24 November 2003

To:   Executive Committee  
      Faculty Senate

From: Richard K. Curry, Presiding Officer  
      Core Curriculum Council

Re:   Requests of Course Additions to the Core Curriculum

A. The Core Curriculum Council recommends that the following courses, submitted by the Department of English be added to the list of courses in the Core Curriculum which satisfy the requirement for Humanities.

   ENGL 204  Introduction to African-American Literature
   ENGL 205  Introduction to Africana Literature
   ENGL 329  African-American Literature Pre-1930
   ENGL 393  Studies in Africana Literature and Culture

The CCC unanimously agreed that an exposure to and analysis of culture and history were central to these course’s content and character and appropriate to the spirit of the Core Curriculum and, thus, justified the courses being included in the respective category.

B. The Core Curriculum Council recommends that the following courses, submitted by the Department of English be added to the list of courses in the Core Curriculum which satisfy the requirement for International and Cultural Diversity.

   ENGL 204  Introduction to African-American Literature
   ENGL 205  Introduction to Africana Literature
   ENGL 393  Studies in Africana Literature and Culture

The CCC unanimously agreed that an exposure to and analysis of non-U.S. cultures and cultural differences, along with their impact on contemporary concerns, were central to this course’s character and appropriate to the spirit of this Core Curriculum requirement and, thus, justified the course being included in this category.