The committee met on Tuesday, October 8, 2013, at 11:15 a.m. in Room 210 Strong Hall. The following were present:
Guest: J. Johnson, K. Moore

Welcome: Professor Neidert called the meeting to order.

Approval of CUSA Minutes: A motion was made to approve the September 24, 2013 meeting minutes of the Committee on Undergraduate Studies & Advising. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

Dean’s Office Update: Anticipate releasing the proposal for teaching post docs shortly. The College is currently working on funding and it is the hope that it can be expanded to include Humanities for the first time this year.

SAS Office Update: Ann Cudd, Vice Provost & Dean of Undergraduate Studies, has been invited to attend the next CUSA meeting to discuss transfer credit and specifically how it relates to the KUCore.

Subcommittee Assignments:

1. Curricular Changes/Degree Requirements KU Core Proposals

   1. CURRICULAR CHANGES/DEGREE REQUIREMENTS
   A motion to approve the Curricular Changes was seconded, and CUSA voted unanimously to approve with corrections and changes shown below:

   Curricular Changes for Approval

   NEW COURSES APPROVED: CLSX 178, CLSX 355, COMS 238, ENGL 306, ENGL 310, ENGL 328, ENGL 330, ENGL 341, ENGL 351, ENGL 532, ENGL 533, ENGL 534, ENGL 568, ENGL 581, ENGL 660, GEOG 590, HA 532, *HNRS 195, HRNS 496. JWSH 107, JWSH 315, JWSH 336

   CHANGES APPROVED: BIOL 688, ENGL 300, ENGL 301, ENGL 302, ENGL 308, ENGL 309, ENGL 312, ENGL 314, ENGL 315, ENGL 316, ENGL 317, ENGL 318, ENGL 320, ENGL 322, ENGL 323, ENGL 324, ENGL 325, ENGL 327, ENGL 331, ENGL 332, ENGL 334, ENGL 336, ENGL 337, ENGL 338, ENGL 340, ENGL 351, ENGL 352, ENGL 353, ENGL 354, ENGL 355, ENGL 359, ENGL 360, ENGL 361, ENGL 362, ENGL 380, ENGL 385, ENGL 387, ENGL 390, ENGL 466, ENGL 479, HIST 325, HRNS 190, HWC 205, REES 510, REL 107, SPAN 302

   DELETIONS APPROVED: BIOL 450

   * HNRS 195 – delete required of all freshman honors students

2. DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR APPROVAL

   A motion to approve the Degree Requirements was seconded, and CUSA voted unanimously to approve with changes as shown below:

   APPROVED:
   a) *New Minor – American Studies
   b) Changes to Existing Major – Physics
   c) Changes to Existing Major – English
   d) Changes to sub-plan name- English – from Language, Rhetoric and Writing to Rhetoric, Language and Writing
   e) Discontinuation of English Major Admission Requirements
   f) **Changes to Existing Minor – English

   *New Minor – American Studies –change language to read minor not minority
   **Change wording from regular track to general track for consistency with item c above (Changes to Existing Major – English)
3. **KU CORE PROPOSALS FOR APPROVAL**
   A motion was made to approve the KU Core proposals. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

   **B. Advising & Awards – BGS**
   The Advising & Awards Subcommittee is making final edits on their proposal to the BGS with major.

   **C. Academic Standards Report – Undergraduate Certificates**
   The Academic Standards Subcommittee is continuing to review certificates programs and will begin discussing poor academically performing students transferring from other colleges into CLAS.

Adjournment 11:32 a.m.