California Baptist University

Undergraduate Curriculum Committee

July 11, 2005

Present: Jonathan Parker, Andy Herrity, Erica McLaughlin, Shelly Rupard, Shawnn Koning, Connie Milton, John Pate, David Pearson, DawnEllen Jacobs, Bruce Stokes, Gayne Anacker, Dan Wilson

Guests: John Higley, Troy Hinrichs

• Jonathan Parker opened the meeting in prayer.

• John Higley proposed a 21 unit minor in Criminal Justice.
  o 3 core courses include CJS 113 Introduction to Criminal Justice, CJS 401 Crime and Delinquency and CJS 441 Fundamentals of Criminal Investigation and Report Writing.
  o 12 elective units are also required.
  o The proposed minor will integrate the skills and knowledge gained in this program with other applied professional fields and programs on campus such as biology and chemistry (criminalistics and forensics), behavioral science (probation, social service), public administration or political science (court services, public defense investigation). Shelly Rupard concurred that Student Advising has identified an interest in this minor and this type of integration.

The minor was approved.

• Bruce Stokes provided a history of Behavioral Science program offerings at the ADCP San Bernadino site. The current cohort will finish the existing Behavioral Science major with a social work concentration in the spring, and there are few new students poised to begin the program after that. The revisions done to the existing major for the traditional program are not feasible at the San Bernadino site for ADCP students. Dr. Stokes therefore recommends that the current Behavioral Science major with social work concentration be taught out through Spring 06 and a major in sociology be offered at the San Bernadino site. Those few students who will not complete their degree requirements by Spring 06 will move to the major in sociology.
  o Current students’ files have been examined to assure smooth transitions for them.
  o The new program better suits students who want to go into MFT or social work masters programs.
  o Dr. Stokes further proposed the following curricular change.
    ▪ SOC 400 Special Topics has successfully been offered as Group Dynamics at least 2 times with enrollment of over 18 students and should be added to the catalogue as a regular course. Shawnn Koning assigned the designation SOC 338 to this course.

The recommendation to teach out the current program and begin recruitment for the Sociology major, including the new SOC 338 Group Dynamics, course was approved.
Connie Milton presented a course plan for the Bachelor of Science Nursing degree. No syllabi are available as yet but will be forthcoming with her petition to approve the major. Dr. Milton currently seeks approval for the curriculum in order to move ahead with informing students and seeking approval from the Board of Registered Nursing for the requisite self-study which is due to the BRN in September.

- The current pre-nursing program has already been approved.
- Dr. Milton will confer with biology faculty about the positioning of microbiology in the proposed program.
- Program recommendations for the intersection of nursing courses with GE requirements follow and are applicable only for students pursuing the BSN degree.
  - NUR XXX Spanish for Health Workers (2nd semester Language)
  - NUR 4XX Community Health (3 units POL)
  - NUR 4XX Transcultural Health (3 units Non US HIS)
  - NUR 4XX Christian Leadership in Nursing (3 units CST)
  - NUR 4XX Ethics & Issues in Healthcare (3 units PHI)
- Other GE requirements include
  - BIO 153/163 Human Anatomy & Physiology I & II (Lab Science/KIN)
  - SPC 113 Oral Communication
  - PSY 1XX Human Growth & Development (3 units BEH)
  - CIS 265 Info Systems Essentials
  - ANT 225 Cultural Anthropology
  - 6 units Christian Studies
  - 3 units US History
- The plan as presented includes MAT 115 as the GE math requirement; however, further discussion suggested that BSN students would benefit from the more rigorous requirement of MAT 144 Mathematical Statistics, and that change was acceptable to Dr. Milton. Students would need to meet the pre-requisites for MAT 144 as well.
- Total number of units in the proposed program is 100. The student will need 24-39 additional units to complete a 124 unit major depending on the competencies the student brings to CBU upon admission to the program.

The curriculum plan was approved in concept.

- The meeting was adjourned at 9:42 a.m.