



**DEDMAN COLLEGE
UNDERGRADUATE COUNCIL
Minutes of Monday, April 15, 2013**

The Undergraduate Council met Monday, April 15, 2013, at 2:00pm in 121 Dallas Hall. Present: Associate Dean Peter Moore; Professors and Members of the Undergraduate Council Pamela Corley, Crista DeLuzio, Rob Harrod, Monnie McGee, and Anne Lincoln; Director, University Advising Center, Ellen Richmond; Director of Dedman College Records, Jay Orenduff; Assistant Dean, David Doyle; Assistant Director, Pamela Chiu; Dedman Faculty including Dan Reynolds and Doug Ehring; and students Kyle Nakatsuka and Tech Guerrero.

The meeting was brought to order by Dean Moore.
Minutes from the March 25, 2013 meetings were approved.
The agenda was approved.

New Course Proposal: **PHIL 3317** – *Causation*.

Professor Doug Ehring proposed the course and answered questions.

Council voted to **APPROVE with changes** (i.e., include “permission of instructor” in course description).

New Course Proposal: **MATH 4370** – *Introduction to Parallel Scientific Computing*.

Professor Dan Reynolds proposed the course and answered questions.

Council voted to **APPROVE as written**.

Proposal for Distinction in Mathematics, proposed by Professor Dan Reynolds. The Council recommended significant changes to the proposal and resubmission in the Fall 2013 semester.

New Course Proposal: **HIST 5305** – *Seminar in Hispanic American Borderlands*.

Professor Crista DeLuzio proposed the course and answered questions.

Council voted to **APPROVE as written**.

New Course Proposal: **HIST 5387** – *Seminar in African History*.

Professor Crista DeLuzio proposed the course and answered questions.

Council voted to **APPROVE as written**.

New **Individualized Studies Proposal**: *B.S. in Applied Scientific Computing*.

Student **Kyle Nakatsuka** proposed his curriculum to the Council for approval.

Council voted to **APPROVE as written**.

*Pamela Chiu is working on a program proposal, to be submitted to the Undergraduate Council in the Fall 2013 semester, for the B.S. in Individualized Studies as it does not currently exist. Kyle’s DPR will reflect a B.A. degree until the B.S. major has been created and approved by the Undergraduate Council and the Provost’s Educational Programs Committee.

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New **Individualized Studies Proposal**: *B.A. in Liberal Arts*.

Student **Tech Guerrero** proposed his curriculum to the Council for approval.

Council voted to **APPROVE as written**.

Proposal for Distinction in Individualized Studies, proposed by Pamela Chiu.

Council voted to **APPROVE as written**.

New Course Proposal: **DCAR 4001, 4301, and 4302** – *Dedman College Advanced Research*.

Tabled for the first Fall 2013 meeting of the Undergraduate Council.

Meeting dismissed.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

SOCI 4355, *Social Movements & Collective Behavior*, approved administratively for inclusion in the **Human Rights** major and minor.

FILM 3375, *Post-war European Cinema, 1945-present*, **GERM 3320**, *Contemporary German Culture*, **ITAL 3373**, *Italian Culture*, administratively approved for inclusion in the **European Studies, Group II** track of the **International Studies** curriculum.

WL 3355, *Black Africa Cinema*, administratively approved for inclusion in the **Africa/Middle East Studies, Group II** track of the **International Studies** curriculum.

The following Course Catalog Update Form(s) were approved by the Senior Associate Dean for Academic Affairs:

NEW COURSES

ANTH 3306

ANTH 3345

LATN 3327

MODIFIED COURSES

CFA 3359

PSYC 4339

SPAN 5311

CFA 3381

PSYC 4341

SPAN 5323

PSYC 3099

PSYC 4342

SPAN 5324

PSYC 3199

PSYC 4352

SPAN 5341

PSYC 3299

PSYC 4363

SPAN 5343

PSYC 3360

PSYC 4381

SPAN 5361

PSYC 3399

PSYC 4395

WL 3309

PSYC 4320

PSYC 5381

WL 3330

PSYC 4321

SOCI 3351

WL 3365

PSYC 4325

SPAN 4357

PSYC 4334

SPAN 4391

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INACTIVATED COURSES

PLSC 4376

REACTIVATED COURSES

None.

Respectfully submitted,



Crista DeLuzio
Undergraduate Council Secretary