QUEENSBOROUGH COMMUNITY COLLEGE
The City University of New York

ACADEMIC SENATE REPORT
COMMITTEE ON CURRICULUM

TO: Dr. Emily Tai , Chairperson , Academic Senate Steering Committee
FROM: Dr. Philip Pecorino, Chair, Committee on Curriculum
Dr. Marjorie Deutsch, Secretary, Committee on Curriculum
SUBJECT: Committee on Curriculum Annual Report, 2009-2010
DATE: June 15, 2010
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Meetings:
The Committee on Curriculum meets on Tuesday afternoons, from approximately 2.00-3:30 P.M. The committee met 15 times during the 2009-2010 academic year. It concluded all matters on its agenda for the May meeting of the Academic Senate.

Actions
The committee took the following actions all adopted by the Academic Senate during the 2009-2010 academic year.

Veteran Credits
A College Policy now adopted by the Academic Senate: That QCC will grant transfer credit to US military veterans as follows: Upon submission of appropriate documentation, veterans will be waived from health and physical education degree requirements and will be granted one transfer credit as PE540 (Introduction to Physical Fitness). Veterans may receive up to 30 transfer credits based on evaluation of their military transcripts and/or official DSST examination scores. All transfer credit for military service will be based on specific equivalencies, as determined by each academic department chair (or designee), between courses offered at the College and documented experiences on ACE transcripts or from DSST examination scores.

Deletion of Degree Programs
Department of Biological Sciences and Geology:
A.A.S. Medical Laboratory Technology Program

Deletion of Certificate Programs
Department of Mechanical Technology and Design Drafting:
Computerized Manufacturing Technology Certificate Program
Computerized Architectural Design and Drafting (CAD) Certificate Program

Department of Social Sciences:
Infant Toddler Day Care Certification Program

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New Certificate Program
Department of Business:
Accounting/Office Administration Technology-Certificate Program

New Degree Programs
Department of Business:
Dual/ Joint Degree: Queensborough Community College /John Jay College of Criminal Justice
Program A.S. in Accounting and B.S. in Economics : Forensic Financial Analysis

Department of Chemistry:
Dual/ Joint Degree: Queensborough Community College /York College
A.S. in Science for Pharmaceuticals

Department of Biological Sciences and Geology:
Dual/ Joint Degree: Queensborough Community College /York College
A.S. in Biotechnology / B.S. in Biotechnology

Department of Mechanical Engineering and Design Drafting:
Dual/ Joint Degree: Queensborough Community College /NYC College of Technology
A.A.S. in Technology leading to the B.S. in Education: Career and Technical Teacher

Department of Nursing:
Dual/Joint AAS/BS Degree in Nursing: Queensborough Community College and Hunter College

Degree Program Revisions
Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering Technology :
A.A.S. Degree Program Telecommunications Technology : VERIZON

Department of Health, Physical Education, and Dance:
A.A.S Degree Program in Massage Therapy

Department of Mechanical Engineering and Design Drafting: Mechanical Engineering Technology
A.A.S. Degree Program

Department of Nursing:
A.A.S. in Nursing
and Course Repeat Policy Change

NU 101 Repeat Policy (old policy)	NU 101 Repeat Policy (new policy)
Students may repeat only one nursing course (NU-101, NU-102, NU-201 or NU-202) in the Clinical Program, one time only, on a space available basis. This includes students who withdrew from a course after the first day for any reason and students who completed the course	Students may repeat only one nursing course (NU-101, NU-102, NU-201 or NU-202) in the Clinical Program, one time only, on a space available basis. However, a repeat of NU-101 will require an approval from the Nursing Department Appeals Committee. This includes

with a grade below C.	students who withdrew from a course after the first day, for any reason, and students who completed the course with a grade below C.

New Courses
Department of Art and Design
    AR 483   Portfolio Project In Studio Art

Department of Biological Sciences and Geology
    BI 350 Principles of Genetics
    BI 355 Bioinformatics/Computational Biology

Department of Business
    BU 912 Cooperative Education in Business: Accounting/Office Administration Technology

Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering Technology
    ET 270 Introduction to Electronics
    ET 275 Electroninc Communications
    ET 741 Telecommunications Technology 1
    ET 742 Telecommunications Technology 2
    ET 743 Telecommunications Technology 3
    ET 744 Telecommunications Technology 4

Department of FOREIGN LANGUAGES and LITERATURE (2 Courses)
    LA-111 Elementary Arabic I .
    LC-321 Business Chinese I

Department of Health, Physical Education, and Dance:
    A.A.S Degree Program in Massage Therapy
        HA-206 Pregnancy Massage
        HA-207 Hospital-Based Massage
        HA-208 Sports Massage
        HA-209 Thai Massage

Department of History
    HI-118 Ancient Greek History

Department of Mechanical Engineering Technology and Design Drafting
    MT-293 Parametric Computer Aided Design

Department of Music
    MU 471, MU 472, MU 473, MU 474 - Percussion Ensemble
    MU-481, 482, 483, 484 Chamber Improvisation Ensemble

Department of Nursing
    NU-204 Nursing and Societal Forces

Department of Physics
    PH-450 Introduction to Physics Research
    PH-900 Research Projects

New Courses--- Formerly Experimental
Department of Biological Sciences and Geology
      BI 115   Introduction to Biology for Science Majors

New Courses--- Experimental
Department of Speech and Theatre
      TH-134 Stage Makeup

Revisions in Courses
Department of Art and Design
      AR-474 Digital Photography
      AR-480 Special Problems in Studio Art
      AR-481 Special Problems in Studio Art

Department of Biological Sciences and Geology
      BI-453 Biotechnology

Department of Business
      BU-909   Cooperative Education in Business: Office
                 Administration and Technology
      BU-910   Cooperative Education in Business: Management
      BU-911   Cooperative Education in Business: Computer
                 Information Systems
      BU-912   Cooperative Education in Business: Accounting/Office
                 Administration Technology
      BU-111 (Computer Applications in Accounting)

Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering Technology
      ET-560 Microprocessors and Microcomputers†
      ET-350 Computer Control Systems
      ET-420 Computer Project

Department of Foreign Languages and Literature
      LC-122 Mandarin for Students of Chinese Heritage II

Department of Mathematics and Computer Science
      MA-128   Calculus for Technical and Business
      MA-315 Topics in Mathematics
      MA-336 Computer-Assisted Statistics

Department of Nursing
      NU 101 Safe and Effective Nursing Care of Clients Level I
      NU 102 Safe and Effective Nursing Care of Clients Level II
      NU 201 Safe and Effective Nursing Care of Clients Level III
      NU 202 Safe and Effective Nursing Care of Clients Level IV

Department of Social Sciences
      SS-645 Computers and Ethics

SS901, 902, 911 Urban Studies Internship Program
SS901 - 3 Credits, requires 135 hours at internship site
SS902 – 3 Credits, requires 135 hours at internship site
SS911 – 6 Credits, requires 270 hours at internship site

Committee Procedures and Protocols:

The committee voted to require as part of the process of submitting items for the consideration of the committee that those submitting proposals related to programs and courses provide a statement indicating when the Academic Department(s) approved of the proposal.

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