



**GECCo Meeting Minutes**

Friday, February 24, 2023

SCI III 100 Conference Room (FTF)

Zoom Meeting 2:00 pm – 3:30 pm

**Present:** Andreas Gebauer, Deisy Mascarinas (Admin Support Sub), Alexander Reid, Angela Titi Amayah Ntala, Annie Boehning, Eduardo Montoya, Jonathan Young, Kelly O'Bannon Miller, R. Steven Daniels

**Absent:** Marta Ruiz (Admin Support), Debra Jackson, Nathan Li

**Meeting began at 2:00 p.m.**

1. Approval of Agenda for Friday, February 24, 2023
  - a. Steven Daniels moves to approve the agenda.
  - b. Eduardo Montoya seconds to approve the agenda.
  - c. Objections – None
  - d. Abstentions- None
  - e. There is a unanimous approval.
2. Approval of Minutes for Friday, February 10, 2023
  - a. No meeting minutes to approve for the 2-10-2023 meeting because meeting did not make quorum.
3. Approval of Minutes for Friday, January 27, 2023 – Minutes were not in box, they will be reviewed along with the minutes from Friday, February 24, 2023.
4. Title V non-compliance of UD B, C, D 45-unit pre-requisite
  - a. It was mentioned that there is a state law in place that requires that students have 60 units to be able to take UD B, C, D courses; however, currently students may enroll in them as soon as they have 45-units. The committee was asked what their thoughts on the issue are and whether they should make a change in writing to follow the rule in place by the state.
  - b. Previously the change had been made to allow students who were close to meeting the 60-unit mark to take those upper division courses. It was suggested maybe moving the cap at 50 units.
  - c. It was stated that since there is a law in place, they should maybe look at following the 60-unit rule and in special situations waiving that rule to help those students who may need it.
    - i. Steven Daniels moves to approve the change in number of units needed to take UD B, C, D courses from 45 units to 60 units.
    - ii. Eduardo Montoya seconds to approve the change in number of units needed to take UD B, C, D courses from 45 units to 60 units.
    - iii. Objections – None
    - iv. Abstentions – Kelly O'Bannon abstains.
    - v. There is a unanimous approval.

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5. Syllabus review results – continued
  - a. There were not enough syllabi sent for review.
6. Winter Institute Table Discussion Notes
  - a. Kelly O'Bannon shared that there was lack of variety of different departments in each table. In her case, she was mainly seated with faculty from BPA which led to similar struggles and issues being brought up.
  - b. This item will be further discussed at the committee's next meeting.
7. GE Director three-year review – survey
  - a. The committee was asked by the director to look over the survey results so that they can better discuss the issue at their next meeting.
  - b. The director also asked the group to have prepared what topics they will want in their survey.

**Adjourned at 3:23 PM**

**Next meeting- March 10, 2023**