



General Education Oversight Committee
April 1, 2019, 1:00pm-2:30pm in Rowe 420
Agenda

1. Preliminaries

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

2. Welcome and Regrets

- A. Regrets: Beth Ginsberg, every Tues this semester; Chunsheng Yang, all semester

3. Past and Future

- A. Minutes of March 12, 2019 meeting ('Minutes_3-12-19.docx')
- B. Next Meeting: **Tuesday, April 16 – 2:00pm – 3:30pm**
Monday, April 29 – 1:00pm-2:30pm

4. Chair's Report

- A. ΔGE Working Group
- B. Upcoming Business (see also items 10.A and 10.B)
 - a. First Year Writing Assessment Report (4/16/19)
 - b. Reports from 2017-18 Provost's Competition Winners (4/29/19)
- C. GEOC Chair Announcement: E. Schultz has been appointed Chair for Life...(April Fools!)

5. Subcommittee Reports

- A. CA1 Report
 - a. HIST/AMST 2810 Crime, Policing, and Punishment in the United States [CA1-C] (#8136) [Add CA1 and AMST cross-listing]
 - b. LAND 2201 The Common (Shared) Landscape of the USA: Rights, Responsibilities & Values [CA1, E] (#9751) [Add E] – Review for continued CA1 compliance
- B. CA2 Report (see 'CA2 Report_4-1-19')
 - a. ANTH/EVST 3340 Culture and Conservation [CA2, CA4-Int, E] (#8803) [Add recommended prep; Add CA2, CA4-Int, and E]
 - b. EDCI 1100 If You Love It, Teach It [CA2] (#5021) [New CA2]
 - c. EVST 1000 Introduction to Environmental Studies [CA2, E] (#9604) [Add E]
 - d. GEOG 2200 Introduction to Human Geography [CA2, CA4-Int] (#10094) [Add CA2 and CA4-Int]
 - e. GEOG 2400 Introduction to Sustainable Cities [CA2, CA4] (#9587) [Revise description; adding CA2 & CA4]
- C. CA4 Report
 - a. GEOG 2200 Introduction to Human Geography [CA2, CA4-Int] (#10094) [Add CA2 and CA4-Int]

- D. Q Report
 - a. Q Assessment Updates

- E. W Report
 - a. COMM 4035W Advanced Media Effects [W] (#9484) [Revise number and prereqs]

- F. E Report (see 'E Report_4-1-19')
 - a. ARE 3434 Environmental and Resource Policy [E] (#10938) [Add E]
 - b. ARE 3437 Marine Fisheries Economics and Policy [E] (#10939) [Add E]
 - c. ECON 3466 Environmental Economics [E] (#11127) [Add E]
 - d. ENGL 3635 Literature and the Environment
 - e. ENGL 3715 Nature Writing Workshop
 - f. GEOG 1300 Weather, Climate and Environment [CA3, E] (#10034) [Add CA3 and E]
 - g. GSCI 1050 Earth's Dynamic Environment [CA3-Lab, E] (#10376) [Add E]
 - h. GSCI 1051 Earth's Dynamic Environment [CA3, E] (#9974) [Add E]
 - i. ARE 4438 Valuing the Environment [E] (#10621) [Add E]
 - j. ARE 4462 Environmental and Resource Economics [E] (#10622) [Add E]
 - k. EVST 1000 Introduction to Environmental Studies [CA2, E] (#9604) [Add E]
 - l. GEOG 2400 Introduction to Sustainable Cities [CA2, CA4-Int, E] (#8801) [Adding E]
 - m. GSCI 1010 Dinosaurs, Extinctions, and Environmental Catastrophes [CA3, E] (#10377) [Add E]
 - n. GSCI 1055 Geoscience and the American Landscape [CA3, E] (#9975) [Add E; remove "formerly offered"]
 - o. GSCI/GEOG 1070 Natural Disasters and Environmental Change [CA3, E] (#10378) [Add E]
 - p. GSCI/GEOG 2310 National Parks Unearthed: Geology & Landscapes Through Time [E] (#10379) [Add E]
 - q. GSCI 2500 Earth System Science [E] (#9971) [Add E]
 - r. NURS 4250 Public Health Nursing [E] (#9715) [New E]
 - s. SPSS 2100 Environmental Sustainability of Food Production in Developed Countries [E] (#10898) [Add E]

6. Alignment Reports

- A. CA2 Alignment Report
 - a. POLS 1602/W

- B. W Alignment Report
 - a. POLS 1602W

7. Urgent Business

- A. Discussion on Final Report of the ΔGE Task Force on General Education (No formal vote required)
 - a. See 'Final report of DGenEd Task Force on General Education_2.docx'
 - b. See 'Staff Faculty Survey.pdf'
 - c. See 'Student Survey.pdf'

8. Old Business

- A. Learning Outcomes for Second Language General Education courses
- B. W Guideline Changes?
 - a. Possible requirement that at least one W course should be in the English language
 - b. Possible change of W requirement on paper length, from page length to word number

9. Course Action Requests

Older Requests

- A. NRE 3145 Meteorology [E] (#9697) [Revise prereqs, add E]
Note: This course is being held pending more Gen Ed justification.
- B. NRE 3146 Climatology [E] (#9812) [Add E]
Note: This course is being held pending more Gen Ed justification.

New Requests

- A. ANTH 1005WE Pranks and Shenanigans [CA1, CA2, CA3, W, E] (#222551)
- B. ANTH 1010 Global Climate Change and Human Societies [CA2, CA4-INT, E] (#8737) [Add E]
- C. DMD 2620 Human Development, Digital Media, and Technology [CA2, CA4] (#9363) [New CA2, CA4]
- D. DRAM 2134 Honors Core: Sports as Performance [CA1] (#10194) [Revise prereqs]
- E. ECON 1107 Honors Core: Economics, Nature, and the Environment [CA2, E] (#11128) [Add E]
- F. EEB 2244/W General Ecology [W, E] (#10114) [Add E]
- G. GSCI 2140E Our Evolving Atmosphere [CA3, E] (#6867) [New CA3, E]
- H. MATH 2705W Technical Writing in Mathematics [W] (#11517) [New W]
- I. MCB 3844W Microbes and the Media [W] (#7029) [New W]

10. Coming Up

- A. First Year Writing Assessment Report (4/16/19)
- B. Reports from 2017-18 Provost's Competition Winners (4/29/19)
- C. Study Abroad and CA4 Gen Ed
- D. Presentation from First-Year Writing