Memorandum

TO: Members of the Natural Sciences Curriculum Committee

FROM: Peter Law
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DATE: October 12, 2016

SUBJECT: Meeting on Tuesday, October 18, 2016

This is the agenda for our discussion on Tuesday, October 18, 2016. We will meet at 11:00 AM in CAS 200, 725 Commonwealth Avenue.

The following is an overview of the items up for discussion and review:

1. **CAS CS 506: Computational Tools for Data Science** (a new course proposal for Spring 2017)

2. **CAS CS 528: Cloud Computing** (a new course proposal for Spring 2017, to be cross-listed with ENG EC 500)

3. **CAS ES 540: Air Pollution and Global Change** (a new course proposal for Spring 2017)

4. The Academic Policy Committee (APC) seeks your comment and thoughts on the assignment of CAS natural sciences (NS, no lab) curricular division designation for the Kilachand Honors College (KHC) first-year seminar syllabus for **KHC EK 102: Hacking: The Technology of Counter-culture**

5. **CAS CS 299: Internship** is a new course proposal for Summer 2017, to be offered though the BU in San Francisco Program. We don’t have a complete proposal for this or a working syllabus (two sample syllabi for similar internship courses are attached for reference). Dean Bizup asks for your comments on what you feel would constitute a viable syllabus for the course/internship, as well as thoughts on what other explanatory text, material, etc. the committee would require to make an informed decision on the proposal.