Diversity Curriculum Review Committee (DCRC)  
of the Faculty Senate Curricular Affairs Committee  

Thursday, September 15, 2016, 3:00 – 4:00 pm  
Waterman 427A  

DRAFT Agenda  

I. Introduction and welcome for new members: Holly Busier; Evan Eyler; Thomas Macias; Jonathan Sands; and Harvey Amani Whitfield.  

II. Consideration of minutes from the May 26, 2016 meeting.  

III. New website (at Faculty Senate site): presentation and discussion. See:  

https://www.uvm.edu/faculty_senate/diversity_curriculum_review_committee  

IV. Course proposal.  


      This is an unusual course: it is expressly for UVM athletes, hockey players who next year will compete in an international tournament in Ireland. For that reason, it proceeded through the course-approval process in an unusual (and belated) fashion, and the instructor was unable to use the Courseleaf system for the course submission. My understanding is that it received its final permission only this summer. The course is under way this fall.  

      As an immediate past member of the DCRC, Professor Bose knows well that Courseleaf is the proper path for approving a course, and took care to respect that and to explain the particular reasons this course comes to us as it does. Professor Bose also knows that when needed, we can work with responses to the identified “competencies” for the Diversity requirements that are submitted to the Committee in Word documents. Those documents have been distributed via e-mail to Committee members.  


VI. Other business.