

Attachment B-1
Faculty Senate Meeting
May 10, 2012

From: [Ah Yun, Kimo](#)
To: [Sheppard, Anthony G](#); [Lee-Keller, Hellen](#); [Melzer, Daniel L](#)
Cc: [Meyer, Sheree L](#); [Bonilla, Diego](#); [Garcia, Kathy](#)
Subject: RE: Digital Media Minor, Not yet approved; Need follow up information
Date: Friday, April 27, 2012 9:43:50 PM

Both the Chair from Design and Art replied and had no objections. Here is the e-trail.

Re: Changes to Digital Media Minor
Frye, Daniel J
Sent: Monday, April 23, 2012 3:13 PM
To:
Ah Yun, Kimo
Kimo,

Rachel was aware of the coming change. It's sad to see the university going in this direction. Hopefully, things will pick up soon.
Thanks,

Dan

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From: "<Ah Yun>", Kimo <kimo@saclink.csus.edu>
Date: Friday, April 20, 2012 2:05 PM
To: CSUS User <frye@saclink.csus.edu>
Subject: Re: Changes to Digital Media Minor

Thanks, Dan. I will await your formal response. Please know that this change does not reflect the quality of classes. We are simply making moves that allow us to sustain the program and better reflects how our faculty want to teach the minor.

Kimo

On Apr 20, 2012, at 1:56 PM, "Frye, Daniel J" <frye@saclink.csus.edu> wrote:

Kimo,

I'm including Rachel in on this email because the change will most effect her discipline. We will get back to you with a formal answer but it seems as though there is little that we can do at this time. That budget problem is making a lot of people pull back.

Thanks,
Dan

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From: "<Ah Yun>", Kimo <kimo@saclink.csus.edu>
Date: Friday, April 20, 2012 11:21 AM
To: CSUS User <frye@saclink.csus.edu>
Subject: Changes to Digital Media Minor

Dan,

Our department has approved a change to our digital media minor moving it from an applied to a theoretical program. Not only was this change done because it better reflects what we want to do with the minor, but by moving it to a more theoretical degree it becomes less costly due to the reduced need for computer software, hardware, and other related equipment. The minor only has 20 students and the two classes that are being eliminated from Art are both electives. Those classes being proposed from elimination from the minor are:

Art 97
Art 197

Policy requires that I contact you with this change. Minimally I need a response from you indicating that you have been made aware of this proposed change by our department. Best case is that you respond to me indicating that you are aware of the proposed change and that your department does not have a problem with the proposed changes.

I can send you more information if you like. Please get back to me at your earliest convenience as we are always working on deadlines imposed by others.

Take care.

Kimo

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Re: Proposed changes to digital media minor
Forrest, John P
You replied on 4/20/2012 12:31 PM.
Sent: Friday, April 20, 2012 12:05 PM
To:
Ah Yun, Kimo
Good afternoon Kimo,

Thank you for making us aware of the proposed changes. We do not have any issues with the changes, and hope that the new direction for the program proves successful.

Kind regards,

John

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On Apr 20, 2012, at 11:24 AM, Ah Yun, Kimo wrote:

John,

Our department has approved a change to our digital media minor moving it from an applied to a theoretical program. Not only was this change done because it better reflects what we want to do with the minor, but by moving it to a more theoretical degree it becomes less costly due to the reduced need for computer software, hardware, and other related equipment. The minor only has 20 students and the two classes that are being eliminated from units in your department are option courses. Those classes being proposed from elimination from the minor are:

GDHP 10 (required lower division option course)
Photo 11 (elective).

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I can send you more information if you like. Please get back to me at your earliest convenience as we are always working on deadlines imposed by others.

Take care.

Kimo