**The Liberal Studies Committee Minutes**

**August 30, 2010**

**3:30 p.m. Cardinal Room UC 214**

**Members Present**: Shannon Thompson, Alex Macaulay, Gayle Wells, Tracy Zontek, Robert Mulligan, Steve Baxley, Brent Kinser, Chip Ferguson, Carol Burton

**Recorder**: Melody Huitt

**Minutes**:

Carol called the meeting to order. The first order of business was to elect a new chair and vice chair. Tracy nominated Brent and Brent nominated Tracy and Alex. The decision was made to have each committee member write down their choice and give it to Carol. The committee voted on Alex as the chair and Brent as the vice-chair.

The minutes for 4/19/2010 were brought before the committee for approval. Gayle made the motion to approve and Tracy seconded the motion. The committee voted and the minutes stand approved.

Carol brought copies of the Liberal Studies Assessment Report. The committee will review and discuss the report’s findings at the next meeting.

 The PSY 320 course proposal submitted last semester as an Upper Level Perspective removed the prerequisite and this was approved by e-mail vote from the committee after the last meeting. Carol will follow up with Peter.

Carol discussed the ENGL101/WRC and solicited input and will send out a reminder for discussion at the next meeting. English 102 will change to 201. It will flip flop with the Freshman Seminar.

Faculty Senate voted and approved several changes for the LSOC. The Liberal Studies Oversight Committee will change to the Liberal Studies Committee effective this year. There should be a member from the library that should be on the LSC effective this year. The other changes will not affect this year and Alex will follow up.

There was no other new or old business.

The meeting adjourned at 4:20pm.