

General Education Committee Meeting

September 6th, 2019

Meeting called to order at 9:03am

Present: Adejumo, Vincent; Bacsik, Angela; Brophy, Timothy; Carrbone, Calvin; Colon, Elayne; Gorham, Michael; Lord, Gillian; Miller, David; Ray, Heather; Reynolds, Alison; Smith, Brenda

Absent: Hershfield, Selman; Krigbaum, John; Ray, Heather; Steinberg, Stacy; Carbone, Calvin; Sheppard, Jared; Lindner, Angela; Butler, Emily; Koropecj-Cox, Tanya; O'Sickey, Lynn;

Guest: Griffith, Casey; Kroger, Kendall; Travis, Trysh

1. Welcome
 - o Member Introductions
2. Vote for co-chair
 - o John Krigbaum elected
3. Approval of draft minutes from [July 15th, 2019.](#)
 - o Approved
4. Dr. Lindner -presentation
 - o 'Looking Ahead' - Focus areas for this academic year
 - o New subcommittee
 1. Approval Form
 2. Writing
 3. Audit
 4. Quest Assessment
 5. Call for volunteers
5. Trysh Travis - Quest
 - o [Summer Quest review document](#)

- Discussion of common problems faced by submitters/committee
- Recommendations from Quest Curriculum Committee
 1. Resource site
 2. Syllabus Templates
 3. Standardization of submission process
 4. Change Review process to journal style review
 5. Form driven review process
 6. Standardized feedback
 7. Clearly articulate requirements for courses through published materials
 8. Incorporate more automation in forms
- 6. Information Item – Quest/General Education courses
- 7. Assessment Committee
 - Dr. Brophy & Dr. Miller
 - Create Quest assessment task force
 - Timeline for implementation
 - Will vote on Timeline at October meeting

Quest Courses – Information item (approved by summer super committee)

Course	Requesting	Submitter	Recommendation
UFQ1 - #Sayhername: Intersectionality & Feminist Activism	D, H, WR4000	E. Garcia	Approve
UFQ1 - The Long Civil Rights Movement	D, H, WR2000	L. Pearlman	Approve
UFQ1 – Just English?	H	J. Kroff & E. Hind	Approve
UFQ1 – Dogs Between Culture and Nature	H, N, WR2000	S. Tlili	Approve
UFQ1 – Indigenous Values	D, H, WR4000	R. Wright	Approve

UFQ1 - Conflict of Ideas: How to Fight Fair	H, WR2000	R. Borges	Approve
UFQ2 - Nutrition, Sustainability, and the Economics of Eating	N, S	L. Acosta	Approve
UFQ2 - Sexual Controversies	D, S	S. Bogart	Approve
UFQ2 - The Discourse of Public Engagement	D, S, WR2000	A. Caloiaro	Approve
UFQ2 - Chemistry in the Cocina Latina	P, N	G. Lord-Ward & V. Kleiman	Approve
UFQ2 - Climate Change Science and Solutions	P, N	A. Zimmerman	Approve
UFQ2 - Biodiversity in a Changing World	B	J. Weeks	Approve