CSU Channel Islands Curriculum Committee Meeting Minutes September 6, 2005

Attendees: Nancy Mozingo Virgil Adams Liz King

Steve Stratton Bill Cordeiro Kathy Musashi

Absent: Lillian Castaneda

Guests: Joan Karp for Lillian Castaneda

- 1. **BA Performing Arts Presentation.** Jacque Kilpatrick and Bob Mayberry addressed the history of the Performing Arts program and explained the three year roll out beginning in fall 2006. Jacque explained the rationale of a hiring request for two full time faculty.
- 2. **BA Performing Arts: Approved Short Form with Concerns**. The Committee approved the BA Performing Arts Short Form with the following concerns:
 - Facilities: The ability of the campus to adequately provide an effective learning environment.
 - Too many courses per suggested Emphasis: Committee recommends reducing course offerings in each Emphasis. The Committee is concerned over not having enough students to efficiently offer each Emphasis.

These concerns were based on the current CSU FTE enrollments in Dance/Dance Performance of 450, Music of 3500 and Theatre Arts of 2500. After the meeting, Ted Lucas told Bill Cordeiro that he envisioned the roll out of Music and Theater in the first two years and then Dance in the third year. He also promised to assist in the preparation of the course proposals for Music.

- 3. **Organization of Committee**. Paul Rivera, Chair of the General Education Committee, will attend the meetings as required. Steve Lefevre may attend the meetings to stay abreast of programs in process. Joan Karp or another education representative will attend until Lillian Castaneda returns. The Committee did not recognize the need for the University Registrar to attend the committee meetings.
- 4. Approval Process for CEU and Non-Credit Courses and Non-Credit Certificate Policy: Approved with Amendments.

The Committee approved both items with the addition of a review by the Chair of the Curriculum Committee for both the approval of CEU and professional development courses and the approval of non-credit courses.

5. **Review of Pending Items**.

Kathy will obtain an update from Bob Mayberry on the Learning Objectives for University Writing Requirements and Language and Multicultural Requirements.

The Prefix issue was eliminated from the list.

6. **Timeline for BA Early Childhood Studies**. Joan Karp expressed concern over the timeline to roll out the program. The Curriculum Committee agreed to process it as soon as it was available.