

**Liberal Studies Review Committee**  
**Minutes 2/20/13**

**Present-** Paul Crosbie, Susan Schlievert, Agnes Tuska, Lindsey Fidler, Bob Powell, Kim Morin, Janell Morillo, Susan Macy, Nan Barker

**Guests-** Jessica Choy

**Minutes-** Approved

**Announcements**

LS Conference – 100 people attended, largely from surrounding community colleges. Greg Varela presented on Financing Your Education. Carol Fry-Bohlin, Don Williams, and Nell Papavasiliou presented on STEM education. Diana Dille presented on Career Pathways. Keynote speaker Ken Magdaleno spoke on his experiences with mentoring. The event was originally an articulation conference between LS program and community colleges. This year it was a recruitment effort. Next year Common Core will be an important topic.

Janell will be attending Bi-annual LS coordinator meeting is on March 15<sup>th</sup>.

**Continuing Business**

SOAP and appendices have been submitted to OIE, including the LS matrix, Content Specifications

Assessing outcomes in courses: course evaluations, survey,

Assessment Methods Matrix

Goal 1 Content- Assessed using Multiple Subject CSET subtests 1, 2, and 3. How committee will collect this data will be determined in the future. Students blending their credential with their degree do not need to pass CSET until final student teaching. All currently collected data on CSET is only from students submitting passing scores. E-Portfolio- university will likely implement in fall 2015

Goal 2 Diversity- should be assessed by direct and indirect measures A1 and B3, LS survey and course evaluations.

Goal 3- Pedagogy- Not clear whether field experience is included in each of the courses in which pedagogy is assessed.

Goal 4- Technology- Two courses (CI 100, IAS 108) identified to assess outcomes.

Time Line- Goal 4 will be assessed first. Direct and indirect measures should be identified in each area of time line.

Committee will review QUESTIONS at next meeting and determine how to assess learning outcomes.

Heather- IRA on Engl 117W. Bring FOUR questions (mission?) to next meeting

Meeting adjourned at 11:02