Minutes for CEPP meeting of January 26, 2011

In attendance: Michael Arnush, Rochelle Calhoun, Rubén Graciani, Winston Grady Willis (Guest), Chris Kopec, Josh Ness, Bob Turner (Chair)

- I. Approval of December 8, 2010 Minutes Minutes approved.
- II. CEPP discussed the Spring 2011 agenda, including:
  - Cultural Diversity Requirement
  - Student Rating Systems
  - Transitions and Transformation

The Science Vision Plan and Optimization are other issues that may affect the agenda this semester.

III. Discussion of Revising Cultural Diversity Requirement - = Fall Retreat.

d to write a motion to establish a new set of criteria for the versity requirement. The motion will articulate our view that definition of cultural diversity has evolved since the original as written to include gender, class, religion, and sexuality. The inition will also allow additional courses to satisfy the CD of the course of the c

I to not pursue the suggestion that Skidmore adopt a two course puirement, at this time, for both logistical reasons (not enough curricular reasons. We also discussed requiring students to fulfill ment by their sophomore year, but we dismissed the idea for not curricular reasons.

d Winston are going to write the motion and the rationale. We he proposal to Curriculum Committee to consult with them.

ırned at 9:30 a.m.

itted by Rubén Graciani