

Community College *of* Philadelphia

MEETING MINUTES
Sub-Committee on Curriculum
April 12, 2012
3:30 PM, Room M2-34

Committee Members Present

Presiding: Dr. S. Thompson

ADMINISTRATION

<i>Appointees</i>	<i>Alternate</i>
M. Celenza	P. Watkins
B. Harrington	

FEDERATION

<i>Delegates</i>
D. Janich
D. Renshaw
J. Tannenbaum

I. Approval of Minutes

The Committee members reviewed the March 1, 2012, minutes; D. Janich motioned to accept the minutes, and M. Celenza seconded the motion. The minutes were unanimously approved.

II. Old Business

There was no old business to discuss.

III. New Business

Discussion: Proposal for Revision of the Associate in Arts in Psychology

Action Item: Melissa St. Pierre, Chair of the Department of Psychology, Education and Human Services and Heidi Braunschweig, faculty member in Psychology, presented the revision. The revision was driven primarily by the standards set by the Pennsylvania Transfer and Articulation Oversight Committee (TAOC). The curricular requirements now include a course in statistical methods and a research course. The faculty felt that the research requirement would best be met by two courses, one in descriptive research and one on experimental methods. To achieve this goal, Psych 110 will be revised and renamed and a new course, Psych 210 will be created. To meet the statistics requirement, a new course has been developed, Psych 167 which will replace a Math course currently in the curriculum.

D. Janich motioned to accept the curriculum revision; D. Renshaw seconded the motion. The Committee unanimously accepted the proposal.

Discussion: Proposal for Revision of the Youth Work Certificate.

Action Item: Melissa St. Pierre explained that this Certificate is also in her department. Pete Watkins presented the revision. He had been the Coordinator of the Certificate program for many years. The current program allows students to choose between CIS 100

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and CIS 103. CIS 100 has been discontinued, so now students will take CIS 103 which meets the College's general education requirements as well.

M. Celenza moved to accept the curriculum revision; B. Harrington seconded. The Committee unanimously accepted the proposal.

IV. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 4:15 PM.