General Education Oversight Committee  
December 11, 2017 – 1:30pm-3:00pm in Rowe 420  

Agenda

1. Preliminaries  
   A. LUNCH  
   B. Call ins: Dial 1-800-857-9702, passcode 46672

2. Welcome and Regrets

3. Past and Future  
   A. Minutes of November 29, 2017 meeting: and Karen comment on minutes going forward  
   B. Next Meeting: January 24, 2018 at 10:00am

4. Chair’s Report  
   A. ΔGE Working Group  
   B. Senate motion on Environmental Literacy (‘ELSenate12.4.pdf’)

5. Subcommittee Reports  
   A. W Report (‘GEOC W Competency Subcommittee Report 12-11-17’)  
      • AMST/HIST 3502/W Colonial America: Native Americans, Slaves, and Settlers, 1492-1760 (W) [Create an AMST cross-listing]

6. Alignment Reports  
   A. No reports

7. Old Business  
   A. Environmental Literacy motion – Dave Wagner, Guest (see also ‘Rationale for adding Environmental Literacy to General Education’, ‘Environmental courses capacity analysis’, ‘Motions regarding Environment gen ed_2’)  
   B. GEOC Budget Report (‘GEOC Budget Report_FY 2018’)  
   C. GEOC Review of Second Language Courses (no updates)  
   D. Q Assessment (no updates)

8. Course Action Requests  
   A. PNB 3264W Molecular Principles of Physiology, #3681 (W) [Revise Pre-reqs]  
      Note: This course was placed on hold pending contact with the proposer about the need for a W statement/F clause in the syllabus.  
   B. ECON 2500W Writing in Economics, (W) [Intensive session]  
      Note: This course was placed on hold pending consultation with the proposer on the following: 1) the peer review mentioned in the syllabus, 2) the number of revised pages, and
3) whether there is enough time to complete the draft/revision process. Updates were received.

C. AMST/ENGL 2274W Disability in American Lit and Culture, #3457 (CA1, CA4, W) [Add AMST cross-listing]

D. AMST/ENGL 2276/W American Utopias and Dystopias, # 4515 (CA1, W) [New cross-listed course]

E. AMST/ENGL 3265W Seminar in American Studies, #3843 (W) [revise title and description]

F. AMST/ENGL/HIST 2207 Empire and U.S. Culture, #3841 (CA1, CA4) [New cross-listed course]

G. AMST/URBN 2400 City and Community in Film, #4816 (CA1) [Add AMST cross-listing]

H. EEB 2222 Plants in a Changing World, #4856 (CA3) [New course]

I. ENGL 2013W Introduction to Writing, #3962 (W) [New course]

J. HIST 2020 Pyramids, Pirates, and the Pōlis: The Ancient Mediterranean, #5018 (CA1, CA4-Int) [New Course]

K. HIST/AFRA/LLAS 3619/W History of the Caribbean, #4958 (CA1, CA4-Int, W) [New cross-listed course]

L. MARN 3801W Marine Sciences and Society, #4720 (W) [Level change]

M. MCB 2612 Honors Core: Microbe Hunters-Crowdsourcing Antibiotic Discovery, #3284 (New CA3-Lab)

N. PHIL 2410 Know Thyself, #4756 (CA1) [New course]

O. POLS 3610/W American Politics in Film, #4476 (CA2, W) [New course]

P. SOCI 1001 [Intensive session]

9. New Business
   A. Information Literacy Subcommittee Report (Pending)

10. Coming Up this Year
   A. Study Abroad and CA4 Gen Ed
   B. Presentations from First-Year Writing & Honors (Spring)