### RCHSS Curriculum Committee Meeting Minutes – 4/7/25

## Agenda:

- Review of DSM Certificate deactivation
- Discussion of KSU curriculum process related to the deactivation of programs

#### **Proposals:**

School of Communication and Media:

Digital and Social Media Certificate – Deactivation - (<a href="https://kennesaw.curriculog.com/proposal:18757/form">https://kennesaw.curriculog.com/proposal:18757/form</a>) (8 yes, 0 no, 1 abstain)

#### Discussion:

- Deactivation of Philosophy, Black Studies, and Technical Communications within RCHHS
  - Curriculum Committee (CC) reviewed and discussed three foci of policy informing proper decision making regarding proposed deactivations
    - KSU Curriculum Guide: <a href="https://www.kennesaw.edu/curriculum-instruction-assessment/academic-program-planning-development/docs/curriculum-guide-2025.pdf">https://www.kennesaw.edu/curriculum-instruction-assessment/academic-program-planning-development/docs/curriculum-guide-2025.pdf</a>
    - KSU Curriculum Review Processes:
      <a href="https://catalog.kennesaw.edu/content.php?catoid=81&navoid=8568">https://catalog.kennesaw.edu/content.php?catoid=81&navoid=8568</a>
    - USG Policy:
       <a href="https://www.usg.edu/academic\_affairs\_handbook/section2/C731/#p">https://www.usg.edu/academic\_affairs\_handbook/section2/C731/#p</a>
       2.3.3 deactivation\_and\_termination\_of\_academic\_programs
  - CC concluded that the language in policy and procedures is clear:
     Curriculum deactivations must be processed via proper channels via
     Program and College curriculum committees.
  - CC reviewed recent examples of an "administrative track" of deactivations apparent within Curriculog that evidence occurrences of administrative actions taken out of alignment with existing policy and procedures.
- Action items:
  - o CC will develop a written resolution within 7 days.
  - o CC members will vote to approve or reject the resolution on April 14, 2025.
  - If approved, resolution will be shared with RCHHS dean, Provost, and President.

# Attendance:

- Brian Wooten
- Kristen Heflin
- Kayla Sargent
- Neysa Figueroa
- Erinn Bariteau
- Larrie Dudenhoeffer
- Tanja Link
- April Johnson
- Lauren Thompson
- Michael Lahey
- Trina Queen
- David Johnson