UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA Undergraduate Council

Minutes of December 8th, 2008

Present: Michael LeVan (Chair), Garnet Butchart, Dell deChant, Laura Gonzalez, Ken Christensen,

Sunita Lodwig, JoAnne Larsen

Absent: Jay Coble (excused), Kay Perrin (excused), Sherman Dorn (excused)

Guests: Bob Sullins, Jodi Adamchak, Michael Kanning

The meeting was called to order at 3:03 pm

1. The minutes of November 10th, 2008, were approved with minor revisions.

2. Announcements

- 3. Guest Speakers
 - a) Dean of Undergraduate Studies Bob Sullins introduced Jodi Adamchak.
 - b) Jodi Adamchak of USF General Counsel spoke briefly about the Academic Review Process addition to the Academic Grievance Procedures policy document. The goal is to make the Greivance procedures work form within the Academic Integrity document. The rationale of the change is to allow students to confront and ask questions regarding accusations of academic dishonesty.

4. Consent Agenda

- a) Non-Substantive Changes
 - i) The following Non-Substantive changes were approved: ACG3103 and ACG3341
- 5. New course/curriculum proposals for discussion and approval
 - The Certificate in Africana Literatures was approved.
- 6. New course/curriculum proposals needing assignment
 - RN-BA/MS curriculum change assigned for review (Lodwig)

7. New Business

- The council voted to approve the Academic Integrity Review Process document in it current state.
- Discussion of the delay in new course proposals coming to the council was continued. It
 was decided that Michael LeVan will send a letter to Dean Sullins regarding the issue. It was
 also suggested that there be a way of tracking what stage a proposal is in at a particular
 time, including the date at which a course is approved at the college level.

The next meeting will be Monday, January 12th, 2009. The meeting was adjourned at 3:45pm.