Committee on Curriculum

Agenda for December 8, 2020 Meeting

Voting members present: Eddie Bevilacqua, Ruth Owens, Mark Lomolino, Silje Kristiansen, Shijie Liu, Robin Hoffman, Wendong Tao, Scott Shannon
Non-voting members and guests: David Sonnenfeld, Monica Blaisdell, Casey Duffy, Beth Minard, Tondelaya George, Daniel Collins, Sue Sanford

1. Call to Order (Bevilacqua)

2. Announcements (Bevilacqua)
   a. Approval of minutes 11/10/2020- by acclimation
   b. Proposals submitted for CoC completeness review:
      Curriculum Proposal Environmental Health (minor revision)
      Public Health minor (new)
      Curriculum Proposal Environmental Science Senior Synthesis (minor revision)
      Curriculum Proposal Environmental Science Renewable Energy Option (minor revision)
   c. Proposals posted for comment:
   d. Administrative Approvals:
      Course Proposal EWP 350 Eco-Cinema (11/11/2020)
      Course Proposal EWP 450 Digital Storytelling (11/11/2020)
      Curriculum Proposal BS Sustainable Energy Management (11/18/2020)
      Course Proposal changes for FOR 132; FOR 298; FOR 496; FOR 498; FOR 499 (11/18/2020)
      Course Proposal CME 303, Construction Management Internship (11/23/2020)
      Curriculum Proposal BS Environmental Resource Engineering (11/30/2020)

3. Action Items:
   a. EST 617- Measuring Environmental Inequality (new)- Why is this a 3-credit course rather than a 1-credit seminar? In EST we use the term seminar to cover courses which meet for 3 hours with additional outside class requirements which would fit the needed contact hours. Dr. Collins used a flipped format, students meet with her after working on a project
      Approved 8-0-0
   b. Curriculum Proposal MS Environmental Studies (minor revision) Approved 8-0-0
   c. Course Proposal FOR 421 Practical Ethics for Resource Managers (new)

4. Old Business:

5. New Business:
   Tentative spring semester schedule:
   Tuesday, 2/2
   Tuesday, 3/2
   Tuesday, 3/30
Tuesday, 4/27
All meetings 11-12:20, with additional meetings possible depending on number of proposals.