**Council for International Education**

**Meeting Minutes**

**12/5/12**

Present: Heather McIlvaine-Newsad, Emma Mbeakani, Linda Zellmer, Samit Chakravorti, Davison Bideshi, Emily Gorlewski, Michael Stryker, Richard Hughey

1. Approval of minutes from meeting on 11/28/12

Samit moved, Linda seconded, all present voted to approve

1. FCS 300 – consideration of revised documents from Karen Greathouse.

Now that we have had a chance to look at these, do we have comments? Samit notices that the phrase “minority groups” is still present; we suggest “cultural groups” might be better. She did revise the “grains” assignment and has done what we asked. For course objective #2, we suggest it be changed to “Identify influences on dietary patterns, including western and eastern religions.”

On the syllabus before the heading of “Foreign Language/Global Issues Goals and Objectives for FCS 300”, there needs to be one sentence that states that the course satisfies the Global Issues requirement through the goals and objectives listed below. Also, the goals and objectives should be differentiated on the syllabus, and numbered in the same way as on the FL/GI proposal. There were several other suggestions for changes in the syllabus to help make the meeting of the objectives more clear.

Move to vote to approve the course pending revisions: Samit moves to vote, Michael seconds, all present vote in the affirmative.

1. Adjourn, with best wishes for a good end of the semester, and a happy holiday season with family and friends. Samit moves to adjourn, Michael seconds, and all present vote in the affirmative.