California Baptist University
Undergraduate Curriculum Committee
February 23, 2005

Members Present: Jonathan Parker, Gayne Anacker, DawnEllen Jacobs, Dave Pearson, Bruce Stokes, James Lu, Tom Ferko, Dan Wilson, Erica McLaughlin, Darrell Passwater, Shawn Konning, Shelly Rupard, David Murray (for Gary Bonner), Scott Key, Mary Crist

Guests: John Shoup, Julianna Browning, Joy Whaley

- David Pearson opened with prayer.

- Darrell Passwater proposed cross-listing BUS 456 Business Communication with COA 425 Organizational Communication and discussed parallels between the two courses as well as unique features of each. There was consensus that a decision could not be made without further input from Daniel Skubik, John Pate, and Shelly Rupard. The proposal was tabled pending that discussion.

- David Murray submitted two proposals.
  - To require sequential pre-requisites for Music History courses (MUS 313 Music History I is a prerequisite for MUS 323 Music History II, etc.). The proposal was approved.
  - To implement pre-requisites, concurrent enrollment, and successful completion of pre-requisites with a grade of C or better as requirements for Musicianship Lab and Music Theory courses. After discussion, a motion was made and carried to accept pre-requisite and co-requisite courses as submitted, to require completion of courses with a C- or better in keeping with other course completion requirements across campus, but to deny an entrance exam pre-requisite for MUS 114 Music Theory I and MUS 115 Musicianship Lab I until such time as that element could be resubmitted with a stronger rationale.

- David Pearson submitted a proposal to change the KIN pre-fix on varsity sports courses to ATH. Discussion included concerns about the academic integrity of the current courses, consistency in grading procedures, criteria for awarding grades, criteria for enrollment, application of units towards general education requirements, and the transferability of such courses from other institutions, particularly community colleges. The discussion was tabled until such time as input could be obtained from Kent Dacus and Doug Huckaby.

- Tom Ferko submitted a proposal packet that included the following.
  - The addition of 3 new courses
    - BIO 205 Human Microbiology with Lab – 4 units
    - CHE 102 Fundamentals of Chemistry – 3 units
• CHE 112 Organic and Biochemistry for Health Sciences with Lab – 4 units
  • Changes in course titles
    • MAT 144 Mathematical Statistics – MAT 144 Introduction to Statistics
  • Changes in designations to SCI for the following courses
    • PSC 303/303L Science and Faith
    • PSC 323 History and Philosophy of Science
    • MSC 120 Marine Science w/Lab
    • MSC 412 Special Topics in Marine Science
  • Changes to the following course descriptions
    • PSC 133 Survey of Physical Science
    • MAT 145 Mathematical Methods in the Natural Sciences
    • MAT 463 Fundamental Concepts of Geometry
  • Change in course number
    • CHE 343 Biochemistry w/Lab – CHE 443
  • Change in grading status
    • MAT 095 to Pass/Fail
  • Change in number of units
    • MAT 145 from 3 to 4 units
  • Change pre-requisites
    • For BIO 305 Microbiology w/Lab – BIO 146. Recommended HS Chem or CHE 102
    • For CHE 115 General Chemistry I w/Lab – HS Chem or CHE 102
    • For MAT 115 Intermediate Algebra – MAT 095 or sufficient SAT, ACT or math placement exam score
    • For MAT 125 Mathematical Concepts and Applications I - MAT 095 or sufficient SAT, ACT or math placement exam score
    • For MAT 127 Mathematical Concepts and Applications I – MAT 125
    • MAT 135 Pre-Calculus - MAT 115 or sufficient SAT, ACT or math placement exam score
    • MAT 245 Analytical Geometry and Calculus I - MAT 135 or sufficient SAT, ACT or math placement exam score
    • MAT 255L Calculus Symbolic Language Lab II – MAT 245L
    • MAT 363 History of Mathematics and Theory of Numbers – MAT 245
    • MAT 463 Fundamentals Concepts of Geometry – MAT 313
    • MAT 144 Introduction to Statistics - MAT 115 or sufficient SAT, ACT or math placement exam score
    • PHY 214 Physics for Scientists and Engineers I w/ Lab – MAT 145 or 245

The packet was approved.
• John Shoup submitted recommendations from the ESM Committee to
  o Align the concentration requirements for the Non-ESM Liberal Studies
    Program with the concentration requirements for the ESM;
  o Amend the requirements in Adult Completion program to require HUM or
    HUM 223 and one of the following: ETC 305, KIN 302 or KIN 363.
  o Remove the elementary methods sequence (EDU 405, EDU 412, EDU
    416, and EDU 440) from the multiple subject Fast Track degree program
    requirements.

The proposal was approved.

• Gayne Anacker submitted a proposal for an interdisciplinary degree. The proposal
  was returned for refining of course options.

• The meeting was adjourned at 11:45 am.