

# **General Education Committee Meeting**

167 Lake Ontario Hall

Minutes of 11/13/2023

**PRESENT:** Julie Bekius; Hsiao-Ping Chen; Phyllis Curtiss; Brian Drake; Gabriele Gottlieb; Firas Hindeleh; Maya Hobscheid; Dennis Malaret; Amy McFarland; 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:** Dori Danko; Rajvardhan Patil; Chad Sutcliffe; Patrick Thorpe

## **Consent Agenda**

- Approval of today's agenda
- Approval of minutes 11/6/23

**Chair's Report** – Julie Bekius and Kathy Moran will be splitting the GEC duties for KCON while Shelby Frederickson is on maternity leave. We have not received all the surveys back for Digital Literacy. We will discuss it at the next meeting. There will be no meeting next week. The CAR feedback went out last Friday and the Chair received questions and concerns from Sociology which were addressed.

**Director's Report** – GE is sending emails to faculty who are assessing this semester to remind them of the process and due dates.

**Provost Office Report** – There are conversations around reserving course numbers for Study Abroad and Study Away courses. UCC will look at possibly adding designated course numbers for these types of course experiences.

## **New Business**

- Discussion of 2023 Enrollment data  
Members looked at the probability of encountering a GE outcome for 2019, 2022, and 2023 that was done by the GE Graduate Assistant.
- Revisions to the Recertification Policy  
Motion: add the warning step before probation and add a mandatory meeting between the Unit Head with the GE Director or GEC Chair.  
**Action Taken: G. Gottlieb moved to amend the recertification starting Winter 2024 as discussed. B. Drake 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion carries 10-0.**
- Review of CARs for discussion  
Members looked at the remaining CARs and discussed any concerns.  
SW 150 and WGS 224 – tabled until next semester to utilize the new recertification policy.

**Adjournment** – 4:12 p.m.