



General Education Oversight Committee

April 1, 2020, 10:30am-12:00pm
in BlackBoard Collaborate (via HuskyCT)

Agenda

1. Preliminaries

2. Welcome and Regrets

3. Past and Future

- A. Minutes of March 11, 2020 meeting (see 'Minutes_3-11-20.docx')
- B. Spring Meeting Schedule:
 - Monday, April 13 – 1:30pm-3:00pm
 - Monday, April 27 – 1:30pm-3:00pm
 - Wednesday, July 1 – 6:00am-12:00pm (Makeup Meeting)

4. Chair's Report

- A. Delta2GE Update (see "[Delta2GE draft March 2020](#)")
- B. LTE Task Force Update
- C. Subcommittee co-chairs and members
 - a. Jen Terni (Nominated for CA1 Co-Chair)
 - b. Morty Ortega (Nominated for CA4 Co-Chair)
 - c. Oksan Bayulgen (Nominated for CA4 Co-Chair)
 - d. Brenda Brueggemann (Nominated for Info Lit Co-Chair)
 - e. Michele Back (Nominated for SL Co-Chair)
- D. Promotion of Gen Ed and Other Potential Uses of Funds

5. Subcommittee Dockets

- A. CA1 Docket
 - a. FREN 3211 Contemporary France [CA1-e, CA4-Int, W] (#14782) [Making existing course a W]
 - b. URBN/HIST 2650 History of Urban Latin America [CA1] (#14901) [Revise level, remove restriction]
 - c. ARTH 4444 Representations of Religious Figures in Toast (#93837) [New CA1]
- B. CA2 Docket (see "CA2 Report_4-1-20")
 - a. ANTH/HRTS 3320W Propaganda, Disinformation, and Hate Speech [CA2, W] (#14977) [New Course]
 - b. ARE 1150 Principles of Agricultural and Resource Economics [CA2] (#321) [Revise title and description]
 - c. EPSY 1830 Critical and Creative Thinking in the Movies [CA2] (#12544) [New Course, Intensive Session]

- d. POLS 3240 Environmental and Climate Justice [CA2, EL] (#13666) [Revise title, description, Add CA2, EL]
 - e. SLHS 1150/W Introduction to Communication Disorders [CA2, CA4, W] (#15156) [Adding W version]
 - f. SOCI 4567 Come With Me if You Want to Live: Social Divisions in the Age of SkyNet (#93837) [New CA2]
- C. CA3 Docket
- a. CHEM 1124Q Fundamentals of General Chemistry I [CA3-L, Q] (#15038) [Revise description]
 - b. MARN 1002 Introduction to Oceanography [CA3, EL] (#15079) [Revise description, add EL]
 - c. MARN 1003 Introduction to Oceanography with Laboratory [CA3-L, EL] (#15078) [Revise description, add EL]
 - d. CHEM 4321 I Ain't Afraid of No Ghosts: The Properties and Uses of Paranormal Ectoplasm (#83746) [New CA3]
- D. CA4 Report
- a. FREN 3211 Contemporary France [CA1-e, CA4-Int, W] (#14782) [Making existing course a W]
 - b. SLHS 1150/W Introduction to Communication Disorders [CA2, CA4, W] (#15156) [Adding W version]
 - c. COMM 2637 History of Trash Talk Across Cultures and Peoples (#837477) [New CA4-Int]
- E. Q Report (N/A)
- a. CHEM 1124Q Fundamentals of General Chemistry I [CA3-L, Q] (#15038) [Revise description]
 - b. PHYS 2333Q How Cats Land on Their Feet: The Physics of Cute Furry Things (#83746) [New Q]
- F. W Report
- a. ANTH/HRTS 3320W Propaganda, Disinformation, and Hate Speech [CA2, W] (#14977) [New Course]
 - b. FREN 3211 Contemporary France [CA1-e, CA4-Int, W] (#14782) [Making existing course a W]
 - c. GEOG/URBN 3200/W Urban Geography [W] (#14902) [Add W]
 - d. HIST 1600W Intro to Latin America and the Caribbean [CA1, CA4-Int, W] (#12724) [Adding W version of HIST cross-list]
 - e. KINS 3545W Resistance Training for Health and Performance [W] (#11322) [New W]
 - f. KINS 4510/W Advanced Topics in Health and Sport Performance [W] (#11325) [Revise title, description, and prereqs]
 - g. PHAR 3087W Honors Thesis in Pharmacy [W] (#13865) [Adding PHRX cross-listing]
 - h. SLHS 1150/W Introduction to Communication Disorders [CA2, CA4, W] (#15156) [Adding W version]
 - i. ENGL 4321W Ode to the Oxford Comma and Other Beloved Punctuation (#8473615) [New W]
- G. EL Report
- a. ECON 3466E Environmental Economics [EL] (N/A) [Intensive Session Request]
 - b. MARN 1002 Introduction to Oceanography [CA3, EL] (#15079) [Revise description, add EL]

- c. MARN 1003 Introduction to Oceanography with Laboratory [CA3-L, EL] (#15078) [Revise description, add EL]
- d. POLS 3240 Environmental and Climate Justice [CA2, EL] (#13666) [Revise title, description, Add CA2, EL]
- e. ANSC 4888 Belching Cows: A Study of Bovine Methane and the Problem of Greenhouse Gas Emissions (#253638) [New EL]

H. Information Literacy Report (see 7.B. below)

I. Second Language Report

6. Alignment Reports

A. CA1 Alignment Report - NURS 2175

B. CA4 Alignment Report (see "CA4 Alignment Report_2019-2020")

C. W Alignment Report (Part 2)

7. Other Reports

A. Q Report Final Discussion

B. Information Literacy Final Discussion ([see 'DL IL task force prelim report'](#))

8. Old Business

A. Continued Q Assessment Report Discussion

B. Gen Ed Goals and Syllabi

C. Learning Outcomes for Second Language General Education courses – Under Consideration

D. 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
- c. W Course Instruction (aka "W Course Faculty Drift")

E. Study Abroad and CA4 Gen Ed

9. New Business#

A. Gen Ed Requirements for Students with International Degrees

B. Education Abroad Courses – "International Study" versus "Foreign Study"

10. Course Action Requests in the Queue

Full-Committee Review

A. N/A

Requests on Hold

A. N/A

Requests Awaiting Chair Review

A. N/A