General Education Committee
Monday, January 28, 2019
10:00am -12:00pm – Provost’s Conference Room

MINUTES


1. Call to Order – M/S/P
   a. Approval of Agenda - M/S/P

2. Minutes
   a. Approved – M/S/P

3. Chair Report: Senate Retreat & Senator Input on GE
   a. Faculty, staff, and students posed questions/concerns/comments related to GE
      i. Out of compliance – No
      ii. Is DH GE package larger than other CSUs? – No
      iii. Minimize size of GE classes
      iv. Quality of GE instructors
         1. Lower priority for teaching in some colleges
         2. New faculty vs. tenured faculty vs. adjunct/part-time
      v. New Student Learning Outcomes should be composed based on synthesis of course outcomes
      vi. Faculty and staff generally in agreement on the representation and delivery of GE
      vii. Alignment with/ and critical to the University’s mission
      viii. Serves/builds a shared platform to bridge education/academia and the real world
      ix. General sense of GE varies across Colleges and the University
      x. For the most part, sense that GE supports holistic learning and introduces core competencies, personal growth, and skill development for DH students
      xi. Difference between student and faculty purpose/perspective of GE

4. Curriculum Proposals
   a. GEC-17-18 045 JPN 110 CAH MC Area C
      i. Tabled
   b. GEC-17-18 046 JPN 111 CAH MC Area C
      i. Tabled
   c. GEC-18-19 009 ENG 150 CAH NC D2
      i. Approved pending revision
   d. GEC-18-19 010 HIS 375 CAH NC F1
      i. Approved
ii. Chair recommends the addition of “popular” in the course and catalog description

iii. GEC presumes all courses built with the approved syllabus will follow the same criteria as the course received by GEC. As such, other courses must connect with the Student Learning Outcomes and General Education objectives to ensure consistency.

e. GEC-18-19 011 BIO 336 CNBS MC F2
   i. Approved pending revision
      1. Remove “SMT” and replace with “GE;”

f. GEC-18-19 012 HUM 310 CAH NC F1
   i. Approved

5. Announcements
   a. Tentative Town Hall Location and date
      i. CEIE 1213
      ii. March 14th
      iii. Town Hall time to be announced

6. Adjourn – M/S/P