Committee on Academic Programs (CAP) Minutes for Meeting on 10/27/2021

Present: Joe Baker, Jared Beatrice, Brett BuSha, Peter Corso, Craig Hollander, Heba Jahama, Deborah Knox, Tracy Kress (Temporary Chair), Alekhya Madiraju, John McCarty, Jennifer Palmgren, Kay Potucek, Avani Rana, Jane Wong

Excused: Brenda Seals (Chair), Aesheyah Willis

1. Approve minutes from the 10/13/21 meeting

The minutes from the 10/13/21 meeting were amended, voted upon and approved unanimously.

2. Update on Honors Program Proposed Modifications: CAP has coordinated with Harriet Hustis and the HSC requests that CAP put the review on hold until December or January.

3. Review of Ungraded Option Policy Draft

- Concerns were raised about how the policy should be modified to apply to graduate students. *Action item*: subcommittee will reach out to schools with grad programs to inquire about grad students having the option to take courses credit/no credit.
- Subcommittee will continue to revise the policy language based on full CAP feedback in preparation for Tier III testimony. Tentative timeline: anticipate Tier III request for feedback late this semester or early next semester.

4. Updates from Subcommittees on Current Charges:

- Graduate Admissions Charge
 - Subcommittee is reviewing the updated draft of the combined policies.
- Civil Engineering Minor
 - CAP is still waiting on a response from Engineering.
- Syllabus Policy
 - Subcommittee continues to add language and elements requested by Steering before reaching out to stakeholders.
- Interim policy on Remote Classroom Camera/Microphone Use and Recording
 - Subcommittee continues to update the recommendation with language based on stakeholder testimony. Plan to have final recommendation to Steering by Spring semester.
- 5- year review of Ungraded Option Policy
 - See #3 above.
- Delivery Mode
 - CAP met with Judi Cook and shared revised definitions with the task force. Judi will meet with all of CAP during first half of our next meeting (11/10).
- Liberal Learning
 - Subcommittee is still awaiting additional feedback from the LLC.

5. Subcommittees for Syllabus, Ungraded Options, and Graduate Admissions policies met

Our next meeting will be on Wednesday, November 10, 1:30 p.m. via in person or Zoom. Link will be emailed with the new agenda.

Meeting adjourns at 2:53pm Respectfully Submitted, Jared Beatrice