MINUTES OF THE GENERAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE

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Friday, November 22, 2019

**HML 4115 (Haak conference room)**

1. Approval of Agenda – moved and approved

2. Approval of Minutes – moved and approved

3. Communications and Announcements

GE Sub committee – working group will move ahead next semester

Lynn Williams brought up and Dr. Muscat expanded– some legislature re: ethnic studies becoming a requirement in CSU. Unsure of status. A CSU task force has been formed. Dr. Muscat will share out as things occur. We do have our own MI committee being formed.

4. New Business

a. MATH-6 (Kathy/ Michael) – GE Area B4 - conversion of existing course to become a B4 course in order to satisfy EO 1110 so all have opportunity to complete B4 within 8 units. Satisfies content of requirement. It just needs to add a clear assignment and Learning Outcome but just about any assignment will work. Chadley asked to have an assignment added so we, as a committee will be able to approve to hold consistently with previously approved courses. Moved to approve with suggested changes, waive 2nd reading and just permit Chair to do final approval. Unanimously approved.

b. CM-124 (Yushin/ Chadley) – GE Area ID – felt it covered this area well, and did require the writing we’ve asked for all other proposed GE. Learning Outcome and GE Portfolio addressed. Assigned text, and no reading list in syllabus but has an extensive attachment. Moved to approved and was approved, Chris abstained as he unfortunately arrived late. There was discussion about moving reading list into syllabus but all agreed to let it remain as an attachment.

5. New Course Proposals – none at the moment but may have another from Engineering. Chadley will reach out. If they do we can perhaps review via email.

6. Tabled Items

a. CE-161

b. CE-180A

7. Adjournment

Cancelled 12/6 meeting and a majority are able to attend a tentative 12/13 meeting in its place. 12:42pm

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

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| **Member** | **College** | **Notes / Attendance** |
| Devendra Sharma | CAH |  |
| Aaron Schuelke | CAH | x |
| Yertai Tanai | CSB |  |
| Steven Payne | CSM |  |
| Michael Bishop | CSM | x |
| Chadley James **(Chair)** | CSS | x |
| Lynn Williams | JCAST | x |
| Yushi Ahn | LCOE | x |
| Erica Lassen, Guest | Articulation | x |
| Chris Beck | ASI Student Rep |  |
| Kathy Dunbar | Student Affairs | x |
| Bernadette Muscat | Undergraduate Studies | x |
| Melissa Jordine, Guest | University assessment |  |
| Christina Luna | KSOEHD |  |

New: Randall Netiguard from Swrk – new member from HHS