Members present: Chen, Harmon, Hepler, Hunt, Kastantin, Sieck, Wilkie
Members absent: Comee
Members excused: Angell, Eide
Consultants present: Abhold, Bakkum, Jax, Rahn, Simpson, Skobic
Guests: Jeff Baggett, Rebecca Ledocq, Penny Tiedt, Steve Senger, Courtney Pearson

NOTE: Proposals with links are approved through the new Curriculum Inventory Management system (CIM). All faculty and staff have access to CIM through the Records and Registration page, www.uwlax.edu/records/curriculum-resources. Login using UWL username and password. Firefox/Mozilla is the preferred browser for CIM. Using another browser may force you to login to CIM multiple times.

Proposals without links are approved through paper format. After this semester, UCC will no longer accept LX forms. All curriculum change will be done through CIM.

I. Approval of December 2, 2014, minutes.

M/S/P to approve minutes.

II. First Readings:

A. Modern Languages

1. TSL 550 – course revision; title change; course description and prerequisite change; credit change from 1-12 to 1-3; slash course with 450; effective Fall 2015.
2. TSL 563 – course revision; course description and prerequisite change; slash course with 463; effective Fall 2015.

Held for a second read.

B. Computer Science

1. CS 572 – new course; title “Internet of Things;” 3 credits; slash course with 472; effective Summer 2015.
2. CS 575 – new course; title “Computer Graphics and Modeling;” 3 credits; slash course with 475; effective Summer 2015.
3. CS 576 – new course; title “Data Visualization;” 3 credits; slash course with 476; effective Summer 2015.

M/S/P to approve on first reading.

C. Data Science

1. Master of Science in Data Science – new program; 36 credits; collaborative program with UW-System Extension and six UW campuses (Eau Claire, Green Bay, La Crosse, Oshkosh, Stevens Point, and Superior); effective Summer 2015.
2. DS 700 – new course; title “Foundations of Data Science;” 3 credits; effective Fall 2015.
3. DS 705 – new course; title “Statistical Methods;” 3 credits; effective Fall 2015.
4. DS 710 – new course; title “Programming for Data Science;” 3 credits; effective Fall 2015.
5. DS 715 – new course; title “Data Warehousing;” 3 credits; effective Fall 2015.
7. **DS 735** – new course; title “Communicating about Data;” 3 credits; effective Fall 2015.
8. **DS 740** – new course; title “Data Mining;” 3 credits; effective Fall 2015.
9. **DS 745** – new course; title “Visualization and Unstructured Data Analysis;” 3 credits; effective Fall 2015.
10. **DS 760** – new course; title “Ethics of Data Science;” 3 credits; effective Fall 2015.
11. **DS 775** – new course; title “Prescriptive Analytics;” 3 credits; effective Fall 2015.
12. **DS 780** – new course; title “Data Science and Strategic Decision Making;” 3 credits; effective Fall 2015.
13. **DS 785** – new course; title “Capstone;” 3 credits; effective Fall 2015.

M/S/P to approve on first reading.

III. Consent Item: None

IV. Information Item: None

V. Old Business: None

VI. New Business:

A. *Procedure* - Records and Registration requests clarification on what types of changes the committee would like to see and what can be changed without GCC approval (e.g. the old 139 form, how and when offered).

The committee decided to leave the procedure as is, with Records and Registration bringing proposals to the committee chair on an ad hoc basis to decide if it should be a consent item. If the UCC decides to make changes to the procedure, GCC will revisit the issue at that time.

B. *Umbrella courses versus Topic courses* – Records and Registration requests clarification on the definitions for these types of courses.

VII. Future Business: None

Meeting adjourned: 4:47 pm