

CSU Channel Islands
Curriculum Committee Meeting Minutes
March 2, 2009 – Sage Hall, Rm 2030
9:30am to 11:00am

Attendees:	Mary Adler Betsy Quintero Janet Rizzoli	Andrew Morris Kathy Musashi Phil Hampton	Ellie Tayag Colleen Delaney-Rivera
Absent:	Jeanne Grier	Andrea Grove	
Guests:	Ashish Vaidya		

1. **Minutes.** Approved as submitted.
2. **Student Petitions for Exceptions.** None to review.
3. **Course and Program Reviews**

The following courses, programs or items were approved as submitted:

The following courses or programs were approved with changes:

4. Visit from the Dean of Faculty. Ashish Vaidya requested to meet with the Curriculum Committee to discuss his rationale for making changes to the following programs:
 - Computer Science
 - Chicana/o Studies
 - Political Science

In light of the current enrollment limitations and particular CSU initiatives pertaining to degree limits, he made certain decisions that over-rode the decisions of the Curriculum Committee at this time, and explained his reasoning for amending program and course proposals . Discussion took place regarding the role of the Curriculum Committee in these budgetary times. After some discussion, it was determined that the resource considerations remain the purview of the Dean. The Committee will, however, continue to collect and inquire about resource issues that are collected on the various forms.

5. **GE and Curriculum Meeting.** A joint cooperative meeting will be schedule by Kathy to discuss UDIGE March 16th. Janet Rizzoli agreed to disseminate the UDIGE information Phil requested.
6. **Next meeting:** March 16, 2009.