MINUTES
of the
CURRICULUM COMMITTEE
of
BRONX COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE CITY UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK

Tuesday, March 20, 1973
Kingsbridge Center Lounge
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2:20 P. M.

1. Call to Order. The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Arlene Levey.

2. The Minutes. The minutes of March 13, 1973 were approved with the exception that "tried to explain" was changed to "explained" in Item 8, Line 9.

3. Attendance. The following people were in attendance:


   c. Guests - T. Benenson, D. Davidson, P. Lanier, R. Lewis.

4. Correspondence and Announcements.

   a. The course title for the Department of Health and Physical Education's PEA 81, Techniques of Wrestling, is now being changed to the Techniques of Self-Defense, Co-Ed.

   b. Letters from Student Government named students, Emilio Diaz and Morris Stratford, as voting representatives to the Curriculum Committee. Gabriel Marrero was designated as the alternate.

   c. Information concerning a two-year college conference being sponsored by the Faculty Council of Communities Colleges to be held June 13-15 at the Concord Hotel in Liberty, New York was announced. Professor N. Bindler should be contacted about this meeting.

5. Voting. A motion that the votes of the Committee henceforth be by secret ballot was carried. Yes - 11, No - 4, Abstentions - 2.

6. Department of Special Educational Services.

   a. Motion. Since six new courses were being presented, a motion that there be a 45-minute block of time for the discussion of these courses at the beginning of each meeting was carried. Yes - 15, No - 0, Abstentions - 3.

   b. Major Revision of an Existing Curriculum. Education Associate. Professor
P. Lanier answered the questions that had been posed at a previous meeting. It is expected that the education associate program will be open to all students by 1974-75. Articulation information from Lehman College for both the Education-Day Care Associate and the Education Associate programs was requested. The funding of the programs was discussed. Education associate faculty members have met with representatives of the Department of Health and Physical Education to discuss aspects of body movement for the Art Forms for the Early Childhood and Elementary Years course. A revised curriculum pattern sheet for the associate programs will be presented at the next meeting. The question concerning the right of the Department of Special Educational Services to offer credit courses when the charge in October 1969 was to create a remediation department was raised.

c. English as a Second Language—ESL II. The revision is a request for an addition of two required workshop hours to ESL II. No funds are necessary as the staff is already assigned to workshop hours. Better utilization of staff time would be the result. The effectiveness of the tutorial laboratory as a tool for learning was discussed. Professor D. Davidson stated that the four hours now being offered is not sufficient and that two additional programmed hours are necessary. Action is possible at the next meeting.

7. Adjournment. The meeting was adjourned at 4:08 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Gloria L. Hobbs
Secretary

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