Lehman College Senate Committee on Admissions, Evaluations and Academic Standards

October 19, 2011

Attendance:

Anne Rice, Chair Alyshia Galvez Penny Prince Amanda Gulla Elin Waring Andrei Jitianu Liliana Calvet

Meeting began at 2:45 p.m.

- 1. Elin Waring and Anne Rice reported on the latest ad hoc committee meeting on the Pathways proposal, particularly the need to develop plans for what goes into the "buckets" of areas defined by learning outcomes and the possible implications for certain subjects such as foreign languages
- 2. The committee considered a proposed policy change from the Nursing Department regarding undergraduate students' grading requirements as appears below:

From:

If a student achieves a grade between 67-72, the grade recorded will be a D+. No grade of C-will be given in an HIN or NUR course regardless of the student's major.

To:

A minimum grade of "C" (73%) or better is required for a student to progress from one nursing course to the next. A student who does not achieve a minimum grade of "C" (73%)

3. The committee decided to defer decision to a future meeting when a representative from the Nursing Department could explain the rationale for this change.

The meeting adjourned at 3:30 p.m.