

MINUTES
LIBERAL STUDIES COMMITTEE
Jan 24th 2019

Curriculum

- x CHEM 101 College Chemistry I course revision to change catalog description to be an option to fulfill Natural Science requirement for Public Health
Motion
- x Bachelor of Science Chemistry/Pre-Pharmacy Track – error in Social Science recommendation. Should read ECON 101 or 121 and not ECON 101 or 122.
Motion to RECOMMEND approval of B.S. Chemistry/Pre-Pharmacy Track
Motion passed.
- x COMM 101 Communication Media in American Society course revision – Liberal Studies Elective
information literacy
 - 9 Suggest revising learning outcome 4 to read "Analyze media sources for reporting accuracy and bias"
 - 9 Suggest revising grading and listening to lectures "Exams and quizzes on textbook and non-textbook readings and lectures."
 - 9 Would like more information on the "critical thinking assignment"Motion to RECOMMEND provisional approval of COMM 101. Motion passed.
- x HIST 230 Queer Global History new course for Liberal Studies knowledge area
Global and Multicultural Awareness
Elective information literacy and technology literacy
 - 9 Catalog description sentence seems a little awkward focusing on the comparing different modern...
 - 9 Primary source analysis assignment – is this a writing assignment? (in the Distance Ed section, it says this is assessed through discussion posts, but this isn't clear at the top assessment section)
 - 9 Too many EUSLOs selected
 - 9 More information needed on how it will address women and racial and ethnic minorities. It might be a given but needs more than just "A course of LGBTQ global history will necessarily address the contributions of women and ethnic minorities."

9 Comment on the Distance Ed application this section is written in the first person. This should probably change to be written with a third person subject (e.g. "the instructor" or something like that.

Motion to RECOMMEND provisional approval of HIST 230. Motion passed.

x HIST 231 History of Jerusalem new course for Liberal Studies Elective information literacy.

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Motion to RECOMMEND provisional approval of HIST 231. Motion passed.