

MINUTES OF THE GENERAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE
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Members Present: A. Lawson (Chair), D. Nef, Sandra Lee, Dhruv Doshi, ,
D. Christensen, Paul Crosbie, Rebekah Arredondo,
Steve Adisasmito-Smith, Janell Tatsumura

Members Absent: B. Berrett (excused), Michelle Calvarese(excused),
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 11/19/10.
2. Agenda. MSC to approve the agenda as distributed.
3. Communications and announcements
 - a. Request for members to serve on task force to implement Q-dogs recommendations
4. Revisions to course proposals:
 - a. ARAB 1A – send back to dept to implement requested changes
 - b. ARAB 1B - send back to dept to implement requested changes
5. Review of GE Outcomes Assessment plans from departments
 - a. PHIL 20 - approved
 - b. MUS 171 – not sure which outcome they are assessing and no criteria for meeting the outcome
 - c. Chem 1A - approved
 - d. EES 167 – missing the assignment to be evaluated
 - e. Comm 3 – the assignment is missing (provide) and the rubric only captures the documentation of sources, not the research aspect
 - f. Biol 10 – simplify to show activity and rubric
 - g. Drama 62 – no assignment
 - h. DS 71 – does not have current GE outcome – not standardized across sections
 - i. ECON 181 - approved
 - j. PH 90 - approved

- k. FIN 30 – criteria for meeting outcome is not there
- l. Soc 3 - approved
- m. GEOG 167 - approved
- n. PLSI 1 – no assignment or standard method of assessment
- o. RA 80 - provide the actual assignment
- p. Gerontology 100 – the assignment does not meet the “discuss” outcome
- q. IT 20 – need to pick one outcome and rubric is not specific
- r. Plant 105 - approved
- s. SWRK 136 - approved
- t. WS 10 – approved
- u. AS27 – no assignment or standard method of assessment
- v. Crim 101 – no assignment and rubric does not align with outcome

MSC to adjourn at 1:00 p.m.

The next scheduled meeting of the General Education Committee will be announced early in the next semester.

Agenda

Friday, Feb 4, 2011 @ 11:00 a.m., **HML 4164**

1. Approval of the Minutes of 12/03/2010
2. Approval of the Agenda.
3. Communications and Announcements.
4. Revisions to course proposals
 - a. PERS 1A
 - b. PERS 1B
5. New course proposal:
 - a. IT 30
6. Review of GE Outcomes Assessment plans from departments
 - a. Computer Science – CSc 1
 - b. Information Systems and Decision Science – DS 71