



## General Education Oversight Committee

February 15, 2021, 10:30am-12:00pm on WebEx

### Agenda

#### 1. Preliminaries

**Meeting link:** <https://uconn-cmr.webex.com/uconn-cmr/j.php?MTID=m7be04dc7c0bf88bc84a37d846974f7bc>

Meeting number: 120 107 3160

Password: GenEd2021

#### 2. Welcome and Regrets

#### 3. Past and Future

- A. Minutes of February 3, 2021 meeting.
- B. Remaining Meetings – Spring 2021
  - Wed. March 3, 11:00am-12:30pm
  - Mon. March 15, 10:30am-12:00pm
  - Wed. April 7, 11:00am-12:30pm
  - Mon. April 26, 10:30am-12:00pm

#### 4. Chair's Report

- A. AAC&U Conference on General Education, Pedagogy, and Assessment (Feb 10-13)
- B. Delta2GE Update

#### 5. Subcommittee Dockets

- A. CA1 Docket
  - a. AAAS 2316/W Asian Theatre and Performance [CA1, CA4, W] (#1955) [New course]
  - b. CHIN 3280 Networking in China [CA1, CA4] (#3818) [New course]
  - c. HIST 1200 World History, 1200-1800 [CA1, CA4-Int] (N/A) [Intensive Session Request]
- B. CA2 Docket
  - a. NURS 1500 Introduction to Correctional Healthcare [CA2] (#3995) [New course]
  - b. SOCI/HDFS 3240/W Aging in American Society [CA2, W] (#5215) [Cross-list with HDFS]
  - c. WGSS 2124 Gender and Globalization [CA2, CA4-Int] (#4094) [Revise prereqs]
- C. CA3 Docket (N/A)
  - a. CHEM 1124Q Fundamentals of General Chemistry I [CA3-Lab, Q] (#4994) [Revise prereqs]
- D. CA4 Docket (N/A)
  - a. HIST 1200 World History, 1200-1800 [CA1, CA4-Int] (N/A) [Intensive Session Request]
- E. Q Docket
  - a. CHEM 1124Q Fundamentals of General Chemistry I [CA3-Lab, Q] (#4994) [Revise prereqs]
  - b. COMM 2010Q Applied Communication Research Methods [Q] (#5137) [Add Course]

F. W Docket

- a. ANTH 4097W Honors Thesis [W] (#4894) [New course]
- b. DRAM 4135/W Period Studies in Theatre [W] (#3274) [Revise title and description]
- c. ECON 3431/W Public Economics [W] (#5114) [Revise title and description]
- d. ENGL 3003W Advanced Expository Writing [W] (#2994) [Revise title and prereqs]
- e. NURS 3715W Nursing Leadership [W] (#3934) [Revise title]
- f. NURS 4230W Quality Improvement and Evidence Based Practice in Nursing [W] (#4001) [Revise prereqs and description]
- g. SOCI/HDFS 3240/W Aging in American Society [CA2, W] (#5215) [Cross-list with HDFS]
- h. WGSS 3270/W Masculinities [W] (#4239) [Revise prereqs]

G. EL Docket

- a. MARN 1002 Introduction to Oceanography [CA3, EL] (#15079/1892) [Revise description, add EL]
- b. MARN 1003 Introduction to Oceanography with Laboratory [CA3-L, EL] (#15078/1891) [Revise description, add EL]
- c. NURS 4250 Public Health Nursing [EL] (#4002) [Add EL; revise prereqs and description]

H. Information Literacy Docket

I. Second Language Docket

**6. Alignment Reports**

- A. CA1
- B. CA2
- C. CA3
- D. CA4
- E. Q
- F. W

**7. New Business**

- A. FYW as General Education
- B. Expand Description and/or Criteria for Content Areas and Competencies
- C. PR and Mentoring Campaign for Gen Ed in the Spring:
  - a. Awareness of importance of Gen Ed (students, staff, faculty: presentations of Gen Ed courses, videos about what Gen Ed did for..., student focus groups on specific topics,...)
  - b. Gen Ed and Covid-19: student survey conversation with colleagues at Stamford
  - c. Mentoring: Lack of knowledge about EL
  - d. Outreach to Student Organizations
  - e. Suggestions for student initiatives
  - f. Something related to Delta2GE
- D. Number of EL Seats

**8. Old Business**

- A. TBD

## 9. Carryover Business

- A. Gen Ed Goals and Syllabi
- B. Q Criteria Discussion
- C. 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”)
- D. Study Abroad and CA4 Gen Ed

## 10. Course Action Requests in the Queue

### Full-Committee Review

- A. ENGL 1013W Technical Writing [W] (#4316) [Delete course]

### Requests on Hold

- A. N/A

### Requests Awaiting Chair Review

- A. ARIS/WGSS 1170 Women's Writing in the Contemporary Arab World [CA1, CA4, W] (#3974) [Add CA1-b, CA4, and W; cross-list with WGSS]
- B. ENGL 3015W Writing Across Cultures [CA4, W] (#4576) [New course]
- C. HIST/AAAS 2688/W Foreign Relations of China Since 1949 [CA1, W] (#5414) [New course]
- D. PHIL 1109 Global Existentialism [CA4-Int] (#5316) [New course]