Crafton Hills College
Curriculum Committee

Monday, November 27, 2017

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1. Approval of Minutes November 13, 2017
2. Action Items

**COURSE MODIFICATIONS**

a. **BUSAD 105 Entrepreneurship and Small Business Management** *(to see course outline go to SEARCH, COURSES in CurricUNET)*
   Originator Kenneth George
   **Rationale:** DE Addition Only
   **Departmental Recommendation:** Eligibility for ENGL 101
   **DE Approval**

b. **BUSAD 200 Business Management** *(to see course outline go to SEARCH, COURSES in CurricUNET)*
   Originator Kenneth George
   **Rationale:** DE addition only
   **Departmental Recommendation:** Successful completion of BUSAD 100
   **DE Approval**

c. **HIST 135/ RELIG 135 Religion in America** *(to see course outline go to SEARCH, COURSES in CurricUNET)*
   Originator T.L. Brink
   **Rationale:** DE addition only
   **Departmental Recommendation:** Eligibility for ENGL 101
   **DE Approval**

d. **PHIL 103 Critical Thinking and Argumentation** *(to see course outline go to SEARCH, COURSES in CurricUNET)*
   Originator Jeff Cervantes
   **Rationale:** Course needs to have more of an emphasis on critical thinking and writing. A new course (soon to be developed) will be devoted to logic. Thus, a course title change is necessary. Units are also being adjusted from 3 to 4. This is more consistent with the course's workload and is in keeping with the precedent set by English 102: Intermediate Composition and Critical Thinking, which is a 4 unit course.
   **Prerequisite:** ENGL 101 or ENGL 101H
   **DE Approval**
NEW COURSES

   e. **MATH 910 Introduction to Probability and Statistics Support** (to see course outline go to SEARCH, COURSES in CurricUNET)*
   
   Originator: Sherri Wilson

   **Need for the Course:** With accelerated course placement, as promoted by the state legislature, there is a need to offer support to the student who has some skill deficiencies needed for success in Statistics. Research has shown that using prerequisite classes is not as effective as teaching the skills as they are needed in the statistics course content. Without this support the student with a weaker mathematics background has a low probability of success in the statistics course.

   **Corequisite:** MATH 110

4. Operational Issues

   Next Meeting: December 11, 2017 2:00 pm – Room CCR 233