Minutes Sociology (Soc) & Philosophy (Phil) Dept. Meeting October 14, 2015

- Dr. Michelle Stewart-Thomas was not present at today's (10/14/15) meeting due to illness, so Ivan Tircuit was the minute-taker.
- Attendance: Marlene Gallarde, Ivan Tircuit, Dr. David Lane, Dr. Charles McGruder, Dr. Rebecca Hatch, Dr. Samuel Yohannes.

Minutes

Minutes September 16, 2015 department meeting were approved

Outcomes

- Each sub-department worked on their respective Learning Outcome mapping tasks.
- Each sub-department completed mapping.

Announcements

- Human Trafficking Awareness Event
 - Marlene: passed out fliers for the event, and said more fliers are coming out, asked that professors please invite their students, said that a student designed the flier, and that it has been very successful creating awareness of the event.

Faculty Evaluations

• Evaluators must add one or two paragraphs of explanation if a rating of a 1 or 3 is given.

Academic Senate (AS)

- Rep needed.
- Dr. McGruder: Charles Merward said he can represent the department next (Spring 2016) semester.
- Currently, Marlene is attending when available

Faculty Association (FA) Representative Council Meeting (RCM)

• Ivan Tircuit represented the Soc & Phil Dept. at the FA RCM, and reported to dept. member's about agenda items of interest to the Soc & Phil dept.

Hiring

Update given by Marlene Gallarde

Division Meeting Report

Given by Rebecca Hatch