

ADM Curriculum Committee Meeting Notes September 18, 2009

In attendance;

Susie Antcliff, Carolyn Shafer, Sharon Wood, Nathan Rabe, Susan Hardee, Brian Bishop, Kate Darnell, Nancy Rhodes-Johnson, Cassie Brogan, Fred Clark, Diana Grinwis.

It was agreed that the next curriculum committee meeting would take place Friday, October 2, at 11 am in GB 152.

Dean Berry came and spoke to the group about the possibilities of new FT faculty hires. 10 new FT will be hired for next academic year. Examination of needs will begin September 29 at the Dean's council meeting, so if we wish to request someone we need to have a compelling rationale submitted by the 28th to the Dean.

She also informed us that a chair interview had taken place, a name forwarded, and now it is in the office of the VP of finance awaiting his approval.

We began an examination of prerequisites for courses and how they are affected by the curriculum revisions we are undertaking. The changes we recommend are listed below:

ARTS 106 Color and **137 Perspective Drawing** are to be discontinued this year. Nancy Dryer at ECE will be contacted regarding their availability for extension offerings.

ARTS 131 Drawing, 132 Figure Drawing, 153 Image and Idea, and 213 Illustration Fundamentals will be discontinued this year. They will be replaced by two new drawing courses to be developed possibly summer of next year.

ARTS 236 Production and **ARTS 257 Pre-Press** are to be discontinued in the Fall of 2011. A teach-out will be required for both courses next academic year.

The status of **ARTS 216 Humorous Illustration** and **217 Humorous Illustration 2** will be concluded at the next Animation subcommittee meeting. The options are as is, revision, or discontinuation.

ARTS 103 3D Design – Remove IMAG 112 as prereq

ARTS 171 CG – Digital Imaging – List only ARTS 102 as prereq

ARTS 173 CG – Web Design – List ARTS 171 as stand alone

ARTS 175 Creative Design and Publishing – ARTS 102 or concurrent

ARTS 226 Storyboards and Animatics – Add Drawing 1, 16x Vector Drawing

ARTS 229 CG – Advanced Web Design – Add 17x Interface Design

ARTS 237 CG – Flash Game Design – Add 21x Flash for Artists, ARTS 17x Interface Design, raise math level to 5

New Course – ARTS 1xx Info Graphics – ARTS 162, 171, Drawing 2, ARTS 16x Vector Drawing

Fred asked that we examine the possibility of going to 5 hours for 3 credit courses, as the levels of complexity in our new curricula are much higher. Brian will take this up with the new chair and Instructional Coordinator upon his return from bereavement leave.

Sharon requested we set up a meeting with Advising to make certain they are aware of all changes and needs to maintain prerequisite integrity in the new curricula. Brian again on his return will set up a meet.

Peter, Nathan, and Sharon may wish to team-teach the first i3D class. This will be discussed further.

Fred suggested we change our program name. He stated that we are not doing what the local community views as art, meaning a more fine art emphasis. We may need something that better defines in community terms what we do.

Meeting adjourned.