

APSC Actions – Spring 2016

- I. APSC approved the following new courses:**
- a. WGSS 100: Introduction to Women’s, Gender and Sexuality Studies** (Feb. 1, 2016)
 - b. WGSS 206: Fat Studies** (Feb. 1, 2016)
 - c. WGSS 208: Introduction to Sexuality Studies** (Feb. 1, 2016)
 - d. WGSS 300: Feminist Perspectives and Theories** (Feb. 1, 2016)
 - e. ITAL 103: Accelerated Italian (for speakers of Spanish, French or Portuguese)** (Feb. 1, 2016)
 - f. ARTH 108: Arts of East Asia** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - g. ARTH 132: Art and Sustainability** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - h. ARTH 209: The Japanese Woodblock Print** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - i. ARTH 212: Michelangelo – Man & Myth** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - j. ARTH 213: Gothic Pilgrimage** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - k. ARTH 215: Seventeenth-Century Dutch and Flemish Art** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - l. ARTH 217: Modern and Contemporary Architecture** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - m. ARTH 219: Gender and Sexuality in Modern American Art** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - n. ARTH 235: Post Studio Projects** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - o. ARTH 305: Topics on Modern Design in East Asia** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - p. ARTH 411: Senior Studio, Part 2** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - q. ERSC 205: Introduction to Soil Science** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - r. ERSC 206: Volcanology** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - s. THDA 190: Production and Performance** (Feb. 15, 2016)
 - t. THDA 201: Theatre History** (Feb. 15, 2016)
 - u. THDA 215: The Thinking Body: Human Movement and Anatomy** (Feb. 15, 2016)
 - v. THDA 319: Dramaturgy** (Feb. 15, 2016)
 - w. ENST 121: Introduction to Environmental Science** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - x. ENST 161: Environmental Connections** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - z. ENST 162: Integrative Environmental Science** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - aa. ENST 252: Interdisciplinary Problem Solving** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - bb. ENST 280: Environmental and Social Justice** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - cc. ENST 361: The Role of Natural Science in Environmental Studies** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - dd. ENST 362: Principles of Natural Science for Environmental Studies** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - ee. ENST 370: Environment and Society** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - ff. ENST 371: Global Environmental Politics** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - gg. WGSS 302: Topics in Women’s, Gender and Sexuality Studies** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - hh. ENST 121: Introduction to Environmental Science** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - ii. ENST 161: Environmental Connections** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - jj. ENST 162: Integrative Environmental Science** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - kk. ENST 252: Interdisciplinary Problem Solving** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - ll. ENST 280: Environmental and Social Justice** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - mm. ENST 361: The Role of Natural Science in Environmental Studies** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - nn. ENST 362: Principles of Natural Science for Environmental Studies** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - oo. ENST 370: Environment and Society** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - pp. ENST 371: Global Environmental Politics** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - qq. WGSS 302: Topics in Women’s, Gender and Sexuality Studies** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - rr. MUAC 210: Topics in Global Music** (March 7, 2016)
 - ss. MUSC 401: Senior Colloquium** (March 7, 2016)

- tt. **PSYC 160: Human Development: Emerging Adulthood through Death** (March 7, 2016)
- uu. **THDA 130: Introduction to Stage Technology** (April 18, 2016)
- vv. **THDA 230: Design Principles and Practices for the Stage** (April 18, 2016)
- ww. **SPAN 253: Malaga Colloquium** (April 18, 2016)
- xx. **HIST 370: Cold War in Africa, 1945-1990** (May 2, 2016)
- yy. **ITAL 300: Topics in Italian Culture in Italian (offered in Bologna)** (May 2, 2016)

- II. APSC approved the removal of the following courses from the *Bulletin*:**
- a. **ARTH 105: Art in England** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - b. **ARTH 115: French Art from the Romanesque through the Baroque** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - c. **ARTH 116: French Art of the 19th and 20th centuries** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - d. **ARTH 201: History and Art of the Film or the Photograph** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - e. **ARTH 203: Medieval Art** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - f. **ARTH 208: Japanese Art** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - g. **ARTH 210: Chinese Art** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - h. **ARTH 265: Non-Western Art** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - i. **ARTH 302: Roman Painting** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - j. **ARTH 303: Roman Portraiture** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - k. **ARTH 304: Southern Baroque Art** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - l. **ARTH 306: Northern Baroque Art** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - m. **ARTH 315: Topics in Contemporary Art** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - n. **ARTH 324: Advanced Three-Dimensional Design and Sculpture** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - o. **ARTH 404: Seminar: Topics in the History of Art** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - p. **WGST 200: Introduction to Women's and Gender Studies** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - q. **WGST 230: European Feminism (cross-listing)** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - r. **WGST 250: Methods in Women's and Gender Studies(cross-listing)** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - s. **WGST 210: Philosophy of Feminism (cross-listing)** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - t. **WGST 217: Gender, Culture and Transnationalism (cross-listing)** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - u. **WGST 218: Biosocial Aspects of Female Sexuality (cross-listing)** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - v. **WGST 219: Geography of Gender (cross-listing)** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - w. **WGST 278: European Women's History(cross-listing)** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - x. **WGST 374: African Women's History (cross-listing)** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - y. **WGST 377: Consumerism, Nationalism and Gender (cross-listing)** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - z. **WGST 378: Society and the Sexes (cross-listing)** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - aa. **ENST 130: Introduction to Environmental Science: Energy, Waste, and Human Health** (Feb. 22, 2106)
 - bb. **ENST 131: Introduction to Environmental Science: Natural Ecosystems and Human Disruption** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - cc. **ENST 132: Foundations of Environmental Science** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - dd. **ENST 230: International Environmental Challenges** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - ee. **ENST 340: Forest Ecology & Applications** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - ff. **THDA 200: Introduction to Dance in the Western Tradition** (Feb. 15, 2016)
 - gg. **THDA 313: Theatre History Seminar** (Feb. 15, 2016)

- III. APSC approved the following curriculum changes:**
- a. Pre-semester Intensive Language and Culture Program in Lecce, Italy, Summer 2016** (Feb. 1, 2016)
 - b. New Business track in Malaga** (Feb.1, 2016)
 - c. Domestic Natural History Mosaic, Fall 2016** (Feb. 1, 2016)
 - d. Request from FREN & ITAL to split into two separate departments** (Feb. 1, 2016)
 - e. SPAN 410 – change to prerequisites** (Jan. 18, 2016)
 - f. ARTH 123 - change to course title and description** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - g. ARTH 204 - change to course description** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - h. ARTH 222 - change in level to ARTH 321; change to course title** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - i. ARTH 226 - change to course title and description** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - j. ARTH 228 - change to course description** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - k. ARTH 261 - change to course description** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - l. ARTH 262 - change to course description** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - m. ARTH 323 - change to course title and description** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - n. ARTH 407 - change to course title and description** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - o. ARTH 410 - change to course title and description** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - p. HIST/RUSS 243 - change to course title and description** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - q. HIST/RUSS 248 - change to course title and description** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - r. WGSS 101 - change to course title to reflect new department name** (Feb. 1, 2016)
 - s. WGSS 102 - change to course title to reflect new department name** (Feb. 1, 2016)
 - t. WGSS 201 - change to course title to reflect new department name** (Feb. 1, 2016)
 - u. WGSS 202 - change to course title to reflect new department name** (Feb. 1, 2016)
 - v. WGSS 200 (previously WGST 250) change to course title and description** (Feb. 1, 2016)
 - w. WGSS 301 (previously WGST 300) change to course title and description to reflect new department name** (Feb. 1, 2016)
 - x. Changes to WGST – new department/major name from Women’s and Gender Studies to Women’s, Gender & Sexuality Studies & revisions to requirements** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - y. Changes to PSYC major requirements** (Feb. 8, 2016)
 - z. Changes to ARTH major requirements** (Feb. 15, 2016)
 - aa. Changes to the THDA major requirements** (Feb. 15, 2016)
 - bb. Changes to ENST major requirements** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - cc. THDA 203 – change to course title** (Feb. 15, 2016)
 - dd. THDA 303 – change to course title** (Feb. 15, 2016)
 - ee. THDA 214 – change to course title** (Feb. 15, 2016)
 - ff. THDA 204 - change to prerequisites** (Feb. 15, 2016)
 - gg. THDA 304 – change to prerequisites** (Feb. 15, 2016)
 - hh. THDA 305 – change to prerequisites** (Feb. 15, 2016)
 - ii. THDA 306 – change to prerequisites** (Feb. 15, 2016)
 - jj. Globally-integrated program – Leadership in 4 Directions - in Hawaii, January 2017** (Feb. 22, 2016)
 - kk. Loeffler and Pedersen Spring 2017 lab times – start time of 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday and Thursday** (Feb. 29, 2016)
 - ll. Changes to MUSC major emphases** (March 28, 2016)
 - mm. MUAC 209 and 495 – change to course titles** (March 28, 2016)
 - nn. WRPG 101 – change to course title and description** (March 28, 2016)
 - oo. SPAN 231, 239, 305, 410 – changes to course descriptions, attributes and/or titles** (April 11, 2016)
 - pp. Yunnan University, Kunming, China Pilot Program, Spring 2017** (April 11, 2016)

- rr. **Changes to the THDA major core and minor requirements** (April 18, 2016)
- ss. **Creation of new Banner code CRWR for the creative writing courses in the minor curriculum** (May 2, 2016)

IV. APSC denied the following:

- a. **Requests from Carol Loeffler and Brian Pedersen to teach their T/TH labs beginning at noon in Spring 2017; they were asked to begin at 1:00 p.m.** (Feb 29, 2017)

V. Hiring

- a. **APSC voted to recommend the restructuring of a current INBM position to a lectureship** (Feb. 15, 2016)
- b. **APSC voted to recommend the part-time costume/properties shop supervisor THDA position be moved to a full-time position** (Feb. 15, 2016)
- c. **APSC voted to recommend reauthorization of a tenure-track diversity position in HIST** (March 28, 2016)
- d. **APSC voted to recommend the restructuring of a current PSYC long-term adjunct position to a lectureship** (April 11, 2016)
- e. **APSC voted to recommend a new tenure-track line in ENSC (combining adjunct and soft monies)** (April 11, 2016)
- f. **APSC voted to recommend reauthorization of a tenure-track line in POSC in Comparative Politics** (April 18, 2016)
- g. **APSC voted to recommend reauthorization of a tenure-track line in RELG** (April 25, 2016)
- h. **APSC voted to recommend a tenure-track line in MATH and a lecturer position in MATH (combining adjuncts and visiting assistant professor monies)** (April 25, 2016)
- i. **APSC voted to recommend reauthorization of a tenure-track line in PHIL in Political Philosophy** (May 2, 2016)
- j. **APSC voted to recommend authorization of a new Health Psychology tenure-track position to make PSYC “leak proof”** (May 2, 2016)

VI. Discussions

- a. **Changes to THDA major, new courses and removal of courses** (Feb.1, 2016; Feb. 15, 2016)
- b. **Change from WGST to WGSS major and minor, new courses, removal of courses** (Feb. 1, 2016; Feb. 8, 2016)
- c. **Unsolicited position requests for combined PSYC/HEST and RUSS** (Feb. 1, 2016)
- d. **Open forum on global education – setting date and time** (Feb. 1, 2016)
- e. **Changes to ARTH major, changes to courses, new courses and removal of courses** (Feb. 8, 2016; Feb. 15, 2016)
- f. **Changes to ENST major, new courses and removal of courses** (Feb. 8, 2016; Feb. 22, 2016)
- g. **Mellon grant application – Civic Engagement** (Feb. 1, 2016; Feb. 22, 2016)
- h. **Lab times for Loeffler and Pedersen in Spring 2017** (Feb. 22, 2016; Feb. 29, 2016)
- i. **Questions from faculty regarding faculty meeting materials** (Feb. 29, 2016)
- j. **Tracking minors** (April 4, 2016)
- k. **Committee chair 2016-17** (April 4, 2016; April 11, 2016)
- l. **Responses to APSC from CRWR regarding external review** (April 11, 2016; April 25, 2016; May 2, 2016)
- m. **Report of the All-College Working Group on Civic Engagement** (April 18, 2016)
- n. **Mandatory workshops on issues of diversity and inclusion** (April 18, 2016)

- o. Reauthorization of Political Philosophy position** (April 25, 2016; May 2, 2016)
- p. Pre-health program** (May 2, 2016)
- q. Self-developed major proposal – Ryan Wenzel '17 – approved** (May 2, 2016)

VII. Announcements

- a. Neil told the committee that three faculty were hired over the semester break – one in PSYC and two in INBM** (Jan. 18, 2016)
- b. Neil told the committee that the college would be submitting a proposal for a Mellon grant to provide funding for a faculty position, faculty development and workshops in civic engagement** (Feb. 1, 2016)
- c. Neil explained that a candidate was hired for the ENST/ENSC replacing a faculty member who had resigned** (Feb. 1, 2016)
- d. Neil updated the committee on the hiring of the position in ENGL in post-colonial Anglophone literature** (Feb. 15, 2016)
- e. Neil told the committee that candidates for the ethnomusicology position will be on campus following spring break and a HIST faculty member had resigned leaving a vacancy** (Feb. 29, 2016)
- f. Neil and Brenda updated the committee on student “asks” and proposals that will be coming to APSC from the group** (Feb. 29, 2016)
- g. Neil told the committee that Mellon had received the second version of the Civic Engagement grant proposal and suggested a slightly smaller budget of \$650,000; final decision in June** (Feb. 29, 2016)
- h. Neil told the committee that the MUSC ethnomusicology position was filled and HIST made a one-year post-doc hire from the Consortium for Faculty Diversity** (April 11, 2016)
- i. Neil reported that the college joined the National Center for Faculty Involvement in Diversity** (May 2, 2016)

VIII. Reports and Updates

- a. Subcommittee on Academic Standards Actions Fall 2015** (Feb. 29, 2016)
- b. Update on Grant Activity** (April 18, 2016)
- c. Student Senate** (Feb. 15, 2016; Feb. 22, 2016; Feb 29, 2016; March 28, 2016; April 4, 2016; April 11, 2016; May 2, 2016)
- d. Roll Call Report** (April 4, 2016)
- e. Report on Service-Learning and Community-Based Research** (April 25, 2016)
- f. Report on First-Year Seminar Information Literacy Program** (Feb. 29, 2016)
- g. Report from Damon Yarnell, Advising (including Fall Bridge and Early Alerts)** (May 2, 2016)
- h. Faculty Approved Time Slots** (April 25, 2016)
- i. Update on Internship Notation Program, Spring 2015 through Fall 2015** (April 25, 2016)
- j. Withdrawal Report, Fall 2015** (Feb. 29, 2016)
- k. Faith Park self-developed major progress report** (April 4, 2016)
- l. First-year seminar proposals for Fall 2016** (Feb. 29, 2016)
- m. Report on Learning Communities** (April 25, 2016)

IX. External Departmental Reviews

- a. Discussion of PSYC, HIST, POSC, ENGL, WRP, FLST self-studies** (Jan. 18, 2016)
- b. Discussion of CRWR reviewers’ report** (Feb. 15, 2016)
- c. Discussion of PSYC reviewers’ report** (Feb. 29, 2016)
- d. Discussion of HIST reviewers’ report** (March 7, 2016)
- e. Discussion of POSC reviewers’ report** (March 28, 2016)

- f. Discussion of ECON reviewers' report** (April 4, 2016)
- g. Discussion of WRPG and ENGL reviewers' reports** (April 11, 2016)
- h. Discussion of FLST reviewers' report** (April 25, 2016)
- i. Discussion of CRWR response to APSC** (April 25, 2016)
- i. Discussion of HIST response to APSC** (April 25, 2016)
- j. Discussion of ECON, ENGL and POSC responses to APSC** (May 2, 2016)

X. Unfinished Business

- a. Responses from FLST, PSYC and WRPG**
- b. CRWR continued discussion of curriculum and request to become stand-alone program**
- c. Pre-health program**
- d. Civic engagement**
- e. Cultural competency, workshops on issues of diversity and inclusion**