Honors Program Committee

Meeting – September 19, 2014, 2 pm – Honors Lounge – DuPont 210

Present – Randall Helmstutler, Jackie Gallagher, Lynn Lewis, Jennifer Polack, Kelli Slunt

Absent – John Broome

Approval of minutes from September 8, 2014 - approved

New Business

1) Motion - Courses to Fulfill the Research Methodology Course – the following courses or individual student experience will fulfill the Research Methodology Course requirement for Honors Students. These courses do not need to bear an HN designation to fulfill this requirement. Action: Approved effective Fall 2014.
   a. CHEM 491 or URES 197
   b. HISP 462
   c. ECON 300
   d. Maggie Beglau – GEOG 491

2) Motion – to designate the following courses for HN designation. Action: approved.
   a. PHYS 106 – approved as a co-listed with an non-honors section
   b. HONR100 – Game Theory

3) Motion - Contracts from Students to Designate Non-Honors Courses as Honors Courses
   a. Sarah Dickshinski – ANTH 212
      Action: Approved for the Fall 2014 course.
   b. Amanda Halprin – ENGL 305
      Action: Not Approved – Proposal return to the student and faculty member requesting further clarification of how the course will meet the HN requirements without simply adding additional assignments. – Resubmission requested by September 26, 2014.
   c. Molly Lowdon - FSEM 100G4
      Action: Not Approved – Proposal return to the student and faculty member requesting further clarification of how the course will meet the HN requirements without simply adding additional assignments. – Resubmission requested by September 26, 2014.
   d. Emily Bolesta and Katie Belle Finch – HISP 303
      Action: Not Approved – Proposal return to the student and faculty member requesting further clarification of how the course will meet the HN requirements
without simply adding additional assignments. – Resubmission requested by September 26, 2014.

e. Ray Celeste Tanner - COMM 353  
   Action: Not Approved – Proposal return to the student and faculty member requesting further clarification of how the course will meet the HN requirements without simply adding additional assignments. – Resubmission requested by September 26, 2014.

f. Kat Johnson and Shayna Buchin - PSCI 312  
   Action: Approved for the Fall 2014 course.

g. Jerome Mueller and Ruth Catlett – CPSC 405  
   Action: Approved for the Fall 2014 course.

h. Brittany Harris – ANTH 101  
   Action: Approved for the Fall 2014 course.

i. Hannah Morgan – ENGL 304A  
   Action: Not Approved – Proposal return to the student and faculty member requesting further clarification of how the course will meet the HN requirements without simply adding additional assignments. – Resubmission requested by September 26, 2014.

j. Isabelle Perrin – HISP 101  
   Action: Approved for the Fall 2014 course.

k. Claire Goode – FSEM 100H3  
   Action: Approved for the Fall 2014 course

l. Lila Spitz – GEOG 221A  
   Action: Approved for the Fall 2014 course

m. July Laszakovits, Lonnie Harris, David Nunez, Kelly McDaniel, Zaire Sprowal – CHEM 253  
   Action: Approved for the Fall 2014 course

n. Sarah Kinzer and Ana Leino - FSEM 100H4 (proposal only from Sarah but email from Mindy Erchull indicated both students are proposing the HN section)  
   Action: Approved for the Fall 2014 course for Sarah Kinzer. Once paperwork is received from Ana Leino, the course will be approved for Ana as well.

o. Natasha Zelloe - MATH 200  
   Action: Approved for the Fall 2014 course

The committee discussed the need to change the contract submission form to make it clear that the faculty and students that the proposal must clearly indicate what the changes are occurring in the course. The contracts should not simply add additional work to an existing course.
Meeting adjourned at 3 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Kelli Slunt

Director of Honors Program