

**College of Social Sciences  
Curriculum Committee  
Wednesday, May 9, 2007  
3:00 PM**

**MINUTES**

**Present:** Vásquez, George (Assoc. Dean and Committee Chair); Asquith, David (Sociology); Davis, Kate (Geography); Don, Pat (History); Gerami, Shahin (Social Science); Gonzalez, Roberto (Anthropology); Kauppila, Paul (Library); O'Malley, Rachel (Environmental Studies); Pizarro, Marcos (Mexican American Studies); Todd, Annemarie (Communication Studies); Weinstein, Asha (Urban and Regional Planning); Zia, Asim (Environmental Studies).

**Guest:** Foster, Elissa (Communication Studies); O'Malley, Rachel (Environmental Studies); Taketa, Richard (Geography).

I. **Approval of Minutes, 04/110/7:** m/s/approved unanimously with correction to add Mark McCoy to list of members present and to add Roberto Gonzalez to list of guests.

II. **Geography 178, Geographic Information Systems Project:** m/s/p, unanimously.

III. **Environmental Studies BS: Proposal for Concentration in Environmental Restoration and Natural Resource Management:** m/s/p, unanimously.

IV. **Communication Studies 122, Performing Self and Society:** m/s/p, unanimously.

V. **Communication Studies 280, Independent Studies:** m/s/p, unanimously.

VI. **Communication Studies 196, Performance of Ethnodrama:** m/s/p, unanimously.

VII. **Women's Studies 102: The Global Study of Women:** m/s/p, unanimously.

VIII. **ANNOUNCEMENT:** Assoc. Dean Vásquez reminded the committee of the deadlines for curriculum proposals. Curriculum proposals generally need to be submitted to the committee one year in advance of the proposed course offering. UGS deadlines for permanent course proposals are 9/1 and 2/1, respectively. If necessary, it is conceivable that the committee could be convened very early in the semester in order to meet the respective deadline.