

General Education Curriculum Committee Meeting Minutes

December 19, 2018

8:00 am – 10 am

Health Center Conference Room

- Goals for AY 2018-2019
 - Approve Rubrics
 - Recertification of B and C Area Courses
 - GE Sustainability
 - Compendium Updates
 - Catalog Updates

Attendees: L. Paris, J. Tarjan, S. Daniels, D. Gove, C. Kloock, J. Moraga, K. Flachmann, B. Larson

1. Approval of 11/30/2018 Minutes (1st Gove, 2nd Daniels, Minutes Approved)
2. Old Business
 - a. Paris will meet with Chairs to discuss UD options
 - b. Job description posted to Dropbox
 - c. Areas A and B Recertification Process
3. New Business
 - a. New Course Reviews Uploaded to Dropbox
 - i. ANTH 1128
 1. Skill reinforcement unclear
 - ii. ANTH 1208
 1. No reviews
 - iii. ANTH 4018
 - iv. ANTH 4598
 - v. HIST 4248
 1. Clarify why this course is revolutionary
 2. Did not really touch on Theme R
 - vi. HIST 4258
 - vii. MATH 4918
 1. Capstone does not require a Theme
 - b. FYS Discussion Continued
 - i. J. Tarjan: Update on the meetings with FYS faculty. Faculty suggestions include
 1. 2-unit, 1 semester course (1st C. Kloock, 2nd J. Tarjan, motion carried)
 2. Remove One Book/One Bakersfield from FYS-but maintain the book in A2 courses.
 3. Possibly remove AVID skills, but keep videos

4. Add a learning style inventory
 5. L. Paris will discuss options for a pilot to allow T/TT faculty to teach 2 units of FYS and receive 3 units of credit with V. Harper. Potentially to be supported by the grant. Would include mentoring.
- c. Rubric Approval Discussion
 - i. Began rubric discussion. Continue discussion during next GECCo meeting.
 - d. Potential Impact of EO: Contingency Planning: Continue discussion.
 - e. Website Evaluation Homework: Please look at the website and evaluate over the break. What changes need to be made?
4. Open Forum
 - a. K. Flachmann: English 1109 (A2) faculty would like to reduce the length of the term paper from 10-12 pages to 5-7 pages. (1st Tarjan, 2nd Daniels, Motion Approved)
 - i. Compendium needs to be updated reflecting change
 - b. K. Flachmann: Large lecture event to be held in February