Arts and Sciences Curriculum Subcommittee

09/19/12 Meeting Minutes

In attendance:

Robbin Smith (RoS)	Political Science
Jose Carlos del Ama (JCA)	Commmunications
Cairie Andreoletti (CA)	Psychological Science
Robert Wolff (RW)	A&S Dean's Office
Fatemeh Abdollahzadeh (FA)	Computer Science
Bruce Day (BD)	Sociology
Carl Knox (CK)	Music
Jeff Thomas (JT)	Physics & ES
Lisa Frank (LF)	Finance
Linda Wagner (LW)	Nursing(guest)
Oscar Perdomo (OP)	Mathematics
Heather Prescott (HP)	History
Kevin Knopf (KK)	Student
Paramita Dhar (PD)	Economics
Shelly Jones (SJ)	Math
Reginald Simmons (CRM)	Criminology
Mark Jackson (MJ)	Curriculum Chair, Biology

Meeting called to order at 3:25 p.m. by MJ

Officers

PK nominated as Chair of A&S. PK accepted.

RS nominated as Secretary. RS accepted.

New Business

2.1: Dept. rep not present. Item tabled to next cycle

3.1,3.2: Represented by JT . 3.1 and 3.2 approved as a package. Note: One GS major currently, committee requests that department confirm if student will be grandfathered in.

4.2: Represented by LW. Approved

4.15: Represented by LW. Approved with recommendation to place STAT 104 before 215.

      <u>Academic Standards</u>

6.0: Discussion facilitated by MJ on 3 versus 4-credit distinction. RW recommended consult with our Sociology dept. and Salisbury University in Maryland model. BD concurred, recommending the Salisbury 3+1 Model. BD also recommended Keene State model in New Hampshire. CA stated Psychology has a four-credit class which is a combination of in-class and out of class work. RS piloted a CRM class this past summer that involved in-class work at CCSU and out of class work at an agency that could be a potential four-credit course.

      <u>Transfer Articulation Policy</u>

7.0: MJ described background of TAP development, and the proposed TAP framework.   MJ wants departments to review framework and provide any serious concerns or improvements directly to him by October 15th, preferably by email.

Meeting adjourned 4:50p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Reginald Simmons, Secretary, A&S subcommittee