Minutes of the Meeting of the Committee on Academic Policy and Planning Monday, September 19, 2011, 4:00 5:10 p.m.

Present: Rich Cameron (Chair), David Harvey (VPAA), Mark McCoy (Dean, SOM), Joan Bemenderfer, Marnie McInnes, Nicole Brockmann, Tim Good, Alex Puga, Fred Soster (Recorder).

- 1. Chair reminded committee members of the requirements for writing the minutes.
- 2. Minutes from the previous meeting were approved.
- 3. We discussed wording in the catalog related to the Senior Capstone. David Harvey will bring the issue up at the Department Chairs meeting.
- 4. We discussed the report from the Faculty Committee on Admissions and the future options for faculty input to the admissions process. We decided that a committee was not needed. The VPAFA will be asked to report to CAPP once each semester.
- 5. We discussed oversight of the W Program. We decided that the W Committee shall have one member of the FYS Committee.
- 6. We had a general discussion about the Winter Term Task Force Report. We will invite the Winter Term Task Force to meet with us at a future meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Frederick M. Soster

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- 1. Alex Puga will represent CAPP on the Hartman Steering Committee for 2011-12.
- 2. The DePauw is doing a story on the RAS process. Rich will meet with the reporters.
- Tim Good will submit the Admission Committee report before our next meeting.

4. New Writing Program:

- us through the development of our new program. We also encourage Mike Sinowitz to continue corresponding with Dickinson College, which has made writing program changes guite similar to ours.
- b. Rich, Fred, and Marnie, as part of the writing intensive FYS pilot, will report to CAPP on the progress of the pilot program this year.
- c. Mark McCoy will discuss the relationship of the SOM to the new writing program.
- goes into effect.
- e. Departments will need to come up with catalog language about writing requirements for majors at the junior and senior level.
- f. Some sections of English 120 and 130 will continue to be offered, but how many is up to the English department.

4. S Program:

S is checking with departments and S liaisons as it prepares a proposal for CAPP. The proposal may recommend a second required S course in the sophomore year.

5. Winter Term:

We discussed the main recommendations of the WT Task Force Report, which have to do with