Discussion Summary

- Discussed recommended revision to the language of Goal 4 in the Core Curriculum: Respect Human Diversity and Expand Cultural Understanding and Global Awareness.
  - Discussion of proposed revision of option 2 for meeting Learning Outcome 2 based on review of comments from the KU Community: **A unit meeting Learning Outcome 1 and a significant study abroad experience.**
- Reviewed minutes from 11/30/12 UCCC meetings.
- Discussion of pending courses/experiences for inclusion into KU Core.
- Discussion of emerging issues for UCCC.
  - Continuation of subcommittees.
  - Proposed review process for approved Core courses/experiences.
    - Fast track approved courses to be reviewed after having been taught two times.
    - Courses approved through standard on-line nomination process to be reviewed after having been taught four times.

Decisions and Action Items

- UCCC voted unanimously to revise Learning Outcome 2 of the Core Curriculum: Respect for Human Diversity and Expand Cultural Understanding and Global Awareness as stated above.
  - Chair of UCCC will present recommended revision to Provost.
- Unanimous approval of minutes from 11/30/12 UCCC meeting.
- Approved the following courses for KU Core inclusion:
  - MTHC 115 and MTHC 205 to meet critical thinking learning outcome (goal 1, LO 1).
  - Research Experience Program with a minimum of six credit hours to meet Core Curriculum: The Ability to Integrate Knowledge and Think Creatively. (UCCC noted that to comply with Goal 6 specification, students would participate in the REP “at the junior or senior level.”)
    - From this point forward nominated experiences must be submitted using the online form.
- Discussed Regents definition of capstone courses and concluded that courses conforming to this definition could be batch-submitted.
- Topics introduced for discussion at future meetings
  - Continuation of subcommittees for review of nominations
  - Process and timing for reviewing courses for re-approval.