U N I V E R S I T Y *of* H O U S T O N

UNDERGRADUATE COUNCIL
Agenda for October 17, 2007
E. Cullen Building, Room 220
3pm – 5pm

TO: Libby Barlow, Betty Barr, Roger Blakeney, Simon Bott, Elaine Charlson, Agnes DeFranco, William Dupré, Mary Elhardt, Luces Faulkenberry, Sarah Fishman, Nancy Graves, Chase Gutierrez, Martha Haun, Jacqueline Hawkins, Natalie Houston, Richard Kasschau, Partha Krishnamurthy, Barbara Lewis, Iain Morrison, William Munson, Charles Peters, Laurence Rapp, Irving Rothman, Barbara Snelling, Maria Soliño, Rebecca Achee Thornton, George Trail, Lawrence Williams, John Zemanek

FROM: Joel Bloom, Chair, Undergraduate Council

DATE: October 11, 2007

I   Call to Order; Minutes for 9/19/07

II   Announcements

A   NOTE: All meetings are held in the President's Boardroom, #220 E. Cullen
Fall 2007 Meetings: 10/17/07, 11/14/07, 12/5/07
Spring 2008 Meetings: 1/23/08, 2/20/08, 3/12/08, 4/16/08, 6/4/08, 7/9/08

B   Undergraduate Council Web Address: http://www.uh.edu/undergraduatecouncil/index.html
Core Curriculum Website Address: http://www.uh.edu/academics/corecurriculum/
Undergraduate Studies Catalog Web Address: http://www.uh.edu/academics/catalog/

C   E-mail listserves:
UNDERGRAD-COUNCIL@LISTSERV.UH.EDU
UC-DEGREE-PROGRAMS@LISTSERV.UH.EDU
UC-POLICIES-PROCEDURES@LISTSERV.UH.EDU
UC-CORE-CURRICULUM@LISTSERV.UH.EDU
UC-NEWS@LISTSERV.UH.EDU (Minutes only)

III   Administration Representatives Reports

IV   PeopleSoft update: Libby Barlow, Interim Registrar
Web address: http://www.uh.edu/peoplesoft/

V   New UH Website: Darcie Champagne, Director of Marketing

VI   Achieving the Dream: Izzy Anderson, Academic Program Management

VII   Committee Reports

A   Academic Policies and Procedures Committee:

UC 9476 07F: Academic Policies and Procedures Committee Report 10/9/07
UC 9335 07F: Political Science Credit by Exam
UC 9357 07F: Pharmacy: Change in math requirement
UC 9359 07F: Mandatory Orientation

Pending:
UC 8857 06S: Scholarship processing issues
UC 9435 07F: Repeated courses as electives
UC 9436 07F: Which courses constitute Formal Sciences
UC 9437 07F: Exclusion of Special Problems or Research Courses as part of 30 Hour Residency
UC 9438 07F: Limit on Correspondence Work and Extension Classes
UC 9439 07F: Transfer of more than 66 hours to UH
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B   Core Curriculum Committee:

UC 9474 07F: Core Curriculum Committee Report 9/26/07
UC 9342 07F: HIST 4371: Latin American History Through Film (new VPA core course)
UC 9346 07F: HIST 2330: Writing in the Discipline of English (new WID core course)

UC 9475 07F: Core Curriculum Committee Report 10/2/07
UC 9368 07F: MUSC 4366: Music in the United States (WID core course)
UC 9383 07F: WCL 2352: World Cinema (new HUM Core course)
UC 9385 07F: WCL 3362: U.S. Caribbean and Central American Latino Literatures (new HUM Core course)
UC 9398 07F: ECON 3332, ECON 3334, ECON 3350 Core category switches
UC 9403 07F: BIOL 3311: Genetics Laboratory (new WID Core course)

Pending:
UC 9442 07F: PHYS 1301: Introductory General Physics I (Nat Sci Core course)
UC 9443 07F: PHYS 1321: University Physics I (Nat Sci Core course)
UC 9444 07F: PHYS 1322: University Physics II (Nat Sci Core course)

C   Degree Programs Committee: reports will be available on the table at the meeting

Pending:
UC 9278 07S: American Humanics Certification degree plan change
UC 9280 07S: Military Science minor name change to Military Leadership
UC 9283 07S: Chemistry degree plan changes
UC 9289 07F: HIST 3363: Pirates and Smugglers in the Modern World (new course)
UC 9291 07F: CHNS 4398: Special Problems in Chinese Studies (new course)
UC 9292 07F: COMM 3342: Health Campaign Evaluation (new course)

UC 9297 07F: BIOE 5369: Computational Fluid Dynamics II (new course)
UC 9298 07F: MECE 5369: Computational Fluid Dynamics II (new course)
UC 9299 07F: NUTR: 4348: Introduction to Nutrition Counseling (new course)
UC 9307 07F: DAN 4308: Dance Pedagogy II (new course)
UC 9314 07F: THEA 4367: Costume Draping (new course)
UC 9316 07F: SPAN 1505: Intensive Elementary Spanish
UC 9317 07F: CHNS 4364: Issues in Chinese Language and Linguistics (new course)
UC 9318 07F: COMM 3303: Health Literacy (new course)
UC 9319 07F: COMM 3304: Multicultural Health Communication (new course)
UC 9320 07F: COMM 3305: Communication and Catastrophic Conditions (new course)
UC 9321 07F: COMM 3340: Health Campaign Principles and Tailored Messages (new course)
UC 9322 07F: COMM 3341: Health Campaigns (new course)
UC 9323 07F: DAN 4307: Dance Pedagogy I
UC 9331 07F: TRDE 3303: Measuring Learning and Performance Outcomes (new course)
UC 9332 07F: TRDE 3310: Introduction to Career Development and Planning (new course)
UC 9333 07F: TRDE 3350: Global Human Resource Development (new course)
UC 9334 07F: Human Resources Development (HRD) (new degree)
UC 9336 07F: COMM 2370: Introduction to Motion Pictures
UC 9337 07F: COMM 3353: Information and Communication Technologies I
UC 9338 07F: COMM 4374: News Media in Contemporary Society
UC 9339 07F: COMM 4381: Digital Cinematography and Narrative Storytelling (new course)
UC 9340 07F: COMM 4353: Information and Communication Technologies II
UC 9341 07F: HIST 4386: Africa Since 1945-Present
UC 9343 07F: HIST 3355: British Empire since 1500 (new course)
UC 9344 07F: HIST 3334: Chicana History (new course)
UC 9345 07F: HIST 3321: US Foreign Policy 1900-Present (new course)
UC 9347 07F: ENGL 3317: The British Novel Before 1832
UC 9348 07F: ENGL 3318: The British Novel since 1832
UC 9349 07F: ENGL 3352: Nineteenth-Century American Fiction
UC 9350 07F: ENGL 3353: Modern American Fiction
UC 9351 07F: ENGL 4373: Film, Text, and Politics
UC 9352 07F: ENGL 4397: Selected Topics in Film, Literature, and Culture (new course)
UC 9353 07F: DAN 2300: Dance Improvisation
UC 9354 07F: THEA 3368: Costume Design for Dance (new course)
UC 9355 07F: THEA 4339: Dramaturgy (new course)
UC 9356 07F: THEA 4360: Theatrical Wig Construction and Styling (new course)
UC 9358 07F: HIST 4368: Food, Drink, and Drugs of Latin America (new course)
UC 9360 07F: Phronesis Politics and Ethics Minor (new minor)
UC 9361 07F: MUSI 3107: Basic Vocal Techniques (new course)
UC 9362 07F: MUSI 3108: Piano for Choral Directors (new course)
UC 9363 07F: MUSI 4212: Instrumentation and Arranging
UC 9364 07F: MUSI 4220: Choral Conducting I
UC 9365 07F: MUSI 4221: Choral Conducting II
UC 9366 07F: MUSI 4343: Materials for children's Choirs Grades 4-12
UC 9367 07F: MUSI 4344: High School Instrumental Administration and Marching Band
                  Techniques
UC 9369 07F: MUSI 4384: Vocal Literature (new course)
UC 9370 07F: MUSI 4230: Instrumental Conducting I
UC 9371 07F: MUSI 4231: Instrumental Conducting II
UC 9372 07F: MUSI 4340: Elementary and Middle School Instrumental Administration
UC 9373 07F: COMD 4384: Overview of Written Language Disorders
UC 9374 07F: CHNS 1209: Chinese Calligraphy (new course)

UC 9375 07F: CHNS 2207: Conversational Chinese I (new course)
UC 9376 07F: CHNS 2308: Conversational Chinese II (new course)
UC 9377 07F: CHNS 3396: Selected Topics (new course)
UC 9378 07F: CHNS 4301: Public Speaking in Chinese (new course)
UC 9379 07F: CHNS 4302: Integrated Chinese (new course)
UC 9380 07F: CHNS 4396: Selected Topics (new course)
UC 9381 07F: FREN 3314: Advanced Grammar and Composition II (new course)
UC 9382 07F: ITAL 4304: Italian Culture in English Translation (new course)
UC 9384 07F: WCL 3352: Latin American and Latino Film Studies (new course)
UC 9386 07F: WCL 4322: Seminar in Scholarly Production (new course)
UC 9387 07F: WCL 4362: Seminar in Latin American and Latino Literatures (new course)
UC 9388 07F: WCL 4381: Seminar in Latin American and Latino Cultural Studies (new course)
UC 9389 07F: WCL 4395: Sexuality in Latino Culture (new course)
UC 9390 07F: WCL 4396: Special Topics in World Cultures and Literature (new course)
UC 9391 07F: ECON 2301: Global Economic Concepts
UC 9392 07F: ECON 2304: Microeconomic Principles
UC 9393 07F: ECON 2305: Macroeconomic Principles
UC 9394 07F: ECON 3358: Economic Development of Latin America (new course)
UC 9395 07F: ECON 4331: Economics of Gender (new course)
UC 9396 07F: ECON 4335: Economic Growth Theory (new course)
UC 9397 07F: Economics Minor requirement change
UC 9399 07F: CHNS 3360: A Look in to Modern China
UC 9400 07F: DAN 3310: Dance History I
UC 9401 07F: DAN 3311: Dance History II
UC 9402 07F: WCL 4379: Critical Theory and Globalization (new course)
UC 9404 07F: BIOL 3345: Plant Physiology
UC 9405 07F: BIOL 4324: Bioinformatics for Biologists (new course)
UC 9406 07F: BIOL 4347: Animal Behavior
UC 9407 07F: BIOL 4366: Molecular Evolution (new course)
UC 9408 07F: BIOL 4367: Evolutionary Ecology (new course)
UC 9409 07F: BCHS 4321: Proteomics and Genomics (new course)
UC 9410 07F: BCHS 4322: Biochemistry of Organelles (new course)
UC 9411 07F: BCHS 4324: Bioinformatics for Biologists (new course)
UC 9412 07F: BA, BS Biology degree program changes
UC 9413 07F: PHIL 3382: Medieval Philosophy (new course)
UC 9414 07F: PSYC 4301: Psychology and the Arts (new course)
UC 9415 07F: PSYC 4302: The Psychology of Humor (new course)
UC 9416 07F: RELS 3315: Rabbinical Biblical Interpretation (new course)
UC 9417 07F: RELS 3370: The Bible and Modern Science (new course)
UC 9418 07F: RELS 3375: Christianity and Ethics (new course)
UC 9419 07F: RELS 3380: Introduction to Asian Religion (new course)
UC 9420 07F: RELS 3385: Buddhism (new course)
UC 9421 07F: RELS 3390: Hinduism and Jainism (new course)
UC 9422 07F: RELS 4320: Religion and Personality (new course)
UC 9423 07F: RELS 4360: Clash of Civilizations (new course)
UC 9424 07F: COMD 4333: Neurogenic Communication Disorders
UC 9425 07F: COMM 3361: Advertising Copywriting
UC 9426 07F: VIST 1300: Introduction to Visual Studies (new course)
UC 9427 07F: VIST 3398: Selected Topics in Visual Studies (new course)
UC 9428 07F: VIST 4300: Senior Project in Visual Studies (new course)
UC 9429 07F: SPAN 2307: Spanish for Hispanic Heritage Learners I

UC 9430 07F: SPAN 4366: History of the Spanish Language (new course)
UC 9431 07F: SPAN 4367: U.S. Hispanics and Language (new course)
UC 9432 07F: SPAN 4374: Teaching Spanish to Heritage Learners (new course)
UC 9433 07F: Sociology Degree Plan changes
UC 9434 07F: BS Environmental Sciences Degree Plan changes
UC 9440 07F: COMM 4382: Advanced Nonlinear Editing
UC 9441 07F: BIOL 4366: Molecular Evolution (new course)
UC 9445 07F: ART 3318: Book Arts (new course)
UC 9446 07F: ART 3321: Perspective Drawing
UC 9447 07F: ART 3328: Rendering and Sketching
UC 9448 07F: ART 3380: Intermedia Seminar (new course)
UC 9449 07F: ART 3381: Intermedia Laboratory (new course)
UC 9450 07F: ART 4198: Independent Study
UC 9451 07F: ART 4298: Independent Study
UC 9452 07F: ART 4306: Advanced Drawing (new course)
UC 9453 07F: ART 4398: Independent Study
UC 9454 07F: ART 4498: Independent Study
UC 9455 07F: ART 4598: Independent Study
UC 9456 07F: ARTH 2384: Baroque Art
UC 9457 07F: ARTH 3301: Critical Theory (new course)
UC 9458 07F: ARTH 3302: Contemporary Art Criticism (new course)
UC 9459 07F: ARTH 3311: Greek Art
UC 9460 07F: ARTH 3313: Roman Art (new course)
UC 9461 07F: ARTH 3317: Ancient Near Eastern Art (new course)
UC 9462 07F: ARTH 3387: American Art I
UC 9463 07F: ARTH 3388: American Art II
UC 9464 07F: ARTH 3394: Selected Topics in Arth History
UC 9465 07F: ARTH 3395: Selected Topics in Critical Theory and Criticism (new course)
UC 9466 07F: ARTH 4394: Selected Topics in Art History
UC 9467 07F: ARTH 4395: Selected Topics in Contemporary Theory and Practice (new course)
UC 9468 07F: IART 3300: Introduction to Interdisciplinary Art (new course)
UC 9469 07F: IART 3395: Selected Topics in Interdisciplinary Arts (new course)
UC 9470 07F: IART 4300: Collaboration Among the Arts (new course)

D   **Ad Hoc Committee on Bylaws: will be available on the table at the meeting**

VIII   Old Business/New Business

IX   Adjournment