Interview with Astronomy Stuart Vogel, Grace Deming, and Eric McKensie.  
Interview by Allison Bostrom

Study Abroad

- Pre-merger (CMPS): strongly discouraged
- Physics/math don’t like to give credit for outside programs
- Very few astronomy majors have gone abroad during a semester
- One had a lot of AP credits and went abroad for a year, then stayed at UMD for an extra semester (she went on to MIT for her PhD, so it seems to depend on the student)
- Most people have gone abroad between semesters or have done co-op programs (such as exchange programs with Chile)

Annotated Curriculum Sheets

- We discussed some possible courses that might be the most likely candidates for elaborating on with the aid of the annotated curriculum sheets
- Because my major is small, I’m going to try to ask some of my peers what they think, and we discussed the idea of asking the majors (possibly via email?) what they think about the idea