

General Education

GECCo Meeting Minutes

Friday, April 21, 2023 SCI III 100 Conference Room (FTF) Zoom Meeting 2:00 pm – 3:30 pm

Present: Andreas Gebauer, Marta Ruiz (Admin Support), Alexander Reid Angela titi Amayah Ntala, Annie Boehning, Eduardo Montoya, Jonathan Young, Kelly O'Bannon Miller, R. Steven Daniels

Absent: Debra Jackson, Nathan Li

The meeting began at 2:00 p.m.

- 1. Approval of Agenda for Friday, April 21, 2023
 - a. R. Steven Daniels moves to approve the agenda with the addition of discussion of next year's budget.
 - b. Eduardo Montoya seconds to approve the agenda with the addition of discussion of next year's budget.
 - c. Objections None
 - d. Abstentions- None
 - e. There is a unanimous approval.
- 2. Approval of Minutes for Friday, March 24, 2023
 - a. R. Steven Daniels moves to approve the meeting minutes.
 - b. Eduardo Montoya seconds to approve the meeting minutes.
 - c. Objections None
 - d. Abstentions- None
 - e. There is a unanimous approval.
- 3. Budget Update
 - a. Andreas Gebauer shared that the Provost has informed Debra Jackson that the same amount of funds as the AY 2022-23 will be provided for GE for the AY 2023-23.
 - b. Andreas Gebauer asked the committee about moving LC facilitators to assigned time to which the committee agreed.
 - c. Andreas Gebauer will inform Debra Jackson that the committee agrees that LC facilitators should be receiving proper compensation.
- 4. Winter Institute Table Discussion Notes (Box>GECCo>Meeting Materials>2022-23)
 - a. The group discussed topics from the winter institute table discussion notes.
 - i. One topic brought up was how to incorporate Theme S.
 - ii. Another issue brought up was how to accurately incorporate something as complex as diversity.

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- iii. The group also discussed Chat GPT and whether students should be taught how to use it or completely told not to use it.
 - The group had mixed feelings about using Chat GPT as it is not always accurate.

Adjourned at 2:50 PM

Next meeting- May 5, 2023