School of Liberal Arts Curriculum Committee

10 October 2018

Minutes

In attendance: Drs. Kelly Marin, Rocco Marinaccio, Evelyn Scaramella, Nefertiti Takla, Michael Grabowski, Jawanza Clark, and Dean Brower (Excused: Dr. Pamela Chasek)

1. Meeting commenced @ 11:03
2. Agenda approved
3. Kelly Marin was nominated for chairperson and then unanimously approved by committee
4. HIST Proposal: HIST 392: History of the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict as a new course was unanimously approved
5. PHIL Proposals:
   1. Close course PHIL 410: Majors Philosophers
   2. Add new course PHIL 401: Major’s Seminar
      1. Invited Dr. Eoin O’Connell (Chairperson of Philosophy) to discuss the course.
      2. Committee concerned that opening a senior seminar to seniors and juniors is not in line with the goals of a senior seminar.
      3. Approved the course with changes to the course description: Only open to philosophy majors and minors in their senior year, who have completed two 200- or 300-level courses in philosophy. Required for philosophy majors. May be repeated.
6. Discussed new business
   1. The committee may revisit the committee’s bylaws to clarify purpose of the committee.
   2. The Dean’s office would like to create a system for easy submissions and training of proposals.
7. Meeting adjourned @ 11:45

Respectfully submitted,

Kelly Marin