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General Education Committee Minutes

February 8, 2008

Meeting called @ 8:30

Attendees: Theresa Antes, Fiona Barnes, Mark Brenner, Eva Czarnecka-Verner, Sheila Dickison, Heather Gibson, Gary Ihas, Blake Landor, Virginia LoCastro, Andy McCollough, Gail Mitchell, Robert Thomson, Joe Wilson

1. Meeting began with course review:

Course#	Title	Current GE & GR	Requested	Approved /Denied
ABT 3500	Arabic Culture	H, N, E2	S	Tabled
ARA 4420	Arabic Through the Texts	None	H, N	Approved

2. Transfer course policy:

- A.) The Gen Ed Committee has the charge of evaluating courses that have no equivalency at UF. After a review of the syllabus and course material a determination will be made.
- B.) If a course is equivalent (a determination made by the department or advising unit of the individual College) it brings **both** General Education and Gordon Rule credit.

3. AP/IB/AICE writing equivalency policy. Data compiled from the graduating students in Spring 2007 indicates there were 3049 graduates who received credit for Gordon Rule writing through testing that having taken courses at UF would not have given them writing credit. This number does not determine the number of students taking a GR course that did not use the course to meet their Gordon Rule requirement. Sheila Dickison is going to evaluate the data to determine if we can appropriately determine the number of students who occupied seats in the class and used it toward their Gordon Rule.

4. February 22nd meeting

- A.) "Bullet list" Where is General Education.....Where would we like it to be.....Article distributed "The Metaphors We Gen-Ed By" interesting articles about Xavier University's struggle.
- B.) Checklist for course reviews conducted this spring.

Meeting adjourned 9:20