Educational Policies Committee Program Proposal, Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services, March 26, 2009

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AGENDA

MEETING OF THE
UTAH STATE BOARD OF REGENTS
TO BE HELD AT THE
RUSSELL C. TAYLOR HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
1526 MEDICAL CENTER DRIVE
DIXIE STATE COLLEGE
ST. GEORGE, UTAH

MARCH 26 – 27, 2009
Over the past three years the Writing program has made an effort to foster diversity in the following ways:
1. Advertising for new faculty positions in venues that would attract diversity candidates;
2. Incorporating diversity issues into the curriculum;
3. Service to the University involving working directly with organizations that provide support to under-represented students; most recently a faculty member received a grant from the International Writing Center Association to establish a Writing Center satellite at the American Indian Resource Center
4. Involvement on the College of Humanities Diversity Committee;
5. Recruitment of graduate students of ethnic and gender diversity;
6. Plans to bring in a visiting professor who could teach courses regarding issues of diversity and Writing;
7. Appointment of administrators that reflect gender diversity.

Over the next five years, the Writing Program intends to increase diversity by taking the following actions:
1. Working with the departments of English, Communication and the College of Education to help recruit graduate students of ethnic and gender diversity;
2. Creation of a diversity committee to monitor the progress of diversity in the program and suggest further avenues for increasing diversity;
3. Once it is established, work to expand the Writing Center satellite at the American Indian Resource Center and increase support to students.
4. Continuation and expansion of all of the valuable activities undertaken during the past three years.

C. Utah State University – Name Change: PhD in Family and Human Development from Family, Consumer, and Human Development

Request: The Department of Family, Consumer, and Human Development in the Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services at Utah State University requests a change in the name of the PhD degree offered by the Department. It is proposed that the name be changed from a PhD in Family, Consumer, and Human Development to a PhD in Family and Human Development. This change will not affect any instructional activities. All requirements for the degree will stay the same. This name change will more accurately describe the content and focus of the degree.

Need: When the College of Family Life at USU was dissolved in June 2002, and faculty from the dissolved Department of Human Environments joined the faculty of the Department of Family and Human Development, the name of the department was changed to Family, Consumer, and Human Development. The name of the PhD that had been in the College of Family Life was subsequently changed to Family, Consumer, and Human Development as well. Since the restructuring in June 2002, the department has had only one student complete a PhD in the Consumer Science area, and that student was already in process at the time of the reorganization. Despite efforts to recruit students to the Consumer Science area, the department has had only one student apply and be admitted during the past six years. By contrast, the Human Development and Family Relations emphases in the PhD have had two to four admissions per year. There is not a critical mass of faculty or students to continue to offer the emphasis in Consumer Science at the PhD level. The emphasis in Consumer Science will continue at the master's level however.

Institutional Impact: This proposed change will not affect enrollments in this degree, nor will it affect any affiliated departments or programs. It will have no effect on existing administrative structures or on existing faculty or staff. No new facilities or equipment will be required.
Finances: No new costs or savings are anticipated from this change.

D. College of Eastern Utah

i. Program Review: Art Department


Reviewers
- Dr. Brian Christensen, Associate Professor of Art, Brigham Young University
- Cliff Bergera & Anthony Lott, CEU Art Department
- David Cassidy, CEU Business Department

Program Description: The College of Eastern Utah (CEU) Art Department consists of three full-time faculty in Price and one in San Juan. In addition, the Price department relies on several adjunct instructors who teach courses in ceramics, 3D art, and photography. The department offers one Fine Arts General Education course, ART 1010 Introduction to the Visual Arts. In addition, CEU regularly offers courses in drawing, painting, printmaking, ceramics, 3D design, and photography. Some of these courses are designed primarily for Art majors, and other courses are typically filled with community members who are art hobbyists. CEU offers a Certificate of Completion and Associate of Applied Science degree in Graphic Arts. The department also maintains Gallery East on the Price campus.

Faculty & Staff

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Current data on market demand or the utility of the degree, how the program accommodates the market, and hiring patterns including local, state, and national trends: CEU’s Art Department offers a series of courses designed for Visual Arts students who wish to transfer to baccalaureate programs elsewhere. The only stand-alone degrees/certificates offered by this department are the Certificate of Completion and Associate of Applied Science degree in Graphic Arts. CEU’s Graphic Arts curriculum prepares students for employment in a variety of industries including: advertising, illustration, commercial printing, desktop publishing, multimedia design, 3D animation, and corporate publications.

According to the Utah Department of Workforce Services the Occupational Employment Projections for 2006-16 are as follows: