Academic Year: 2005

Committee Name: Computer Science Discipline

Committee Chair: Priscilla Dodds

Committee Members: Priscilla Dodds, Ashraf Chowdhury, Gene Sheppard, Julia Benson, Anant Honkan, Nat Kumaresan

MEETINGS

Dates of Committee Meetings: October 2004; March 1, 2005; May 4, 2005

Attach Minutes of Each Meeting: (see attached)

Have minutes been sent to webmaster for posting to the web? Yes__x__ No____

Has the CCO for this course been reviewed, dated and sent to the Executive Committee Chair and the webmaster? Yes_x__ No____

TEXTBOOK INFORMATION

Was a textbook search done this year? Yes_x__ No____

If so, list the names of approved books:

CSCI 1300:
  i) Dale & Lewis, “Computer Science Illuminated, 2nd ed.”, Jones and Bartlett
  ii) Schneider & Gersting, “Invitation to Computer Science, 2nd ed.”, Course Technology

CSCI 1301: Malik & Nair, “Java Programming: From Problem Analysis to Program Design”, Course Technology

CSCI 1302: Malik & Nair, “Data Structures in Java”, Course Technology

Were the Teaching Guides created for each book and sent to the webmaster? Yes_x__ No____

If a textbook search was not done, when is the book in rotation for a search? _______
**ASSESSMENT**

Was assessment done this year? Yes____ No___x___

If so, list plans for review of this assessment. Next year

If not, when is the course due for assessment? CSCI 1300: 2006, CSCI 1301: 2006

**CHARGES**

List the committee charges for the year and indicate the progress of each charge.

1. Textbook Review for CSCI 1300 -- COMPLETED

2. Honors Course for CSCI 1300: The matter was discussed and after much deliberation, we are leaning towards abandoning the honors course. Instead we are now considering the development of two separate introductory courses, one for science majors and the other for non-science majors. We will be developing the courses next year.

3. TGs Update: Completed for CSCI 1300 and 1302. Waiting on one faculty member to complete 1301 TG.

4. We are currently compiling a set of questions for the Exemption Test for CSCI 1300.

List any committee specific charges for the next academic year.

1. Perform Program Review

2. Deploy CSCI 1300 Placement Exam

3. Development of a non-science version of CSCI 1300.

4. Assessment for CSCI 1300 and 1301

Committee Chair Signature: Priscilla Dodds