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General Education Governance Board

February 18, 2020

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MEMBERS

Helen Bailey Office of the Registrar – Evaluations; Kaila Bussert PCS – Library; Rachel Fernflores

CLA – Philosophy; Samuel Frame CSM – Statistics; Bruno Giberti Academic Programs and Planning;

Denise Isom CLA – Ethnic Studies (Winter 2020); John Jasbinsek CSM – Physics; Gary Laver GEGB

Chair / CLA – Psychology and Child Development; Bwalya Malama CAFES – NRM&ES; Andrew

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Architectural Engineering; Phillip Nico CENG – Computer Science; Sam Park ASI

MINUTES

Gary Laver, General Education Governance Board (GEGB) Chair, called the meeting to order at 2:10 p.m.

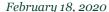
A. Announcements

- 1. Minutes from February 11, 2020 were approved as submitted.
- 2. GEGB members agreed to request departments not to schedule them MW 3-5 p.m. during Fall 2020. The group will revisit fall availability once schedules begin to be populated.
- 3. Resolution on guidelines for Areas C, D, & E
 - a. Gary let the GEGB know about the comment he received from the Provost at a previous Academic Senate meeting. He informed the group that the Senate was ready to vote about going to a second reading but asked to bring this comment back for review. The comment relates to the phrase "underrepresented groups" and if it should instead be "historically marginalized."
 - The GEGB agreed not to modify the phrase and instead to put the footnote related to "diversity" and "underrepresented groups," a footnote that was approved in AS-879-19, in the second set of guidelines.

B. Curricular Proposal Review

- 1. WGS 301: Contemporary Issues in Women's and Gender Studies
 - a. Gary let the GEGB know that the proposer clarified the eLearning intention to only be for one subtopic ("Masculinity Studies"), not all.
 - i. Course was approved.

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- 2. MU 328: Women in Music
 - a. The GEGB reviewed the course description change request to remove quantitative reasoning (B1 in 2019-20 catalog) as a prerequisite. Helen Bailey let the GEGB know that completing that subarea became required with EO 1100.
 - i. Course was rolled back with explanation referencing EO 1100.
- 3. ME 313: Engineering Principles in Everyday Life
 - a. The GEGB expressed concerns regarding the nature of student learning and demonstrations within the course.
 - i. Course was rolled back.

C. Course Renewal Task Force Update

- Rachel asked if the members had any new comments related to what a course renewal process might look like in General Education, from timeline to form(s) used or any other concern.
 - a. In addition to the comments made last week, the GEGB reiterated their goal of having a sustainable process so that programs are not overly burdened.
 - b. They said that they are happy to answer any specific questions that the task force might have.

Meeting adjourned at 2:59 p.m.