RAMAPO COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY ACADEMIC REVIEW COMMITTEE (ARC)

Meeting Minutes of Wednesday, March 19, 2008 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Berrie Center Conference Room (BC-239)

All ARC Members present: J. Lipkin (CA), Chair; L. D'Antonio (TAS); D. Crawley (SSHS); M. Ecker (ex-officio member) V. Flenga (AIS); G. Gonpu (ASB); S. Kurzmann (LIB)

I. The minutes of the March 5, 2008 meeting were approved.

II. Announcements

- J. Lipkin and L. D'Antonio are on the Curriculum Development Subcommittee and are reviewing criteria for curriculum development
- J. Lipkin met with Provost B. Barnett and discussed:
 - Concerns relayed to ARC by the Student Government Association (SGA)
 - Possible changes to the RF (Repeat F grade) policy
 - These suggested changes will be brought to Faculty Assembly this afternoon
- M. Ecker announced that the Transfer Policy was discussed at the Provost's Council. Students will no longer be permitted to transfer 100- or 200-level courses from community colleges after they have earned 65 credits.

III. ARC Information items

- Changes have been made to the Contemporary Arts core requirements (ARC Request #426)
- J. Lipkin received a packet of courses from E. Shannon that will be taught in this summer's Jump Start Program for high school students

IV. ARC Decision Items

ARC Request #427 PSYC 432. Advanced Topics: Psychopathy (P. Heinze) New course

ARC Request # 409 MALS xxx Environment and American Culture (K. Sunshine)

New course

ARC Request #428 CMPS 3xx. Web Programming Technologies. (S. Frees) New Course

Meeting adjourned at 11:45 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Susan Kurzmann