GECCo Meeting Minutes  
Friday, October 13, 2023  
SCI III 100 Conference Room (FTF)  
Zoom Meeting 2:00 pm – 3:30 pm

Present: Eduardo Montoya, Marta Ruiz (Admin Support), Atieh Poushneh, Bilin Zeng, John Deal, Jonathan Young, Kelly O’Bannon Miller, R. Steven Daniels

Absent: Annie Boehning, Debra Jackson, Nathan Li

Guest: FYS LCS – Charles Lam

The meeting began at 2:00 p.m.

1. Approval of Agenda for Friday, October 13, 2023
   a. Kelly O’Bannon moves to approve the agenda for Friday, October 13, 2023
   b. Jonathan Young seconds to approve the agenda for Friday, October 13, 2023
   c. Objections – None
   d. Abstentions - None
   e. There is a unanimous approval.

2. Approval of Minutes for Friday, September 29, 2023
   a. John Deal moves to approve the meeting minutes.
   b. R. Steven Daniels seconds to approve the meeting minutes.
   c. Objections – None
   d. Abstentions - None
   e. There is a unanimous approval.

3. New Courses (Box>GECCo>Course Submissions>2023-24)
   a. NURS 4218
      i. R. Steven Daniels moves to approve NURS 4218.
      ii. Kelly O’Bannon seconds to approve NURS 4218.
      iii. Objections – None
      iv. Abstentions – None
      v. There is a unanimous approval.
   b. GEOL 2069
      i. R. Steven Daniels moves to approve GEOL 2069
      ii. Kelly O’Bannon seconds to approve GEOL 2069
      iii. There is a unanimous approval.
c. GEOL 4918
   i. GEOL 4918 was not approved (GECCo revision).
   ii. Kelly O’Bannon offered to give Geology advice on revising the course to meet OC reinforcement.

   a. Committee will read the letter from Nate Olson and decide if they want all departments to complete how the course meets the SLOs and Course Requirements.
   b. Eduardo Montoya will request the revised syllabus from Nate Olson as the previous one no longer justifies the skills.

5. Discussion on potential changes to our GE program
   a. Cal-GETC does not have a First Year Seminar area, therefore FYS becomes a 2-unit institution requirement.
   b. Committee will send suggestions to Eduardo Montoya, the pros and cons. He will put something together and discuss it with the group.

6. Further discussion on Course Certification if time allows.
   a. The committee will discuss this at their next meeting.

Adjourned at 3:15 p.m.

Next meeting- 10/27/2023