

**COLLEGE-WIDE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE
MINUTES
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2015**

PRESENT: Mr. Terrence Brown
Dean Felix Cardona
Professor Sarah Church
Professor Lizette Colon--Excused
Professor Kathleen Doyle--Excused
Professor Sandy Figueroa
Professor Jerilyn Fisher
Professor Madeline Ford—In place of Professor Miriam Laskin
Professor Paula Korsko
Mr. Saint Mbakop Aboul
Professor Felipe Pimentel
Mr. Jose Ramos
Professor Jo-Ann Rover
Professor Rees Shad
Professor Olga Steinberg-Neifach
Ms. Wendy Small-Taylor

GUESTS: Professor Orlando Jose Hernandez
Professor Inmaculada Lara-Bonilla
Professor Karin Lundberg
Professor Walter Rada
Professor Linda Watkins-Goffman

CALL TO ORDER

Committee Chair Professor Sandy Figueroa called the College-Wide Curriculum Committee meeting to order at **3:35** p.m. in the Office of Academic Affairs Conference Room, B465.

MINUTES

Minutes from the November 10, 2015, meeting was approved and accepted.

Curricula Items for Voting

First-Year Seminar

Presented by Dean Felix Cardona

Action #1

Approval of First-Year Seminar to be required of all Liberal Arts students entering fall 2016.

- Vote Results

Yes-10

No -1

Abstain – 0

Effective Fall 2016

Action #1 Passed

Humanities

Modern Languages Unit

Professor Walter Rada presented changes for SPA 101 and SPA 121.

Action #2

Change in number of credits from four credits to three credits for SPA 101 and SPA 121.

- Vote Results

Yes-8

No -2

Abstain -1

Effective Fall 2016

Action #2 Passed

Behavioral/Social Sciences

Professor Anthony Varelas presented PSY 180, PSY 182, and PSY 144 for Pathways approval.

Action #3

Present PSY 180 for Pathways approval.

PSY 180

- Vote Results

Yes-11

No -0

Abstain -0

Effective Fall 2016

Action #3 Passed

PSY 182 was tabled for revision of Pathways submission form.

Action #4

Present PSY 144 for Pathways approval.

• Vote Results
Yes-11 No -0 Abstain -1 Effective Fall 2016

Action #4 Passed

Humanities

Modern Languages Unit

Professor Walter Rada presented SPA 101 and SPA 121 for Pathways approval.

Action #5

Present SPA 101 AND SPA 121 for Pathways approval.

• Vote Results
Yes-11 No -0 Abstain -0 Effective Fall 2016

Action #5 Passed

Language and Cognition

Professor Karin Lundberg presented new course, ESL 95.

Action #6

ESL 95 as a new course.

• Vote Results
Yes- No - Abstain - Effective Fall 2016

ESL 95 was tabled for revisions based on feedback from the members of the College-Wide Curriculum Committee.

ADJOURNMENT

The College-Wide Curriculum Committee was adjourned at 5:10 p.m. The next meeting of the College-Wide Curriculum Committee is scheduled for Tuesday, Nov. 24, 2015.

Respectfully submitted,
Sandy Figueroa