Minutes of
The Curriculum Committee
Bronx Community College

1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by the Chairperson, Professor B. Witlieb.

2. ATTENDANCE:


B. Curriculum Coordinators: A. Hirschfield

C. Student Delegates: None

D. Guests: A. Fuller, L. Pinto, C. Saneracker, S. Schwartz, M. Steuerman


3. MINUTES:

Minutes of 12/22/81 were approved as presented.

4. ANNOUNCEMENTS:

A. The Senate has approved the following Curriculum Committee actions:
   - Legal Advocacy Option, including 5 new courses
   - Option "B" of the Audio-Visual Program
   - Selected Topics in Elementary Algebra
   - Chemistry 11 as a required course in Liberal Arts - Physics Option

B. Correspondence:

1) Professor Hirschfield to Registrar re typographical errors in the college catalogue (AA Marketing Management and AS Marketing Management Sales). MKT 43 should be listed as required, with a choice offered between FIN 31 and DAT 30.

2) Letter from Dr. Just re change in prerequisite for MTH 26. Item added to agenda.

3) Letter from Dr. Fuller re priorities in admission to the Nursing Program. Item added to agenda.

4) Letter from Jean Ellis, Executive Director of University Faculty Senate Committee on Curriculum re information on core curriculum. Item added to agenda.
5) Letter from Dr. Prince to David Biquéy (see pp. 27, 28, 29).

6) Report on CUNY-TV program. Four courses are being offered at Bronx Community College via television this semester (BUS 10, HIS 21, POL 11 and PSY 11). All have been offered in cooperation with the appropriate departments. If the college is to participate in this experiment further, any courses which cannot be equated with existing courses should be submitted to the Curriculum Committee for approval.

5. OLD BUSINESS:

1) Proposed new SPD course. Supportive materials were distributed and questions were answered. This will be an action item at the next meeting.

6. NEW BUSINESS:

1) Change in prerequisite for MTH 26 from MTH 21, 22 or 23 to MTH 07. The proposal was explained and discussed. This will be an action item at the next meeting.

2) New Course Proposal (Dept. of Modern Languages): Elementary, Beginning and Intermediate Portuguese. Questions were taken. This will return to the agenda for the next meeting with no action possible.

3) MOTION: To accept the following guidelines for priority for admission into nursing, as recommended by the Nursing Department, effective Spring semester, 1984:

"Priority for admission into Nursing will be given to incoming students who meet a 12th grade reading level requirement."

Carried: 11-3-3.

4) The Committee discussed the letter from J. Ellis re core curriculum. The chair was instructed to communicate with Prof. Ellis concerning the BCC core and to request a copy of the charge of the U.F.S. Committee on Curriculum.

7. Election of the Subcommittee on Course Evaluation. Dr. Ryan was nominated as the fifth member of this committee. The chair instructed that one vote be cast in the name of this committee. The committee is now fully constituted as follows:

A. Glasser (convener)
A. Cosentino
B. Davidson
J. Ryan
J. Seals

[Signature: James Ryan]