



General Education Oversight Committee
February 25, 2019, 1:00pm-2:30pm in **Dodd 162**
Agenda

1. Preliminaries

- A. Call-ins: Dial 1-866-857-0502, passcode 2023183#

2. Welcome and Regrets

- A. Regrets: Chunsheng Yang, all semester; Lisa Blansett; Bernard Goffinet

3. Past and Future

- A. Minutes of January 29, 2019 meeting ('Minutes_1-29-19_ES Edits.docx')
- B. Next Meeting: **Tuesday, March 12 – 2:00pm – 3:30pm**
Monday, April 1 – 1:00pm-2:30pm
Tuesday, April 16 – 2:00pm – 3:30pm
Monday, April 29 – 1:00pm-2:30pm

4. Chair's Report

- A. ΔGE Working Group
- B. Provost's Competition Reception – February 28, 2019, 5:00-6:00pm – Members are invited to attend
- C. GEOC Budget Report ('GEOC Budget Report_FY 2019.docx')
- D. Capacity matters (EL: 'Capacity over three years of courses proposed for EL_2.docx'; others?)

5. Subcommittee Reports

- A. CA1 Report (see 'CA1 Report_2-25-19')
 - a. HIST 1801 History of Asia in the World to 1500 [CA1, CA4-Int] (#9504) [Revise description; add CA1 and CA4-Int]
 - b. HIST/AASI 3554 Immigrants and the Shaping of U.S. History [CA1, CA4*] (#9566) [Add CA1 and CA4*]
 - c. HIST/AASI 3822 Modern China [CA1, CA4-Int] (#9543) [Add CA1 and CA4-Int]
 - d. MUSI 3407W History of Jazz [CA1, CA4*, W] (#9161) [Add new course]
- B. CA3 Report (see 'CA3 Report_2-25-19')
 - a. PHAR 1001 Toxic Chemicals and Health [CA3, E] (#8989) [Add E]
 - b. PHYS 1040QE Cosmic Origins of Life [CA3, Q, E] (#9339) [New CA3, Q, and E]
- C. CA4 Report (see 'CA4 Report_2-25-19')
 - a. HIST 1801 History of Asia in the World to 1500 [CA1, CA4-Int] (#9504) [Revise description; add CA1 and CA4-Int]
 - b. HIST/AASI 3554 Immigrants and the Shaping of U.S. History [CA1, CA4*] (#9566) [Add CA1 and CA4*]
 - c. HIST/AASI 3822 Modern China [CA1, CA4-Int] (#9543) [Add CA1 and CA4-Int]
 - d. MUSI 3407W History of Jazz [CA1, CA4*, W] (#9161) [Add new course]

* There was some confusion as to whether these courses were seeking CA4 or CA4-INT.

- D. Q Report
 - a. Q assessment

- E. W Report (see 'W Report_2-25-19')
 - a. COMM 4035W Advanced Media Effects [W] (#9484) [Revise prereqs and course number]
 - b. ENGL 3122/W Irish Literature in English since 1939 [CA4-Int, W] (#8598) [Adding W section to existing non-W]
 - c. MATH 3710/W Mathematical Modeling (#8537) [Adding W version; revise catalog copy]
 - d. MCB 3841W Research Literature in Molecular and Cell Biology [W] (#6026) [Revise pre-reqs]
 - e. MUSI 3407W History of Jazz [CA1, CA4, W] (#9161) [Add new course]
 - f. NURS 4230W Quality Improvement and Evidence Based Practice in Nursing [W] (#9220) [Adding new W]

- F. E Report (see 'E Report_2-25-19')
 - a. ENGL 3240 American Nature Writing [E] (#8460) [Add E]
 - b. ENGL 3635 Literature and the Environment [CA1, E] (#8461) [Level change, add CA1 and E]
 - c. ENGL 3715 Nature Writing Workshop [E] (#8959) [Add E, revise description]
 - d. ENVE 1000 Environmental Sustainability [CA2, E] (#10053) [Add E]
 - e. ENVE 2310 Environmental Engineering Fundamentals [E] (#10016) [Pre/Coreq revision, add E]
 - f. PHAR 1001 Toxic Chemicals and Health [CA3, E] (#8989) [Add E]
 - g. PHYS 1040QE Cosmic Origins of Life [CA3, Q, E] (#9339) [New CA3, Q, and E]

6. Alignment Reports

- A. Due by March 12, 2019

7. Old Business

- A. Learning Outcomes for Second Language General Education courses

- B. Possible requirement that at least one W course should be in the English language

- C. Possible change of W requirement on paper length, from page length to word number

8. Course Action Requests

Older Requests

- A. DRAM 3130 Women in Theatre [CA4] (#3372) [revise title, catalog copy, and enrollment restrictions]
Note: This course was being held pending consultation on why CA1 status is not being sought. An answer has been received.

- B. EDCI 1100 If You Love It, Teach It [CA2] (#5021) [New CA2]
Note: This course is being held pending clarification of which content areas are being sought.

- C. NRE 3145 Meteorology [E] (#9697) [Revise prereqs, add E]

Note: This course is being held pending more Gen Ed justification.

- D. NRE 3146 Climatology [E] (#9812) [Add E]

Note: This course is being held pending more Gen Ed justification.

- E. NURS 4250 Public Health Nursing [E] (#9715) [New E]

New Requests

- A. AASI/HIST 3820 History of Modern Chinese Political Thought [CA1, CA4] (#9587) [Revise description; adding CA1 & CA4]
- B. AMST/CLCS/HEJS 2204 Jewish Culture in American Film [CA1-A, CA4] (#7892) [New Course]
- C. ANTH/EVST 3340 Culture and Conservation [CA2, CA4-Int, E] (#8803) [Add recommended prep; Add CA2, CA4-Int, and E]
- D. ARE 1110 Population, Food, and the Environment [CA2, E] (#10617) [Adding E]
- E. ARE 4438 Valuing the Environment [E] (#10621) [Add E]
- F. ARE 4462 Environmental and Resource Economics [E] (#10622) [Add E]
- G. GEOG 2400 Introduction to Sustainable Cities [CA2, CA4-Int, E] (#8801) [Adding E]
- H. GSCI 1010 Dinosaurs, Extinctions, and Environmental Catastrophes [CA3, E] (#10377) [Add E]
- I. GSCI 1050 Earth's Dynamic Environment [CA3-Lab, E] (#10376) [Add E]
- J. GSCI 1051 Earth's Dynamic Environment [CA3, E] (#9974) [Add E]
- K. GSCI 1055 Geoscience and the American Landscape [CA3, E] (#9975) [Add E; remove “formerly offered”]
- L. GSCI 2500 Earth System Science [E] (#9971) [Add E]
- M. HIST 1450 Global History of the Second World War [CA1-C, CA4-Int] (#10497) [New Course]
- N. HIST/CAMS 3326 Ancient Rome: Emperors & Barbarians [CA1-C] (#9977) [New Cross-listed Course]
- O. POLS 3030/W Settler Colonialism/Indigenous Thought and Practice [W] (#9892) [New Course]
- P. POLS/WGSS 3027/W Historical Women Political Thinks [W] (#9893) [New Cross-listed Course]

Even Newer Requests

- A. EVST 1000 Introduction to Environmental Studies [CA2, E] (#9604) [Add E]
- B. LAND 2201 The Common (Shared) Landscape of the USA: Rights, Responsibilities & Values [CA1, E] (#9751) [Add E]
- C. SPSS 2500 Principles and Concepts of Agroecology [E] (#10877) [Revise description; add E]

9. New Business

- A. Revision to Senate By-Laws, Rules and Regulations ('Revisions to Senate Rules and Regs II.C.2 on Gen Ed new.doc')

10. Coming Up

- A. Study Abroad and CA4 Gen Ed
- B. Presentation from First-Year Writing