MINUTES OF THE GENERAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE

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Friday, January 22, 2021

Virtual Meeting: Zoom (12:10pm – 1:30pm)

1. **Approval of Agenda -**

2. **Approval of Minutes -**

3. **Communications and Announcements**

a. Update AB1460 (Bernadette)

b. Area F Update date on courses

c. Area B Description (Michael)

d. Policy and GE exemptions

5. **Old Business**

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6. **New Business**

1. ASAM50
2. ASAM175
3. ASAM180
4. HUM120
5. AIS5
6. ASI103

7. **Tabled Items**

a. CE-161

b. CE-180A

c. ENGL114

8. **Adjournment**

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

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| **Member** | **College** | **Notes / Attendance** |
| Miguel Angel Pedroza | JCAST | X |
| Aaron Schuelke | CAH | X |
| Yertai Tanai | CSB |  |
| Susan Mirlohi | CHHS | X |
| Michael Bishop | CSM | X |
| Chadley James (Chair) | CSS | X |
| Ellen Woo | CSM |  |
| Yushi Ahn | LCOE | X |
| Erica Lassen, Guest | Articulation | X |
| Chris Beck | Guest | X |
| Kathy Dunbar | Student Affairs | X |
| Bernadette Muscat | Undergraduate Studies | X |
| Douglas Fraleigh, Guest | University Assessment | X |
| Lynette Guzman | KSOEHD | X |
| Luis Gordo Pelaez | CAH |  |
| Jenny Banh | COSS  (Guest - AIS) | X |
| Ramon Sanchez | COSS  (Guest - CLAS) | X |
| Leece Lee Oliver | COSS  (Guest - AIS) | X |

**Minutes: 1/22/2021**

**Communications and Announcements**

**Update AB1460 (Bernadette) / Area F Update date on courses (Chadley)**

Five courses are ready for implementation for Area F currently. Nineteen courses total are expected to be ready for Fall 2021 with multiple courses either ready for GE review or with the Undergraduate Curriculum Committee. Chadley noted that the necessary revisions were made to Area F courses reviewed in Fall 2020. APM updates will be brought to the GE committee for review as well within the next two meetings.

**Area B Description (Michael)**

Michael noted a discrepancy between the descriptions of Area B. The Chancellor’s office refers to Area B as “*Scientific Reasoning and Quantitative Reasoning*,” while Fresno State refers to the area as “*Physical Universe and Its Life Forms*.”

KD added - not finding the wording to use a GE Math course from the sending institution to automatically count for GE B4 here. It has been implemented since 2018 in the Articulation.

**Policy and GE exemptions (Erica)**

Erica noted that per EO 1100 specific major GE course requirements (e.g. MATH 10A for Liberal Studies) must be accepted if the student changes to a major for which that course is not a GE course. If a student has GE Exemptions they don’t follow, but if a course met GE it still is to satisfy that same GE Area. Erica and Kathy created a document to supplement the APM 215, but we don’t have final language/approval from the GE Committee. Need to revisit and continue in the process so we match EO 1100 and prevent petitions for students.

**Old Business**

N/A

**New Business**

**New Course Reviews:**

**ASAM 50 Course Review -** Jenny & Kathy

**ASAM 175 Course Review -** Jenny & Michael

**ASAM 180 Course Review -** Jenny & Kathy

**HUM 120 Course Review -** Aaron & Chadley

**AIS 5 Course Review -** Lynette & Leece

**AIS 103 Course Review -** Lynette & Leece

**Adjournment**: 12:36

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