I. Meeting started at 1:05pm.

II. Interim Provost Hugetz addressed the UCC and stated that the timeline for the new core currently in place could be somewhat modified if needed. He also suggested that the UCC town hall scheduled in late April could serve to update the university community on the status of the UCC work on the new core. Mr. Hugetz commended the UCC on the work that it has done and on its serious and thoughtful approach to the review of courses. However, he noted that future conversations on the core may be intense, but these conversations should be civil. Mr. Hugetz also recommended that the UCC develop a monitoring schedule to review the new core systematically once it is in place. He concluded his comments by thanking the UCC for its good work.

III. Review and Approval of April 5, 2013 minutes; Jackson/Pointer; motioned/seconded; motion carried

IV. Cueva presented on the Transfer Seminar, which has been retitled to “University Seminar”: the tentative LOs have been drafted; the next meeting of the UCC subcommittee is scheduled for April 17. The UCC agreed that the due date for new University Seminar proposals should be May 17, 2013.

V. New Core Course Proposals

   Life and Physical Sciences component area

   i. BIOL 1301 General Biology I; Morano presented; Jackson/Pointer; motioned/seconded; motion carried
   ii. BIOL 1302 General Biology II; Morano presented; Pointer/Robertson; motioned/seconded; motion carried
   iii. BIOL 1303 Human Anatomy and Physiology I; Morano presented; Robertson/Xie; motioned/seconded; motion carried
   iv. BIOL 1304 Human Anatomy and Physiology II; Morano presented; Jackson/Belbot; motioned/seconded; motion carried
   v. BIOL 1310 Human Biology; Morano presented; Jackson/Belbot; motioned/seconded; motion carried
   vi. BIOL 1312 Ecology and Environmental Biology; Robertson/Belbot; motioned/seconded; motion carried (with the provision of a modified “relative grade distribution”)
   vii. CHEM 1305 Introductory Chemistry; Jackson/Kaser; motioned/seconded; motion carried
   viii. CHEM 1307 General Chemistry I; Jackson/Robertson; motioned/seconded; motion carried
ix. CHEM 1308 General Chemistry II; Robertson/Jackson; motioned/seconded; motion carried

x. GEOL 1304 Introduction to Meteorology; Jackson/Robertson; motioned/seconded; motion carried

xi. GEOL 1307 Planet Earth; Robertson/Jackson; motioned/seconded; motion carried
(with the proviso that clear evidence of written communication be included in the syllabus)

xii. GEOL 1308 History of the Earth; Kaser/Jackson; motioned/seconded; motion carried
(with the proviso that clear evidence of written communication be included in the syllabus)

xiii. GEOL 1345 Oceanography; Jackson/Kaser; motioned/seconded; motion carried
xiv. GEOL 1405 Physical Geology; Robertson/Jackson; motioned/seconded; motion carried
xv. GEOL 1406 Historical Geology; Jackson/Robertson; motioned/seconded; motion carried

xvi. MBIO 1305 Pre-nursing Microbiology; Jackson/Belbot; motioned/seconded; motion carried

xvii. MBIO 1310 Microbes and Society; Jackson/Kaser; motioned/seconded; motion carried

xviii. NS 1300 Emergence of Modern Science; Jackson/Robertson; motioned/seconded; motion carried

xix. PHYS 1301 Introduction to Solar System Astronomy; Jackson/Pointer; motioned/seconded; motion carried
xx. PHYS 1302 Introduction to Stellar and Galactic Astronomy; Robertson/Jackson; motioned/seconded; motion carried

xxi. PHYS 1307 General Physics I; Jackson/Robertson; motioned/seconded; motion carried
(with the proviso that the perquisite be checked and modified if needed)
xxii. PHYS 1308 General Physics II; Kaser/Robertson; motioned/seconded; motion carried
xxiii. PHYS 2401 Physics I; Robertson/Jackson; motioned/seconded; motion carried
xxiv. PHYS 2402 Physics II; Robertson/Jackson; motioned/seconded; motion carried

**Government Science**

i. POLS 2305 Federal Government; Chadah presented; Oberhoff/Robertson; motioned/seconded; motion carried (with the proviso that the recommended changes be made to the syllabus/CIU and sent to Campbell for review)

ii. POLS 2306 Texas Government; Chadah presented; Robertson/Kaser; motioned/seconded; motion carried (with the proviso that the recommended changes be made to the syllabus/CIU and sent to Campbell for review)

**Freshman Seminar**

i. AS 1303 Freshman Success Seminar; Farris presented; Morano/Jackson; motioned/seconded; motion carried

ii. EIS 1305 Digital Competency for College Success and Beyond; postponed

iii. ENG 1307 Freshman Success Seminar; Farris presented; Jackson/Pointer; motioned/seconded; motion carried

iv. MATH 1311 AVID Math Seminar; Xie presented; Jackson/Robertson; motioned/seconded; motion carried
v. NS 1301 Freshman Seminar; Parker presented; Jackson/Oberhoff; motioned/seconded; motion carried
vi. PHIL 1300 Thinking about Higher Education; Jackson presented; Kaser/Robertson; motioned/seconded to TABLE the proposal; motion carried; Pointer abstained

Social and Behavioral Sciences

i. CJ 1301 Introduction to Criminal Justice; Blackburn presented; Jackson/Pointer; motioned/seconded; motion carried
ii. ECO 1305 Contemporary Economic Issues; Nguyen presented; Jackson/Pointer; motioned/seconded; motion carried (with the proviso that the proposal be modified to include clarity on the writing components)
iii. FIN 1330 Financial Literacy from Social and Behavioral Perspectives; Jones presented; Kaser/Pointer; motioned/seconded; motion carried
iv. PSY 1303 Introduction to Psychology; Stewart presented; Pointer/Xie; motioned/seconded; motion carried
v. SOC 1303 Introduction to Sociology; Kaftan presented; Robertson/Morano; motioned/seconded; motion carried

American History

i. HIST 1305 United States History to 1877; Ryder presented; Pointer/Oberhoff; motioned/seconded; motion carried
ii. HIST 1306 United States History since 1877; Ryder presented; Robertson/Pointer; motioned/seconded; motion carried
iii. HIST 1312 Texas History; Ryder presented; Oberhoff/Pointer; motioned/seconded; motion carried
iv. HIST 1314 Ethnic Minorities in American History; Preuss presented; Morano/Paskelian; motioned/seconded; motion carried (with the proviso that modifications be made to the proposal to reflect the oral components)

III. Motion to Adjourn at 5:25; Kaser/Jackson; motioned/seconded; motion carried