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Members Present: A. Lawson (Chair), Sandra Lee, Michelle Calvarese, D. Christensen, Steve Adisasmito-Smith , Nagy Benjamin

Members Absent: D. Nef (excused), B. Berrett (excused), Janell Tatsumura (excused), Paul Crosbie (excused), Dhruv Doshi, Rebekah Arredondo, Roksana Badruddoja (excused)

The meeting was called to order by Chair A. Lawson at 11:05 p.m. in Academic Affairs Conference Room, Library 4164.

1. Minutes. MSC to approve of minutes of 3/04/11
2. Agenda. MSC to approve the agenda as distributed.
3. Communications and announcements
None
4. Music IC course – exception to max two course in breadth policy

Noted catalog copy is not consistent with GE policy document and should be changed for 2012/13 academic year. Catalog states not more than 2 courses from one department in breadth, Integration and MI. The GE policy document states:

A maximum of two courses from one department or program may be applied to satisfy the Breadth requirements. However, a department or program may prohibit any Breadth course from simultaneously satisfying its own departmental or programmatic requirements.

The IC course in the music department is therefore not in violation of GE policy as approved by the senate.

5. Revision of GE Program Description

GE Writing Policy – MSC to approve
GE Policies – further edits to the GE policy document were made

MSC to adjourn at 12:55p.m.

The next scheduled meeting of the General Education Committee will be April 1, 2011.

AGENDA

Friday, April 15, 2011 @ 11:00 a.m., **HML 4164**

1. Approval of the Minutes of 3/18/2011
2. Approval of the Agenda.
3. Communications and Announcements.
4. Revision of GE Program Description – GE Policies Document