CAEAS Meeting Minutes – February 10, 2021

Present: Victor Brown, Andrei Jitianu, Tanja Haxhoviq, Jessica Mills, Andrea Boyar, Abigail Mellen, Cristian Valdovinos, Beatrice Donkor, Sheila Blachman, Sandra Campeanu

Guest: Pamela Hinden

The committee heard a proposal to update the degree requirements and title for the Adult Degree Program. The title would be changed from Self Determined Studies, B.A. or B.S., to a Bachelor of Arts or Sciences in Liberal and Interdisciplinary Studies. In addition, the change in requirements specify more 300-level courses and two new required courses (one introductory and one capstone, both of which were also approved). In addition, eligibility for the program was refined to no longer depend on completed credits, thus expanding access to the program. The committee voted unanimously to approve the proposal.

Next, there was a discussion about a possible CR/NC policy for Spring 2021. Victor Brown informed the committee that administrators were having ongoing discussions about such a policy for the current semester. The committee decided to wait to hear a conclusive answer from the administration before doing further research into possible rules or restrictions that should govern such a policy.

Next meeting: TBD

Respectfully submitted, S. Campeanu