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General Education Committee Minutes

January 25, 2008

8:30 am in Bryan 100

Meeting called @ 8:32

Attendees: Fiona Barnes, Eva Czarnecka-Verner, Sheila Dickison, Jane Douglas, Heather Gibson, Melissa Johnson, Virginia LoCastro, Andy McCollough, Lynn O'Sickey, Kim Tanzer, Robert Thomson, Theresa Vernetson, Rick Weldon, Joe Wilson

1. Meeting began with course review:

Course#	Title	Current GE & GR	Requested	Approved /Denied
CLT 2044	English Words from Latin and Greek	None	H	Approved
SPA 2014	Forensic Applications of Speech Science	None	S	Approved

2. Gordon Rule Writing Proposal (distributed pg. 2 meeting handout) was approved by the Senate Steering Committee to be presented to the Faculty Senate at the February 21, 2008, meeting as an information item. Kim Tanzer encouraged all Committee members to be present at this Senate meeting and to discuss the proposal with their College Senators prior to the meeting. Previous proposals taken to the Senate by the General Education Committee have had difficulty and perhaps with more discussion this proposal will receive appropriate consideration.
3. Update from the Sub Committee working on transfer course policy. Reiterated each College may approve the transfer of courses to UF equivalents crediting General Education. Gordon Rule writing credit may not be approved. Rough draft of sub-committee (last page of meeting handout). Please forward suggestions to Theresa Vernetson. Will the transfer course policy apply to **any** institution?
4. Discussion of current AP/IB/AICE writing equivalency policy. Students with scores of 3 and above receive 6000 word writing credit for certain UF courses even if these courses are not Gordon Rule certified at UF. We will research the resource issue of having these students complete their writing at UF. Suggested every student must complete at least one writing course while attending UF.

5. Committee Strategic Plan-We need to develop and articulate a clear statement of where we are in General Education and where we would like to be with a consideration of actions to connect the two.
6. Ten Most Frequently Completed Courses (Updated in meeting handout). Lists the courses the graduating class of Spring 2007 used to fulfill their General Education requirements. Please take it upon yourself to “adopt” a course for intensive review.

Meeting adjourned 9:40