

General Education Committee Meeting Minutes February 17, 2022

Members Present: Nancy Diller, Carol Van Der Karr, Lauren Delaubell, Daniel Radus, Gregory Ketcham, Eunyoung Jung, Ryan Davis, Frank Rossi, Douglas Armstead, Bruce Mattingly

Members Absent: Justin Bucciferro, Stephen Cunningham, Jenn McNamara

Topic	Comments	Action
Meeting Started	8:32am	N/A
Approval of Minutes	Reviewed and approved minutes (2/3/22)	Approved
Recognition of new member	Faculty senate approved appointment of Frank Rossi to serve the remainder of Garret Otto's term	N/A
Call for minute keepers	3 sessions still available see MS Teams for sign-up sheet	
Q: Shift meeting schedule?	With shift of meeting time away from spring break week, does shifting the rest of the meetings this semester (to keep a 2wk interval) cause hardship?	No objections, meetings will now be 3/24, 4/7, 4/21, 5/5
Update: GE Framework	<p>Survey-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jenn and Lauren have been making progress, hope to get it out to the entire campus community (students, staff, faculty) today (2/17//2022) • Encourage participation, this is the time give input, not on the faculty senate floor during the vote. <p>Q: What has been decided?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Curriculum maps to meet SUNY requirements are settled • Should we go above and beyond requirements (as we have done for a long time), survey is to measure this. <p>Q: What is our process?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Compose cross walk to share what <i>must change</i>. https://www2.cortland.edu/academics/curriculum/links-and-documents/GE%20Crosswalk%20Spring%202022.pdf • Identify points of faculty, staff concern (Survey 1) • Get campus input from students, staff, faculty (Survey 2) • GE committee co-chairs meet with stake holders (Arts and Sciences Chair's council, Professional studies chairs council, Education chairs council, Faculty senate, SGA, Advisement and transition, SRRS. 	N/A

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Synthesize results of input and forward 3 options for the Faculty senate to consider, including one minimal change option. • Timeline locked by SUNY mandate timeline and senate rules: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ present motion one senate session (wait 2 wks) ○ Discuss motion next senate session (wait 2 wks) ○ Vote on motion next senate session 	
GE Framework: points of discussion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dissent expressed on GE2 (presence of lab requirement) and GE8 (absence of art production requirement). • Survey specifics discussed and more context suggested (e.g., 30 credit SUNY requirement vs 46 credit for current Cortland requirement, some major specific.) • Tension sited regarding internal/external mobility for students due to higher Cortland GE requirements. • GE categories may need to be re-numbered/identified to distinguish between GE req. for existing vs new students. • Appreciation expressed for proactive role that GE committee chairs are taking in role out. 	N/A
Update: Assessment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All instructors that provided materials for this round of assessment have received feedback. Stragglers are being nudged. • Some shifts in staffing have resulted in people teaching in sections under assessment that didn't know their section was under assessment. Interest in procedure to guard against this in future. • Rubrics will go out soon 	N/A
Curriculog Course approval	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AAS211 considered for GE8 • AAS368 considered for GE11 • Linked course EXS368 considered for GE11 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AAS211 approved • AAS368 approved • EXS368 approved
Meeting adjourned	10:18am	N/A

Submitted by Doug Armstead