

# General Education Committee Meeting

## Minutes for October 22, 2018

Present: Shirlene Small (SS), Kathy Delker (KD), Aaron Rife (AR), Kim Sandlin (KS) [excused early], Linnea GlenMaye (LGM), Roy Myose (RM), Gina Crabtree (GC), Steve Oare (SO), Sally Fiscus (SF) Rannfrid Thelle (RT)

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- Welcome by the committee chair – Shirlene Small
- Approval of minutes from 10-8-18 committee meeting
  - *A clarification was made about the exemption from Comm 111, that it is more specific than the minutes stated. Two semesters of policy debate with a minimum B average is required.*
  - *RM moved to approve minutes. KD seconded. Motion approved.*
- On-going Business:
  - Curriculum Change Form - Engineering WSUE 102 Innovations of WWII
    - *KD moved to accept, RN seconded. Motion approved unanimously.*
  - Discussion and decisions on International Programs on Japanese courses
    - *MCLL welcomes use of study abroad courses to fulfill gen ed req.*
    - *There was some discussion of other courses offered by Kansai Gaidai that may be considered in the future.*
    - *RT moved to approve the five listed courses. Motion carried.*
  - Gina Crabtree/Sally Fiscus
    - Review of the Gen. Ed form change and/or add questions on the new CIM form
    - *Additions and changes were made in the meeting, through consensus, and included:*
      - *FYS “yes” or “no” rubric suggested.*
      - *A rubric for:*

*“Learning outcomes that a. address each of the following gen ed goals and b. the methods of evaluation and assessment.”*

*This will be formed as a set of Goals with corresponding outcomes, with a rubric for each of the 4 or 6., that will open according to the choice made at the top (yes or no for FYS)*

*1.-4 for gen ed*

*An additional 5-6 for FYS*
    - *Strike question of rotation, number of sections, number of credit hours.*

- Review of syllabi from courses offered at international school for study abroad students:  
Human Being and Philosophical Thinking  
Existential Philosophy

*Discussion: The Philosophy courses are supported by the Dept. one as Gen ed. and one as further studies.*

*KD: moved to approve both philosophy courses in accordance with the dept. rec. one attributed as intro and one as further study.*

Western History Through Themes

*The History course not supported by Dept. as Gen ed.*

*Motion by RT (seconded by RM) to not approve the course according to dept. recommendation. Motion carried.*

- Additional Comments/Information – Registrar's Office
- As may arise: *Nothing*
  - *Some discussion of requirements for gen ed in Engineering College*
- Set next meeting date – November 12 TBD – if any CCF's have been submitted
- Adjourn: *The meeting was adjourned at 1:40.*

Minutes taken by Rannfrid Thelle