



MEMBERS

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GUEST

Dustin Stegner Academic Senate Chair / English

MINUTES

Gary Laver, General Education Governance Board (GEGB) Chair, called the meeting to order at 2:11 p.m.

A. Announcements

1. Minutes from January 7, 2020 were approved as submitted.
2. Gary welcomed Denise Isom to the GEGB, and introductions were made. Denise will be the substitute for José Navarro this quarter.
3. Gary asked for a representative to stand on the Course Renewal Work Group. Dustin Stegner presented the charges and timeline for the task force.
 - a. Rachel Fernflores volunteered. Dustin said that he would bring her interest to Executive Committee for review.

B. Update on resolution for Areas C, D, and E guidelines

1. Gary shared some of the concerns the members of the Senate Executive Committee shared with him last week.
 - a. The Senate asked that the GEGB consider changing “underrepresented groups” to include “underrepresented groups and tradition.” While this language is appropriate when speaking of artistic traditions, as it currently appears in C1 (Arts) Educational Objective 6, to rubberstamp that phrase elsewhere in the guidelines is not appropriate and would water down the intent of focusing on the people. The GEGB decided not to include that language outside of where it is currently used.
 - b. In Lower-Division D, the group agreed to clarify the following language (*change in italics*): “...students should be able to meet five *or more* of the following eight



educational objectives.” In Area E, the group also agreed to clarify the following language (*change in italics*): “...students should be able to meet five or more of the following.”

- c. Whenever the educational objectives or course criteria say explain how “each” guideline will be met, the GEGB agreed to change the language to how “all” guideline will be met.
 - d. These decisions were approved unanimously as a slate.
2. Gary also shared a conversation at the Senate Executive Committee about the timeline for GE 2020 recertification as well as the recertification of USCP courses. As much as possible, the two processes will happen at the same time to make it as easy as possible for all.

C. Ethnic Studies 145 rollback comments

1. The GEGB discussed the language in the Ethnic Studies 145 rollback remarks. They unanimously approved of Gary sharing the document with the proposer.

D. Ethnic Studies 134 guideline mapping

1. Gary let the GEGB know that, although they approved of him to contact the ES 134 proposer and ask to resubmit the course with the new guidelines, he wanted to talk with the folks in the Registrar about those mechanics. As soon as he hears from them, he will convey the message.

Meeting concluded at 2:59 p.m.