Los Angeles Mission College
CURRICULUM COMMITTEE
MINUTES
October 7, 2014
CMS 214

Members Present: Carole Akl, Mike Climo, Cindy Cooper, Kelly Enos, Pat Flood, David Garza, Madelline Hernandez, Tigran Mkrtchyan, John Morales, Michong Park, Deborah Paulsen, Said Pazirandeh, Michael Reynolds, Daniel Waktola, Christopher Williams

Members Absent: Lilamani De Silva, Veronica Diaz-Cooper (jury duty), Ebru Durukan, Louis Eguaras

Guests: Rita Grigoryan

Support: Susan Ghirardelli

Meeting called to order 1:38pm

I. Introduction

II. Public Address

III. Discussion Agenda

- **Art 111** (Update) Folland/Paulsen M/S/Approved John/Kelly
  - Suggestion: add more detail on an SLO addendum
  - Follow-up: add more instructions for SLO benchmarks to the Curriculum webpage

- **Biology 5** (New Course) Mohammadian/Reynolds M/S/Approved Deborah/Tigran
  - Part of AS in Health Science
  - Mike explained the differences between Bio 3 and Bio 5. The question was raised how do students know whether Bio 3 or Bio 5 is preferable for their career/educational goals.
  - It was noted that Counseling should notify appropriate departments if Bio 5 replaces Bio 3 in any degree programs.

- **Child Dev 10** (CID Update) Silver/Gregorian M/S/Tabled Mike R./Tigran
  - SLOs could use higher Blooms
  - Addendum required for changes in SLOs – Said to follow up with Jan
  - Will need CID update by the end of 2014. This is the last course required for the AS-T degree
  - Tabled - reschedule for October 21 meeting

- **Geography 2** (Update) Waktola M/S/Approved David/Tigran

IV. Approval Agenda

- **Art 111** (Update) M/S/Approved Kelly/Michong
  - Advisory (English 101) M/S/Approved Kelly/Tigran

- **Biology 5** (New Course) M/S/Approved Carole/Tigran
  - Prerequisite (English 28) M/S/Approved Kelly/Mike C.
  - Prerequisite (ESL 8) M/S/Approved Kelly/Mike C
  - Advisory (Math 115) M/S/Approved Kelly/Mike C
  - It was noted that Math 123B and Math 129B can also join Math 115 as an advisory for Bio 5

- **Geography 2** (Update) M/S/Approved Tigran/Carole

- Minutes (September 30, 2014) M/S/Approved w/ correction Tigran/Kelly

- Skill Certificate Application form (New) M/S/Approved w/ revisions Tigran/Kelly
  - Needs signatures from department chair, curriculum dean, curriculum chair, VPAA and Senate
V. Policy Items

VI. Other Business

- Volunteers were requested for the Kinesiology ECD workshop scheduled for October 14, 1pm-3pm, LRC 234; please email Kelly with your confirmation.
- Volunteers also requested for October 28 Business ECD workshop.
- Kelly gave an update on the mandated AA/AS-T degrees. We are waiting for the official template for the Elementary Education AA-T. Studio Arts is almost complete.
- Mike Climo suggested that the committee look at how COR objectives are written. He will prepare a discussion for a future meeting to look at new ideas and alternatives to Blooms.
- Kelly will be sending out a survey to committee members for feedback on curriculum processes.

Next Meeting: October 21, 2014

Meeting adjourned 2:48pm

Transcribed by Susan Ghirardelli