

General Education Committee Meeting

303C DeVos

Minutes of 2/24/2020

PRESENT: Abdullah Alrebh; Brian Bowdle; Dori Danko; Brian Drake; Shirley Fleischmann; Gabriele Gottlieb, Chair; Maya Hobscheid; David Laughlin; Kimberly Lohr; Keith Oliver; Rachel Peterson; Linda Pickett

ALSO PRESENT: C. "Griff" Griffin, Director, General Education; Jennifer Cathey, General Education Office Coordinator

NOT PRESENT: Erika Bailey; Dennis Malaret; Emily Nichols; Ellen Schendel, AVP of Academic Affairs; Amy Stolley; Patrick Thorpe

Consent Agenda

- Approval of today's agenda
- Approval of minutes 2/3/19

Old Business

- CAR Reviews

Curriculum

- GPY 111: Cities, Towns, and Villages (Log# 10990) – Add to Foundations - SBS

Action Taken: K. Oliver moved to approve with the suggestion of removing group quiz as an assessment measure. K. Lohr 2nd. Motion carries 8-0.

Chair's Report – The discussion about a Creative Thinking rubric will happen at the March 9 meeting. We will discuss the teaching handouts at the March 16 meeting, so please have all teaching handouts complete by then. Continue to work on CAR Feedback. Please write complete sentences on the CAR Feedback forms.

Director's Report – Creative Writing asked if we could add Creative Thinking as an SLO for the Foundation Arts courses. The question of adding Creative Thinking to Arts was asked to all Units with courses in Foundation Arts. Most of the units agreed. The GE Director will send the AAC&U rubric to the committee and inform the courses in Arts.

The GE Director presented at a conference last week titled: Lessons Learned from a Decade of GE Assessment. We will email the presentation to the committee.

Adjournment – 4:05 p.m.