Mathematics Discipline Meeting  
Tuesday, October 14, 2014  
Minutes  

Present: Clayton Akatsuka, Jean Okumura, Johnny Singh, Jody Storm  
The meeting was called to order at 2:30 pm in the Mana’o Conference Room 107.  
The minutes of the September 30, 2014 meeting was accepted as circulated.  

1. Clarification about FS for Math 134 at UHM and Math 90V at UHMC  
   o Both courses do not satisfy FS.

2. Kaplan University’s MM 212: College Algebra  
   o Evaluation was done via email  
   o Equivalent to Math 103/Fulfills FS  
   o Satisfies the Math Graduation Requirement  
   o Next course: Math 100, 101, 111, 115, 135

3. Any Additional Suggested Supply Purchases?  
   o Mini-projector for the conference room.

4. Urbana University – Course Evaluation  
   o MAT 106 – Intermediate Algebra  
     ➢ Equivalent to Math 24  
     ➢ Does not meet FS  
     ➢ Does not satisfy graduation requirement  
     ➢ Next course – Math 25  
   
   o MAT 220 – PreCalculus  
     ➢ No equivalent but will list Math 135 so students may register for the next course online.  
     ➢ Meets FS  
     ➢ Satisfies graduation requirement  
     ➢ Next course – Math 100, 101, 111, 115, 140, 203

5. Textbooks  
   o Math 21, 21A, 21B  
     ➢ Should we have MML or MathXL bundled with the textbook? Note: There is no difference in the price of the bundle. However, if the student purchase access online, there is about a $20 difference.  
     ➢ It was decided to keep MathXL for spring 2015.  
     ➢ Beginning Fall 2015, we will switch to MML being bundled with the textbook.  
     ➢ Since the ebook for MML will use the original textbook used to make the custom edition, we should have the chapter numbers in the custom book match the chapter numbers in the e-book.
5. **Textbooks (continued)**
   - Math 24, 25, 28, 29
     - Should we continue to use the hardback book or should we go with the binder version?
     - It was decided that we should continue with the hardback book so that it lasts longer and students can sell back the book to the bookstore.
   - Math 231, 232
     - We should have the textbook bundled with the Student Solution Manual in addition to MML. With or without the Student Solution Manual, the price is the same.

6. **Developmental Math Course SLO Alignment with Math Graduation Requirement?**
   - Math Graduation Requirement: Place into Math 100 or successfully complete Math 25 or higher with a grade of C or better.
   - The Math Graduation Requirement is not correctly stated online.
     - Ask Elizabeth Ratliff to update the website.
     - The Program sheet has the math graduation requirement incorrectly stated as well.
   - It seems unusual to have developmental math course SLOs aligned to Math 25 course SLOs.
   - Developmental Education is not a program and we don’t want it to be a separate program.
   - Developmental math courses are part of the Math discipline.
   - We will try to Jan Lubin’s suggestion to align developmental math course SLOs to Math 25 course SLOs and see how it works.
   - Clayton will think about what comments could be made about this.

7. **Kapiolani’s Statway Courses**
   - This item was tabled until we obtain more information from Kapiolani CC.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:18 pm. (Minutes by J. Okumura)