



General Education Committee (GEC)

Agenda: Monday, October 13, 2014

COMMITTEE CHARGE:



Committee Members 2014-15: David Lunt (HSS), Todd Peterson (UC), Bill Heyborne (COSE), Steve Erving (LIB), Johnny MacLean (COSE), Josh Price (COB), John Taylor (Provost's Office), Camille Thomas (COEDHP), Jessica Tvordi (HSS), Adam Lambert (CPVA), Andrea Stiefvater (SCPS), Reko Hargrave (Advising), Michelle Orihel (HSS), James Sage (Assoc. Provost), John Allred (Registrar), Christian Reiner (IR&A)

I. UPDATES

- A. Report on Trainings: 56 Faculty formally trained. Many on 1-to-1.
- B. The ELO reports are very interesting:
 - 1. Multiple hits—averaged?
 - 2. Redundancy—Thoughts on how to address this.
 - 3. CSIS 1100, 1200, & 1300. Core or Integrated Knowledge Area?
- C. The Complete Package

II. INFORMATION ITEMS

- A. What's An Educated Person? Midway, UT October 30-31st. Jess and I will attend.
- B. AAC&U: Feb 19-21st. KC, Missouri

III. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS

- A. Goals:
 - 1. FALL 2014
 - A. Get 1 ELO connected into all GE courses via Canvas.
 - B. Reporting: Figure out how these will work and be most beneficial to facilitate TracDat.
 - C. How will these reports look for Chairs, Deans, and Us.
 - D. How do we gauge successful incorporation of ELOs into the GE courses on Canvas? Is there a report that tells us how many classes have Learning Outcomes?
 - E. Materials
 - F. Camtasia, posters, brochures
 - G. How to get these out in the right places
 - H. FIGs
 - I. Arrange a handful temporally and spatially
 - J. Create Student Success Teams

- K. Change paperwork for CSIS stuff (by December)
- B. SPRING 2015
 - A. Get 2 ELOs incorporated into Canvas
 - B. Get GE syllabi onto Canvas to make the course review process easier
 - C. What information should be on a GE syllabus to make the review process easier?
 - D. Construct course review process (Acculog?)
 - E. Construct ELO review and Professional Development for the upcoming year.
 - A. A 7-year cycle?
 - B. 2015-2016: Communication (All forms), Creative Thinking, Critical Thinking
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 - F. 2021-2022: Life Long Learning, Integrative Learning, OVERVIEW OF THE PROCESS (A Review)

IV. MEETING SCHEDULE

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2. Assessment of Student Learning (see NWCCU Standard 4.A.3):

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Agenda: Monday, November 3, 2014

COMMITTEE CHARGE:



Present:

Not Present:

- I. UPDATES
 - A. The ELO reports
 - B. The Complete Package
- II. INFORMATION ITEMS
 - A. AAC&U: Feb 19-21st. KC, Missouri
- III. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS
 - A. We need to clearly identify GE goals and outcomes.
 1. This will be the measuring stick to compare GE courses to.
 2. The mountain.
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3. Use of Assessment Results (see NWCCU Standard 4.B.2):

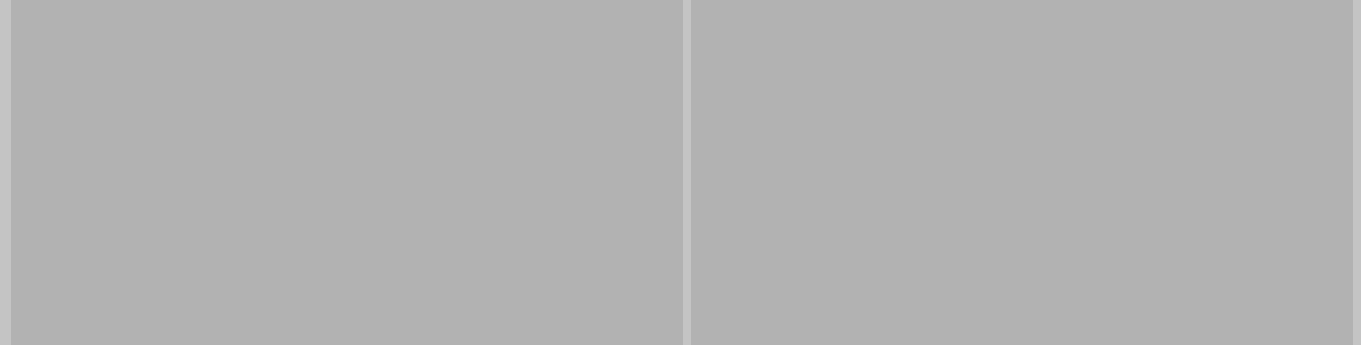
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General Education Committee (GEC)

Agenda: Monday, Dec 1, 2014
4pm Provost's Conference Room

COMMITTEE CHARGE:



I. UPDATES

A.

II. INFORMATION ITEMS

A. AAC&U: Feb 19-21st. KC, Missouri

III. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS

A. The ELO reports: Christian Reiner presentations

B. Proposed change to R470: James Sage

C. Using the ELOs to guide the revision of the "Goals" of GE Knowledge Areas

D. SPRING 2015

A. Get 2 ELOs incorporated into Canvas

B. Get GE syllabi onto Canvas to make the course review process easier

C. What information should be on a GE syllabus to make the review process easier?

D. Construct course review process

E. Construct ELO review and Professional Development for the upcoming year.

A. A 5-year cycle

B. 2015-2016: Communication (All forms), Creative Thinking, Critical Thinking

C. 2016-2017: Digital Literacy, Information Literacy, Inquiry/Analysis.

D. 2017-2018: Problem Solving, Quantitative Literacy, Teamwork

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IV. MEETING SCHEDULE

Next Meeting:

Monday, January 12th at 4:00pm

1. Learning Outcomes (see NWCCU Standard 2.C.10):

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2. Assessment of Student Learning (see NWCCU Standard 4.A.3):

- A. SUU has an effective, regular, and comprehensive system of assessment of student achievement of the GE Learning outcomes.
- B.

COMMITTEE CHARGE:

I. UPDATES

A.

II. INFORMATION ITEMS

A. AAC&U: Feb 19-21st. KC, Missouri

B. Proposed change to R470 regarding Quantitative Reasoning

C. Fall inclusion of ELOs. Thank you letter.

D. Trainings for Spring: Feb: Creative Thinking, Mar: Digital Literacy, Apr: Critical Thinking

III. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS

A. Using the ELOs to guide the revision of the "Goals" of GE Knowledge Areas

B. Removing courses from GE designation (Physics as an example).

C. A new Knowledge Area (Integrated Learning)

D. SPRING 2015 Goals

A. Help faculty get 2 ELOs incorporated into Canvas

B. Get GE syllabi onto Canvas to make the future course review process easier

C. What information should be on a GE syllabus to make the review process easier?

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3. Use of Assessment Results (see NWCCU Standard 4.B.2):

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I. UPDATES

- A. The new CSIS courses have been approved by the UCC on 2/6/15 (CSIS 1100, 1200, 1300 series). This is our "Raiders of the Lost Ark" moment.
- B. Proposed wording change to ELO outcomes was created and shared with Dean's Council earlier today. If favorable, the new wording will be rolled out within the week.
- C. Thank You letters were well received. Stories?

II. INFORMATION ITEMS

- A. AAC&U: Feb 19-21st. KC, Missouri
- B. The USHE General Education Taskforce agrees with SUU's call for more guidance regarding the R470. John Taylor has been asked to be the lead writer and to supply a

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Next Meeting:

Monday, March 16th at 4:00pm

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3. Use of Assessment Results (see NWCCU Standard 4.B.2):

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COMMITTEE CHARGE:

I. UPDATES

- A. The new CSIS courses have been approved by the UCC on 2/6/15 (CSIS 1100, 1200, 1300 series).
 - 1. Vote to create a new Knowledge Area (Integrated Learning) 6 Yes, 3 No
 - 2. Vote to move CSIS 1000 and LM 1010 into this new Knowledge Area 7 yes, 1 no, 1 abstention.
 - 3. Vote to tie a required 4 credit hours (3 for Digital Literacy and 1 for Information

- E. Construct ELO review and Professional Development for the upcoming year.
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Monday, April 13th at 4:00pm

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I. UPDATES

- A. R470 Updates

II. INFORMATION ITEMS

- A. New Committee Members for Fall. Tenure Dates

III. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS

- A. James Sage: Subcommittee work.
- B. Assessment: Christian Reiner
 - 1. Paint our goals with a broad brush.
- C. SPRING 2015 Goals
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