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# **MEMORANDUM**

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**To:** Gladys Gregory  
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**From:** Josh Machamer, Theatre and Dance  
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**Subject:** Winter Quarter GE Governance Report

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**This memo should serve as a brief summary of activity for the General Education Governance Board (GEGB) for Winter Quarter 2012.**

- The committee met six (6) times throughout the quarter, on alternating Thursdays;
- Each meeting had a specific agenda of items to be discussed;
- Outcomes and Criteria for Area C5 Elective were vetted, approved and push forward to the ASEC and then to the AS for approval;
- A revised GE template look (incorporating C5 elective) was approved and solidified for inclusion into the 13/15 Catalogue - it currently is being looked at by the Advising Executive Committee for comments;
- One (1) GE course modification was approved (UNIV 350);
- Three (3) GE course proposals were approved (ARCE 260; HIST 350, SPAN 307);
- One (1) GE course proposal was not approved (ECON 301); subsequently sent back for possible revision if proposer chooses to move forward on it;
- A draft GE survey is being developed to help in terms of Assessment and Learning Outcomes as defined within the GE Areas (a draft survey will come back to the committee in Spring to then send be sent out to GE faculty before the end of AY 2011/12);
- Plans for Spring quarter include formalizing and accurately defining the committee approved GE Focused Learning Outcomes; a continued evaluation of the specific Area criteria; an investigation into GE Assessment Planning; a conversation about looking at how to “re-certify” GE courses for continued approval.