Committee members in attendance: Sharon Billings, Marta Caminero-Santangelo, Michelle Hayes, Allard Jongman, Jorge Pérez, Robin Rowland, Terry Slocum, Kathy Suprenant, John Tibbetts,


The meeting was called to order by Danny Anderson at 4:05 PM.

**Report of the Committee on Graduate Studies (CGS)**
(Ed Morris, 2011-2012 CGS Chair, reporting)

- The motion (CGS report by Ed Morris) was seconded, and the CAC voted unanimously to approve the following curricular change:
  
  NEW COURSE: PSYC 780

- The motion (CGS report by Ed Morris) was seconded, and the CAC voted unanimously to approve the following program changes:
  
  Religious Studies

**Report of the Committee on Undergraduate Studies & Advising (CUSA)**
(Chris Fischer, 2011-2012 CUSA Chair, reporting)

- The motion (CUSA report by Chris Fischer) was seconded, and the CAC voted unanimously to approve the following curricular changes:
  
  NEW COURSE: PSYC 580
  
  CHANGES: FMS 311, FMS 312, LING 438

- The motion (CUSA report by Chris Fischer) was seconded, and the CAC voted unanimously to approve the following degree requirements:
  
  1. Changes to Existing BA, BGS in Political Sciences
  2. Changes to Existing BFA Visual Art-Textiles/Fiber Option

Other business

- Chris Fischer reported on CUSA’s discussions of the process underway as part of the KU strategic plan, “Bold Aspirations,” to “establish a new KU core curriculum for all undergraduate students.” Information regarding this portion of the strategic plan may be found at this link: [http://www.provost.ku.edu/planning/implementation/](http://www.provost.ku.edu/planning/implementation/).

- CUSA will continue to review College specific requirements for BA, BGS, BFA, and BS degrees once the new KU Core curriculum supplants the current College general education requirements. CUSA will also work on a plan to coordinate calendar deadlines and assist departments and programs in establishing a new core curriculum, and major specific degree requirements.

The CAC meeting was ended by consensus at 4:54 PM.

**Next College Academic Council Meeting:** Tuesday, May 8, 2012, at 4:00 PM (210 Strong Hall)

Minutes recorded by Maureen Cole and transcribed by Anne Sawyer (Secretary to the College Assembly)