LSOC Meeting  
September 21, 2009  
3:30 p.m. Cardinal Room UC 214

Present: Tracy Zontek, Brent Kinser, Peter Nieckarz, Steve Baxley, Alex Macaulay, Robert Mulligan, Chip Ferguson, Gayle Wells, Shannon Thompson

Guests: Niall Michelsen  
Recorder: Melody Huitt

Minutes

- Minutes from the September 14th LSOC meeting were approved.
- Peter opened the meeting by a discussion on the English/Biology 371 proposal. The committee voted on the proposal with an amendment to add the Liberal Studies Objectives to the syllabus. Tracy made a motion to approve the English/Biology 371 Proposal with the amendment of adding the Liberal Studies Objectives and Shannon Thompson seconded the motion. The committee voted and the motion carried to approve the amended proposal.
- An open discussion about the Honors Path proposal was held. Some committee members had e-mailed Peter with their feedback based on Brian Railsback informal presentation of the Honors Path to the LSOC last Spring Semester. The two areas of discussion were 1) having dual Liberal Studies programs at WCU, and 2) the relationship between the proposed Honors Path and the General Education Review. The committee voted unanimously to present to the Faculty Senate a resolution that the LSOC would have an official vote on the Honors Path Liberal Studies. Brent will draw up the resolution and e-mail it to the group.
- Peter discussed the IDES 250 proposal for P5 and will forward the information to the committee for next week’s agenda.
- There was no other new or old business.

The meeting adjourned at 4:10 p.m.