

**Minutes of Arts and Sciences**  
**3:15 PM March 11, 2015**

Attendance: Robbin Smith (A&S Curriculum Subcommittee Chair, Political Science), Paul A. Karpuk (English, Chair UCC), Mary D'Ambrosio (Journalism), Don Adams (Philosophy and A&S), Ismael Medel-Lopez (Communication), Carmela Pesca (Modern Languages), Julie Schnobrich-Davis (Criminology), Fumilayo Showers (Sociology), Mark Jones (History), Carl Knox (Music)

The meeting was called to order at 3:15 p.m.

**Approval of Minutes**

The minutes of February 18 were unanimously approved.

**II. New Business**

<b>Journalism</b>						
<b>11</b>	Course Revision	JRN	237	Introduction to the Profession	[CLASS]	2015-02-05 15:18:15
<a href="http://ccsu.smartcatalogiq.com/en/current/Undergraduate-Graduate-Catalog/All-Courses/JRN-Journalism/200/JRN-237">http://ccsu.smartcatalogiq.com/en/current/Undergraduate-Graduate-Catalog/All-Courses/JRN-Journalism/200/JRN-237</a> <b>Change prerequisites to:</b> Majors only. First semester at CCSU as a declared Journalism major or minor.						
<b>12</b>	Course Revision	JRN	370	Today's News in Context	[CLASS] [GE] [IEC]	2015-02-05 15:31:56
<a href="http://ccsu.smartcatalogiq.com/en/current/Undergraduate-Graduate-Catalog/All-Courses/JRN-Journalism/300/JRN-370">http://ccsu.smartcatalogiq.com/en/current/Undergraduate-Graduate-Catalog/All-Courses/JRN-Journalism/300/JRN-370</a> <b>Change title to:</b> Global News in Context <b>Change prerequisites to:</b> JRN 200 <b>Change description to:</b> Examines international journalism and current events. Students will study the forces underlying issues such as the global economy, war and peace, politics, the environment and coverage in global news media. <b>Change cycling to:</b> Fall <b>General Education:</b> Must go to the Gen Ed subcommittee to request an "I" designation						

<b>Modern Languages</b>						
Proposed addition of the below courses:						
<b>18</b>	Course Addition	ARAB	111	<a href="#">Elementary Arabic I</a>	[CLASS] [GE]	2014-10-16 11:34:27
<b>19</b>	Course Addition	ARAB		<a href="#">Elementary Arabic II</a>	[CLASS] [GE]	2014-10-16 11:36:22

The addition of both courses was unanimously approved.

<b>Physical Education &amp; Human Performance</b>	
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Consideration of a package of proposed course additions and revisions in exercise science was deferred to the main meeting.

<b>Physics and Engineering Physics</b>				
<b>35</b>	Program Revision	Major in Physics, B.S.	[SEST] [BUS]	2015-02-25

Consideration of a proposed revision of the physics major was deferred to the main meeting.

A proposal to add a mission statement and revised learning outcomes To CCSU's general education program was forwarded to the subcommittee for information purposes.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary D'Ambrosio