmental Politics and Policies would be in the catalog and schedule as both Political Science 22 and Environmental Studies 22. We have done this same thing with Environmental Ethics (Phil 20 and Environmental Studies 20). This will be helpful for students who are looking for environmental studies courses, but don't know the departments in which they might be housed.	
Proposal Inform	Proposal Information	
Proposed Start	Year: 2009 Semester: Fall	
Proposed for Distance Ed	No	
Proposed for Global Citizenship	Yes	

Course Unit/Hours	
Variable Hour Exist	NO
Credit Hours	Min: 3.00
Weekly Lecture Hours	Min: 3.00 (Sem: 54)
Weekly Laboratory Hours	Min: 0
Weekly Arranged Hours	Min:
Total Semester Instructional Hours	54.00
Repeatability	May be repeated 0 time(s)
Grading Methods	Letter Grade or P/NP
	Minimum Qualification
Minimum Qualifications:	Political Science (Masters Required)
	Program Applicability
Designation	Credit - Degree Applicable
Proposed For	AA Degree Environmental Studies. Environmental Science, Liberal Arts - Arts and Hum, Liberal Arts - Social/Beh Certificate of Achievement Environmental Studies, Environmental Science
Course Objectives	

Upon satisfactory completion of the course, students will be able to:

- 1. Frame political problems and questions within a broad, practical overview of environmental politics and policy, from local, state, national and global perspectives in class discussion and written assignments.
- 2. Demonstrate understanding of the historical, political and cultural context out of which various environmental perspectives and discourses emerged in the 20th century, including but not limited to, Survivalism, Prometheanism, Sustainable Development, and Green Radicalism in class discussions and written assignments.
- 3. Identify and evaluate key actors, political structures, and approaches for solving environmental problems at the global, national and local levels.
- 4. In class discussion and debates, compare, contrast and evaluate the key radical/ecocentric and reformist/technocratic environmental politics discourses in order to identify the best global political solutions to environmental problems.

- 5. Think critically about and articulate orally and in writing conceptions of environmental justice and environmental policy solutions possible within democratic contexts.
- 6. Use primary environmental writing texts to articulate a theory of ecological democracy and an argument for how to organize power to achieve environmental justice.

	Course Content
25%	History of the environmental movement and the roles environmental and nature writing play in the environmental politics
30%	Defining Environmental Justice: the terms of the debate over whether there is an environmental crisis; the relationship between environmental justice and economic development; environmental political thought; the politics of environmental justice
30%	Achieving Environmental Justice: key global actors and political structures; methods and processes for environmental politics; environmental policy at the national level; parties and movements
15%	Ecological Democracy and Engagement: theories of ecological democracy and environmental political agency
Total: 100%	

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#### Methods of Evaluation

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Methods	• 20% - Final exam
	final paper
	• 15% - In Class Writing
	short, daily writing assignments
	• 15% - Oral Presentation
	analysis of primary nature writing texts
	• 20% - Other
	Service Learning and nature writing journal
	• 20% - Papers
	2 Debates and Debate Papers
	• 10% - Quizzes
	• 100% - Total

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Opt Heading	
Methods	Lecture and Discussion
Other	Lectures, class discussion, class debates, films, service learning, nature
Methods	journaling and one or more non-class field trip(s)

# Appropriate Textbooks

Textbooks such as the following are appropriate:

Formatting	APA
Style	

### **Textbooks**

- 1. John S. Dryzek. The Politics of the Earth: Environmental Discourses, ed. Oxford, 2005
- 2. Terry Tempest Williams. The Open Space of Democracy, ed. The Orion Society, 2004

- 3. Robert Garner. *Environmental Politics: The Age of Climate Change*, 3rd ed. Palgrave Macmillan, 2011
- 4. Bill McKibben, editor. American Earth, ed. Library of America, 2008

#### Manuals

1. Dryzek and Schlosberg. Debating the Earth, Oxford, 01-01-2005

Periodicals

You have no periodicals defined.

Software

You have no software defined.

Other

You have no other defined.

### **Assignments**

#### Sample Assignment

# Sample Assignment

Debate #1 Question: What is environmental justice? Which side has a better vision: the radical/dark green/ecocentric side or the reformist/light green/technocratic side? Take a side and support your position. Make it your goal to persuade your opposition.

Final Paper Question: What is your vision of environmental justice and the way to organize power to support that vision? To answer this question you must incorporate the following three components: your nature writing experience/journals, your service learning experience, and concepts and discourses from the Garner textbook

#### **Pre/Corequisites & Advisories**

## **Skills Advisory**

ENGL 21B

Library	
List of suggested materials has been given to librarian?	No
Library has adequate materials to support course?	Yes

#### Additional Comments/Information

#### **Student Learning Outcomes**

1. Exhibit, through their behavior and course work, strong academic behaviors as well as a heightened sense of personal efficacy and civic responsibility, evidenced by their regular attendance, participation in class activities, and their awareness of their rights and duties as citizens of their community, their country, and the wider world.

- 2. Demonstrate through oral and written work knowledge of the concepts in national and international environmental politics, including, but not limited to, population, natural resources, climate and pollution, the political, economic, social origins or environmental change and degradation, the goals and activities of environmental movements, interest groups and political parties, the effectiveness of the public policy response to environmental issues and the need for new policy approaches and institutions.
- 3. Be proficient in the research, analytical, and communication skills necessary to present, orally and in writing, compelling and original arguments in defense of a particular environmental politics based on the criteria of reducing the human impact on the Earth and sustainability.
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#### Transfer/General Ed

#### CSU/UC Transfer Course

A. Transfers to UC (pending review)

B. Transfers to CSU

IGETC Area 4: Social and Behavioral Sciences

H: Political Science, Government & Legal Institutions

CSU GE Area D: Social, Political, and Economic Institutions and Behavior, Historical

D8 - Political Science, Government, and Legal Institutions

Santa Monica General Education Areas

Area IIB: Social Science (Group B)

Area V: Global Citizenship

Global Citizenship Application	
Global	Ecological Literacy
Citizenship	
Category	
Global	Conceptual foundations of our environmental attitudes, values and challenges
Citizenship	from a variety of cultural perspectives
Sub-	Analysis of human activity and its impact on Earth's natural environments,
Categories	both local and global, and the shorter-and longer-term implications for the
	planet's livability and sustainability.
Citizenship	See attached file. Previously approved.
Rationale	

#### **Attached Files**

Previous Global Citizenship Approval

PS 22 Reference List