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2011-2012 Annual Report of the Committee on Educational Policy

In fulfilling its charge as established in the by-laws of the Berkeley Division of the Academic Senate, the Committee on Educational Policy (CEP) carried out the following activities. The chair of CEP during 2011-2012 was Professor Tom Goldstein (Media Studies, Journalism).

Note: items are listed chronologically in each section. Dates in parentheses, unless otherwise noted, indicate the date of committee correspondence about the item of business.

I. Reports Submitted Regarding Academic Program Reviews

- East Asian Languages and Culture
  Comments forwarded to Division Chair Jacobsen (September 30, 2011)

- Nuclear Engineering
  Comments forwarded to Division Chair Jacobsen (October 19, 2011)

- Chemistry
  Comments forwarded to Division Chair Jacobsen (November 1, 2011)

- Cognitive Science Interdisciplinary Group Major
  Comments forwarded to Undergraduate and Interdisciplinary Studies Dean Tyler Stovall (December 19, 2011)

- Landscape Architecture and Environmental Planning
  Comments forwarded to Division Chair Jacobsen (February 15, 2012)

- Environmental Science, Policy and Management
  Comments forwarded to Division Chair Jacobsen (March 5, 2012)

- Molecular and Cell Biology
  Comments forwarded to Division Chair Jacobsen (April 19, 2012)

- Peace and Conflict Studies Interdisciplinary Group Major
  Comments forwarded to Chair Dru Dougherty, Executive Committee of the College of Letters and Science (May 14, 2012)

II. Finished Business

A. Completed with Written Comment
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- Proposal for a Self-Supporting, Part-Time Master of Engineering Degree Program
  *Comments forwarded to Division Chair Jacobsen (October 4, 2011)*

- Proposed Energy Engineering Major
  *Comments forwarded to Division Chair Jacobsen (November 1, 2011)*

- BOARS Transfer Admission Proposal – Targeted Review
  *Comments forwarded to Division Chair Jacobsen (November 17, 2011)*

- Proposed Amendments to SR 610
  *Comments forwarded to Division Chair Jacobsen (November 17, 2011)*

- Grad Student Bill of Rights
  *Comments forwarded to Division Chair Jacobsen (November 17, 2011)*

- Proposal for M.Eng. Degree Program for Bioengineering
  *Comments forwarded to Division Chair Jacobsen (November 17, 2011)*

- Proposed Master of Translational Medicine Degree Program
  *Comments forwarded to Division Chair Jacobsen (February 9, 2012)*

- Proposed Research in Cognition and Mathematics Education Certificate Program
  *Comments forwarded to Division Chair Jacobsen (February 9, 2012)*

- Proposal for MAS in Integrated Circuits Online
  *Comments forwarded to Division Chair Jacobsen (February 9, 2012)*

- International Strategy Task Force Report
  *Comments forwarded to Division Chair Jacobsen (March 28, 2012)*

- BOARS Transfer Proposal
  *Comments forwarded to Division Chair Jacobsen (April 11, 2012)*

- UGIS Academic Review Updated Procedures
  *Comments forwarded to Chair Dru Dougherty, Executive Committee of the College of Letters and Science (April 24, 2012)*

B. Completed without Written Comment
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- Re-Imagining Undergraduate Education at UC Berkeley
  Executive Dean Mark Richards, Dean Anthony Cascaridi, Chair Ignacio Navarrete, and Professor Linda Rugg attended several CEP meetings to discuss proposed changes to the undergraduate curriculum at the College of Letters and Science. The CEP Chair will serve on the Steering Committee.

- UC Berkeley Extension Activities
  UC Berkeley Extension Dean Diana Wu attended a CEP meeting to provide an update on Extension projects.

- UCEP/BOARS Responses to the UCOE Proposal

- CEP Representation on Academic Senate and Academic Senate/Administration Joint Committees and Ad Hoc Groups
  
  *See Appendix A for a list of committees and ad hoc groups on which CEP members sat.*

III. Unfinished Business

- COCI Letter on the Concentration of Online Courses
APPENDIX A: COMMITTEES AND AD HOC GROUPS WITH CEP REPRESENTATION

The 2011-2012 membership of CEP undertook the following service on behalf of the Committee.

- Chair Tom Goldstein (Journalism / Media Studies)
  - Divisional Council
  - Program Review Oversight Committee
  - Chancellor’s Lunch Group
  - Re-Imagining Undergraduate Education Steering Committee
  - Space Allocation and Capital Improvements
  - On-line Course Evaluations Steering Committee
  - French Review

- Professor Dennis Baldocchi (Environmental Science, Policy, and Management)
  - Physics Review

- Professor Mitch Breitwieser (English)
  - French Review

- Professor Richard Kern (French)
  - Student Abroad Advisory Board
  - Advising Council

- Professor Stanley Klein (Optometry)
  - Peace and Conflict Studies Review

- Professor James Lincoln (Haas School of Business)
  - UC Extension Task Force
  - Environmental Science, Policy, and Management Review
  - Task Force on Demonstrations and Student Actions

- Professor James Powell (Economics)

- Professor Richard Norgaard (Energy and Resources Group)
  - Landscape Architecture Review
Approved

• Professor Sophia Rabe-Hesketh (Education)
  ‣ Social Welfare Review

• Professor Clayton Radke (Chemical Engineering)
  ‣ Chemistry Review

• Professor Karin Sanders (Scandinavian)
  ‣ Slavic Languages and Literature Review

• Professor Nicholas Sitar (Civil and Environmental Engineering)
  ‣ University Committee on Educational Policy
  ‣ Nuclear Engineering Review
  ‣ Peace and Conflict Studies Review

• Professor Benson Tongue (Mechanical Engineering)
  ‣ Coordination Board for Admissions, Financial Aid, and Enrollment Management
  ‣ East Asian Languages and Cultures Review
  ‣ Molecular and Cell Biology Review