Minutes
Commercial and Entertainment Arts Department Meeting
Jun13, 2014

1) Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 2:15 pm.
2) Minutes of May 21, 2014: The minutes were previously approved via email.
3) Action:
   a. Resources Prioritization. The CEA faculty agreed to prioritize PIE resource requests via email. Steve Burgoon will oversee the process.
4) Curriculum: None
5) Discussion:
   a. Faculty Association and Academic Senate representatives needed for fall semester.
6) Reports:
   a. Chair
   i. Division meeting 6/3/14: A handout was distributed and discussed. Of note, faculty are reminded that the Winter schedule is due August 1, and the Spring schedule is due September 2.
   ii. Budget report: No report
   b. Faculty Association: A handout was distributed and discussed.
   c. Academic Senate: A handout was distributed and discussed.
   d. Animation and Gaming: No report
   e. Graphic Design and Illustration: No report
   f. Photography:
   i. Instructor James Loy provided fashion photography for the Fashion Design students.
   ii. Student Yunuen Bonaparte used the Mt. SAC photo studio and produced several fashion photographs for the campus magazine, Substance.
   iii. The Photo Club’s Annual Headshot Fundraiser was a success. The first day was reserved for Tammy Trujillo’s Radio students, the second day was open to everyone. The Club raised over $400.
   g. Radio:
   i. Radio Program graduate, Jennifer Kim is now working full-time in Production for Radio Disney
   ii. Tammy Trujillo just completed a review of the book Audio Production Worktext for Focal Press
   h. Television:
   i. 1-Year Temp Professor of Television. John Huynh has been selected for the position. He has taught since 2004 at Miami-Dade College in Florida.
   ii. Student Film Festival: This year the Film Club organized the student film festival by itself. Adjunct Professors Charles Unger and Brad Geagley vetted the projects, narrowing it down to 19 videos. All videos were captioned by the students. The attendance was not measured, as tickets were not sold, but attendance was good.
iii. Passing of TV/Film/Theater student Essias Loborg. Advanced production student Essias Loborg died in his sleep last Saturday night, a few days after his 23rd birthday. He had no history of ill health, and the exact cause of death has not been determined. His family did not want undue attention paid to his death, so publicity has been limited. The TV/Film students organized a memorial on June 11 to share their memories of Essias. 25 students, as well as Charles Unger and Dan Smith, were in attendance.

iv. Completers: Information is still coming in, but 9 students transferred from the advanced production class, and five earned degrees. The former include Miyuki Gaeta’s transfer to New York University’s film program, which is considered one of the top 10 film schools in the world. Most of the other transferees are going to CSU Northridge or CSU Los Angeles.

7). Information and Announcements:
    a. The CEA Department thanked Taber Dunipace for his excellent service to the Animation & Gaming Program and to the CEA Department.
    b. The CEA Department thanked Jason Perez for his outstanding work in his first year at Mt. SAC.
    c. The CEA Department thanked Don Sciore for his outstanding work as Arts Division Coordinator.

8). The next meeting of the CEA department will be August 27, 2014 3:00-5:00 pm Bldg 13, Room 2465

The meeting was adjourned at 4:15 pm.