

CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MINUTES Thursday, August 19, 2021

Present: Donna Oberembt, Chair; Tim Hay, Paul Maffeo, Jan Reha, Laina Reeves, Andrea Smith-Clarke, Anne Repass, Claudia Lawrey, Sandi Medendorp, Judy Beal, Chris Steele, Georgann Lennon

I. Minutes: The Minutes of July 15, 2021 were approved as submitted.

II. Administration

1. Fall Quarter enrollment is open. 37 classes are being offered. Sandi sent out the announcement that registration is open to the database. Hoping to fill ALL classes. Currently 317 enrollees (up from 243 on 7/27); 12 fully filled (up from 8 on 7/27); 7 classes need 3 or less to fill; 4 classes have no enrollments;
2. Winter Quarter proposals deadline was 8/15/21.
3. Curriculum Committee meetings to proceed on ZOOM now and in the future.

III. Info

1. Now booking speakers for December and March seminars. Seminar calendars sent out with agenda.
2. Taste of Telos seminars scheduled for 9/7, 9/9, 9/14 and 9/15; still need instructors to fill some slots on 9/7 and 9/15.
 - a. Jan to call Cynthia Smith, Kristine Busch;
 - b. Sandi to email Cindy Xie, Fred Poyner
3. Save the dates for Upcoming September seminars

Upcoming Seminars

9/7	M	Fall Instructors	TSO Taste of TELOS for Fall	Donna	

9/8	Th	Robin Shapiro	The ABC's of an Effective Doctor Visit	Donna	\$200
9/9	W	Fall Instructors	TSO Taste of TELOS for Fall	Jan	
9/13	Th	Kate Greenquist	Advanced Care Planning	Donna	None
9/14	M	Fall Instructors	TSO Taste of TELOS for Fall	Sandi	
9/15	T	Fall Instructors	TSO Taste of TELOS for Fall	Jan	
9/21	M	Colleen Drinkard	Hanford Site Overview	Chuck	None
9/22	T	Kate Casey	Mindfulness in the Post Pandemic World	Andrea	\$200
9/23	Th	Susan Jane Brown	How Negotiation Works in Timber Wars	Chuck	None
9/28	T	Ted Watts	CO2 and Methane—It's Worse than We Think	Steve	None
9/29	W	David Aucsmith	Cyper and Science	Arnie	None
9/30	Th	Brier Dudley	The Free Press Initiative	Tim	None
12/1	W	Winter Instructors	Taste of Telos	Donna, Jan, Sandy	None
12/2	Th	Winter Instructors	Taste of Telos	Donna, Jan, Sandy	None
12/6	M	David Bisom	Landscape Architecture	Andrea	\$200
12/7	T	Winter Instructors	Taste of Telos	Donna, Jan, Sandy	
12/8	W	David Turner	My Favorite Things at SAM — With Kids	Andrea	\$200
12/9	Th	Winter Instructors	Taste of Telos	Donna, Jan, Sandy	None
12/13	M	Winter Instructors	Taste of Telos	Donna, Jan, Sandy	None
12/14	T	Andrea Smith-Clarke	Imogen Cunningham Retrospective	TBD	\$200

12/15	W	Pat Roome	Planning Your Vegetable Garden	Donna	\$200
12/16	Th	Connie Sidles	Seagulls	Donna	\$200
12/21	T	Professor James Lin	Between a Rock and a Hard Place: Taiwan's Global (Re)Emergence Amidst US-China Tensions with Prof. James Lin	Donna	\$200
12/22	W	Carla Barnes	China in Latin American—an example of China's Belt and Road Policy	Sandi	???

IV. Possible Future Classes/Seminars

Assigned to	Topic	Speaker	Notes
Andrea	The Short Story	Donnie Wilburn	December/March
Andrea	Seattle Audubon—Birding issues	Neil and Carleen Zimmerman	December/March
Anne	Purdy Women--Freedom of Information--PLU		WA Women's Foundation \$500 grants
Anne	Frye Art Museum Virtual Tour		
Arnie	Bellevue Urban Garden		
Arnie	Gardening--WSU Extension		
Arnie	Bellevue Police Department		
Chris	Energy Class	Rick Bodlaender	
Claudia	Campus Safety		Defer to when we return to North campus
Claudia	Business Sustainability	Mollie Ray	December or March

Chris	3-D Printing	Eric Zocher	to be demonstrated when in person seminars are permitted
Chris	Archeological Dig in Redmond	Alexa Nunoz	December/January
	WW II Memoir & Mysteries	Ilene Birkwood	
Chuck	Jackson School of International Studies		
Chuck	Washington State Legislature		
Chuck	Dept of Children, Youth, & Families	Ross Hunter	
Chuck	Child Care	Suzan DelBene	
Chuck	Burke Museum Virtual Tour		
Donna	Growing Groceries	Gary Schneider	
Donna	Flickr Photo Editing	Ray Pfortner	Winter Quarter??
Donna	Decluttering	Sandy Hare	Winter Quarter
Donna	The Science of Giant Earthquakes and Tsunamis: What We Know and What We Don't	Professor Harold Tobin	December/March
Georgann	Music ---Jazz TBD	Alex Dugdale	December/March
Georgann	Bonsai Revisited	Bruce Williams	March
Georgann	Turtles??	Sheldon Plentovich	March/June
Georgann	Bellevue Demonstration Garden		March??
Jan	Social and emotional aspects of current environment	Stew and Jan	
Jan	Insurance for Coal Mines	Bill Moody	in-person
Jan	Facebook and Google Data Use		

Jan	Kirkland Performance Center		
Jan	Fracturing U.S. History Narratives	Nathan Roberts	Winter Quarter
Jan	Survey of Jazz	Brent Jensen	Winter Quarter
Jan	Climate Change— Evidence, Effect and Actions	Fran Soloman	Winter Quarter
Jan	James A. Starkey Jr.	We are Still Here: Looking Through Indigenous Eyes	Winter Quarter
Jerry H	A Comprehensive Overview of Wildland Fire Suppression 1919 to Gigafire of 2020	Bill Moody	in-person
Jerry H	The Great Fires of 1919	Bill Moody	in-person
Jerry H	History of the US Forest Service Smoke Jumper Program	Bill Moody	in-person
Jerry H	History of the Aerial Firefighting Airtanker and Helicopter Programs 1857-2020	Bill Moody	in-person
Jerry H	The VLAT's--DC-10 and Boeing 747 Airtankers 2004-2020	Bill Moody	in-person
Jerry H	The Air Attack Mission	Bill Moody	in-person
Jerry H	The Carlton Complex Conflagration 2014	Bill Moody	in-person
Jerry H	A wildland fire related topic(s) of interest	Bill Moody	in-person
Jim	Folk Years Music-- Guthrie, Peter, Paul, & Mary	WSU Instructor	
Joe	Physics Seminar	Oscar Vilches	in-person
Joe	Geology I	Jon Koloski	in-person
Joe	Gold Prospecting in Alaska	Jim Miller	in-person

Joe	Oil and Gas Pipelines	Jon Koloski	in-person
Joe	Panama Canal Expansion	Jon Koloski	in-person
John	Traffic Safety in Bellevue--Green Bikes	Franz Lusanherz or Andreas	
John	Doctors Without Borders	Talia Cowen	
John	How Pirates Overthrew the British Establishment	John	
Marty	Influence the Choice (org)	Jerry Blackburn	Osher
Marty	Addressing Race Relations in the 21st Century	Caprice Hollins	in-person
Marty	"History of the Great American Songbook"	Amanda Wilde	in-person
Sandi	Calling Bullshit		
Tim	Fishing Stories		
Tim	Geology 101	Dale Lehman	
Tim	Facets of Opera	Stephen Wall	in-person
Tim	Brier Dudley	Saving the Free Press	

B = Class

V. Old Business

1. Fundraiser with Alessandro Regio still on the agenda for 2 seminars—one 2-hour lecture in the AM followed by another 2-hour lecture in the afternoon —on “International Developments” some Saturday before the end of the year; Jerry Harkleroad will get available dates that work for Alessandro so that Donna Oberembt can submit a project plan to Bellevue College for approval. Still have to work out how much to charge for the seminars and how to collect the money. Will further discuss these detail at the TSO Council meeting when we have more details. Have sent questions on how to handle the money to Amanda Arboleda. Waiting to hear from her.
2. Tour of Hope Factory at Sound Foundations NW put on hold because of COVID 19 protocols; probably won't happen this year

3. CTCLink training for TELOS instructors tentatively scheduled for October; training dates TBD

4. Still need classes and seminars on the suggested topics :suggested are:

Music appreciation

Composers and their music

Employer long-term care insurance

What is happening in Hong Kong today

Orcas

Life in China Today

Employer Long-term care insurance

5. Sandi sent out reminder letters to instructors for Winter course proposal deadline of 8/15/21

6. Jerry H. communicated to Joe Belcher, marketing manager at BC on a couple of instructor names to highlight in future course catalogs—Ted Watts and Stacey Almgren

7. Donna and Sandi still working on “notes of interest” to highlight instructor classes not yet filled but within 3 enrollees of filling —will put out 1st week in September

VI. New Business

1. Sandi contacted Carla Barnes and she will do a seminar “China in Latin America”—an example of China’s belt and road policy—scheduled now for 12/22

2. Cindy Xie applied for the Marketing Chair position; will attend the Council meeting on 8/25

3. Need suggestions for classes/seminars; all are welcome;

VII. Adjournment: The meeting adjourned at 4:36 pm

VIII. Next Meeting: The next meeting is **Thursday, September 16th, 2021 at 3:30 pm on Zoom**

Submitted by Donna Oberembt, substitute Secretary