

Draft CCC Agenda
December 3rd, 3:00–4:30pm.
Filippi Academic Hall 205.

Upcoming Meetings: December 16th & 17th
January 14th, 28th (??)
February 28th

1. Updates

(a) BALOS & LEAP responses to our comments:

I've heard back that BALOS are nearly done with responses to our questions. I've not heard from LEAP.

(b) Program Review Committee guidelines

New guidelines have been adopted. I have asked the PRC to consider two revisions:

- III. Curriculum Design and Pedagogy

Current:

D. For undergraduate programs, discuss how your curriculum is aligned with the Core Curriculum. Which courses have been approved with Core designations, and what are your plans, if any, for seeking further approval?

Proposed:

D. For undergraduate programs, discuss how your curriculum is aligned with the Core Curriculum. Please address the following:

i) what changes, if any, have been made to your course of study to align with the aims of the core as a developmental and integrated model? (For example, you may have an upper division course that now builds from the content/skills students have gained in the Collegiate Seminar sequence, or adapted your program outcomes to complement those of the core).

ii) how does your program contribute to core curricula, especially courses in the Pathways to Knowledge and Engaging the World areas?

iii) how have you addressed the requirement for Writing in the Discipline?

- V. Faculty (Added)

Please address your program's approach to fulfilling its responsibilities to the College (e.g., Collegiate Seminar and January Term, faculty governance)

(c) Jurisdictionals

GPSEPC : Any progress?

UEPC: 3+2 Engineering

2. Creative Practice in Jan Term

Model 1 (See <http://www.stmarys-ca.edu/core-curriculum-task-force>) is clear that Engaging the World courses are welcomed in Jan Term. The CCC has always assumed that Pathways to Knowledge courses are not to be given in Jan Term. Jan Term is clear that its "classes are intentionally non-departmental". (See <http://www.stmarys-ca.edu/january-term/goals>).

What about Creative Practice? Jim has received a Special Action Petition that a Jan Term course satisfy Creative Practice. Should he sign it?

3. Transfers

4. Support for CCC members 2014–15

In December 2010 the Senate and Provost agreed that members of the CCC should be supported with a 1 course reassignment for each of the first three years of the Core, and the Chair of the CCC with a 3 course reassignment. What should the support be going forward?

Jim's current thinking

- CCC Chair: 2 course reassigns as chair
- CCC Chair: 1 reassign for assessing of HoM.
- One course reassign each for AD/GP and TCG/CE WG chairs
Both areas still need ramp-up, and will always have Jan Term proposals
- 3 rotating course reassigns, based on an established cycle of assessment.

5. Spring workload and duties