

# **General Education Committee Meeting**

167 Lake Ontario Hall

Minutes of 9/18/2023

**PRESENT:** Hsiao-Ping Chen; Phyllis Curtiss; Dori Danko; Brian Drake; Shelby Fredricks; Firas Hindeleh; Maya Hobscheid; Dennis Malaret; Rajvardhan Patil; Patrick Thorpe; Lorie Tuma; David Vessey, Chair

**ALSO PRESENT:** Chris Haven, Interim Director, General Education; Erica Hamilton, AVP of Academic Affairs; Jennifer Cathey, General Education Office Coordinator

**NOT PRESENT:** Gabriele Gottlieb; Amy McFarland; Chad Sutcliffe

## **Consent Agenda**

- Approval of today's agenda
- Approval of minutes 9/11/23

**Chair's Report** – Chair contacted the Chair of UAS about last week's GEC decision to revise the GEC responsibilities by adding, "b) to provide materials to assist instructors in teaching and assessing the general education knowledge and skills goals."

**Director's Report** – We have a new Graduate Assistant in GE. She will be working on an updated version of the probability of encountering each of the GE Skills SLOs.

**Provost Office Report** – Today was the curriculum roadshow. Over 35 people attended. It was recorded and will be shared for those that would like to view it.

## **New Business**

- CARs that need discussing
  - PHY 230

**Action Taken: P. Thorpe moved to place the course on probation. B. Drake 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion carries 11-0.**

- Skills SLO Instructor Guides
  - Members were assigned to review the final four Skill SLO instructor guides. This should be completed before the next meeting.

- Discuss Digital Literacy Student Learning Goal
  - Should we keep the digital persona objective?

**Action Taken: P. Thorpe moved to remove this objective. D. Malaret 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion carries 11-0.**

- Where in the GE curriculum would DL fit best?  
Members reviewed which SLOs are chosen the most in each GE category to help decide where DL could fit.
- What assignments fit the Production objective?  
Member said it doesn't matter what the digital tool is, rather that they can evaluate digital tools for their purpose.

**Adjournment** – 4:30 p.m.