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Transfer Major Steering Committee

January 30th, 2023

10:00 am – 11:00 am

Zoom

Members:

NICC – Jeff Murphy

NIACC – Joe Davis

ILCC – Erin Latona

NWCC – John Hartog (Leah Murphy)

ICCC – Jennifer Condon

IVCCD – Robin Lilienthal

HCC – Catharine Freeman & Robin Galloway (Troy Moran)

IHCC – Don Waltenberger and Noah Eklund

Iowa – Tom Paulsen & Jennifer Timmons

UNI – Paul Sapp

Regents – Rachel Boon

EICC – Jeremy Pickard

KCC – Brooke Strahn-Koller & Jon Buse

DMACC – Scott Schultz

WITCC – Darin Moeller

IWCC – Jenny Kruger

SWCC – John Franklin

SCC – Derreck Calkins

ISU – Diane Bengtson & Susie DeMoss

IDOE – Heather M., Kelly F., Amy G.

AGENDA - TOPICS

TMSC Topics (Various)

- Introduce new members to TMSC
- Reminder DF Change Requests to Current Discipline Frameworks
 - https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe_BKq5cxbBdXTvL_KcywumhRdjfT_iLIATco-k6BSd8l7jpQ/viewform?usp=sf_link
- TM Google site:
 - <https://sites.google.com/iowa.gov/transfer-majors>
 - This site was recently reorganized so that the documents with the advising notes are also prominently displayed for each transfer major

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Transfer Majors at College/Regional Universities

- Grand View University
 - These are signed and in Google site
- Other Updates/Articulations
 - Luther College (NICC)
 - Jeff Murphy met with Luther College in the fall but has not heard back from them.
 - Graceland University (Kinesiology Transfer Major) (SWCC)
 - John Franklin will send the form to me for approval and review at the next TMSC.
 - Briar Cliff (WITCC)
 - Wartburg
 - Joe Davis spoke with Wartburg a few weeks ago and they will get back to him.

Transfer Major Updates

- Music Transfer Major Update (Kelly Friesleben)
 - Met in December to reconvene group
 - Music Theory still needs some work on the articulations; still a mis-understanding about how theory diagnostic exam would be handled
 - [https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1jjYShMS6XsIDt94DIXjBMAfK2xRtQgDY?usp=share link](https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1jjYShMS6XsIDt94DIXjBMAfK2xRtQgDY?usp=share_link)
 - Kelly is trying to get a meeting with the three Regent representatives to get more details on various course articulations.
 - It is possible that a transfer major isn't the best option for music transfer due to the many requirements of the program:
 - DMACC frequently advises music transfer students with the AGS degree.
 - Kirkwood has a new AAA in Music and is currently working with UNI on a transfer articulation agreement. Kirkwood is also the first community college music program to obtain NASM accreditation. The Regent institutions all are NASM accredited and have mentioned that transfer would be easier with NASM accredited programs.
 - Both DMACC and Kirkwood have shared their degree program information for consideration as additional course articulation conversations move forward.
- Graphic Design and Graphic Communications/Technology

- Both groups met on January 19
- Need volunteers to be TMSC liaisons for these groups
- Graphic Design (ISU)
 - Working on determining courses for discipline framework
 - Will be looking at course descriptions/objectives for the community colleges and for ISU courses
 - Next meeting: Monday, February 27 at 3 pm
 - Erin Latona agreed to be the TMSC Liaison for this group
- Graphic Communications/Technology
 - Discipline framework is almost completed
 - UNI is confirming which community college courses will transfer into the program
 - Next meeting: Monday, February 27 at 9 am
 - Jennifer Condon agreed to be the TMSC Liaison for this group
- Digital Media (UNI)
 - Draft of framework
 - https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1zdiuSVM8yvfg581PD9F3B3RrL_ihLOFe/edit?usp=sharing&oid=111214614427605834206&rtpof=true&sd=true
 - Waiting to hear back from UNI re: Diversity and the Media course

Review Process for Existing Transfer Major Program Review Elements

- [Results of TM Survey](#)
- Additional ISU updates to Criminal Justice and Sociology Transfer Majors (send by Diane Bengston on 1-26-2023):
 - Criminal Justice
 - Department code is now CJ instead of CJ ST
 - POL S 215 is now POL S 111
 - Can remove the notes from Criminology and put CJ 242 as the ISU course in the 4-year course column
 - Sociology
 - POL S 215 is now POL S 111
- Kelly has been talking with advisors/student services
 - Suggested compiling all advising notes in one document? Summer project? It would be nice to see all articulations in one document

- Colleges struggle sharing the files because there are so many - a single file might help with communication
- Kelly is willing to come to campuses
- Might want to reconvene Criminal Justice group to look at discipline framework
 - Heather will ask CAOs for names
 - Criminal Justice group meets once a semester - need to find out more information about this group (Jennifer Condon will find out more)
 - EICC - Jason Elswick, 309-299-1337, jelswick@eicc.edu
- Consider having a wrap-up annual meeting that is open to others? or webinars?
- Heather will update courses for ISU in these transfer majors

- Send another survey in Spring?
 - Business and 3 x Educations
 - Biology and Psychology for Fall 2023
- Heather will put together survey and send it out.

Additional Desired Disciplines Needed

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Other Topics for Future Discussion

Joe Davis - Motion to adjourn
Jennifer Condon - Second