MINUTES OF THE GENERAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE

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**29 APRIL 2016**

Members Present: S. Adisasmito-Smith (CAH), V. Biondo (CAH), P. Crosbie (Chair, CSM), K. Dunbar (DOSAEM, ex officio), X. Fu (Provost), S. Montana (CHHS), C. Perez (COSS), S. Schlievert (KSOEHD), A. Tang (AS), A. Stratemeyer (CSB), A. Weerasinghe (LCOE), L. Williams (JCAST).

Members absent, un-appointed or un-elected:

J.P. Choi (CSM), K. Kennedy (AS)

Guests: Melissa Jordine, University Assessment Coordinator, Susan Geringer, CSB

Chair Crosbie called the meeting to order at 12:10 in HML 4115

1. Approval of the Agenda. **MSC unanimous**.

2. Approval of the Minutes of 15 APRIL 2016. **MSC unanimous**

3. Communications and Announcements:

Run-off election for reps from CHHS and COSS.

4. New course proposals:

WS 120S – discussion: existing Ge course being converted to a S course also. GE committee doesn’t need to reevaluate.

MKTG 100S, second reading. **MSC unanimous to include as an MI course**, pending minor changes (add UDWE as alternative to W course, state junior status required, use will in SLO descriptions)

5. Updated GE sheet for 2016-17. Quick overview for errors.

6. Deletion of GE courses- update. Memo sent to departments. Requests to keep some courses in approved after responses from Departments/colleges.

7. Election of new GE chair. Vince Biondo elected as new chair.

8. Old Business – Geography GE proposals- revised submissions expected

Senate executive committee to meet again – Crosbie to present policy change re UD GE to them.

9. New Business – none

Adjournment: 1:20- p.m., next meeting scheduled for 13 May 2016, USU 311.