University of Wisconsin – Eau Claire
University Liberal Education Committee
Monday, October 8, 2018
260 Council Oak, Davies

Present: Members: Debra Barker, Angela Dalhoe, Gary Don, Steve Fink, Kevin Hansen, Tony Keys, Hans Kishel, Kris Knutson, Jessica Kraker, Jan Larson, David A. Miller, Darrell Newton, Yoonsin Oh, Angie Stombaugh

Guests: Margaret Cassidy, Mary Hoffman

Presiding: Angie Stombaugh

Convened: 2:00 PM

Meeting Minutes

1. Approval of Minutes of September 24, 2018
   - Motion to approve minutes of September 24, 2018, as distributed. Motion was seconded and approved unanimously.

2. Consideration of Course Proposals
   - Motion was made to approve HMNG 101 (Beginning Hmong I) and HMNG 102 (Beginning Hmong II) for S1. Motion was seconded.
     - Discussion: Would be helpful if an artifact was linked to the elements, seems to be lingering confusion surrounding assessment and artifacts, need to streamline assessment methods and choose one artifact/assignment per element to assess effectively and efficiently, perhaps update the FAQs to cater to those individuals submitting proposals
     - Motion was made to table the proposals until additional information can be obtained. Motion was seconded and approved unanimously. Angie will contact the proposer.
   - Motion was made to approve IDIS 125 (Brain: Introduction to Neuroscience) for K1 and K1 lab. Motion was seconded and approved unanimously.

3. Miscellaneous Business
   - For ULEC’s information: BIOL 353 – Biotechnology, 3 crs (GE COURSE DELETION); ECON/WGSS 357 – Women and Economic Development, 3 crs (ELIMINATE I1 LE DESIGNATION; RETAIN R2 LE DESIGNATION)
     - Some concern about losing IL, two required for graduation; communicate with Senate if there are a lot of courses dropping the designation; can revisit rubric if needed; proposer assessed the outcome twice and students weren’t meeting it

Dismissed at: 2:30 PM

Submitted by: Sarah Forcier

Approved: 11.5.18