

**General Education Committee
Minutes
February 25, 2019**

Present: Cynthia Pengilly, Jeff Dippmann, Morgan Bliss, Becky Pearson, John Bowen, Carey Gazis, Thomas Tenerelli, Tim Hargrave, Jill Hoxmeier, Laurie Moshier, Bernadette Jungblut, Jason White, Mike Gimlin, Lizzie Brown and Bill Schaffer.

Absent: None

Guest(s): None

Meeting was called to order at 3:07 p.m.

Jeff moved to approve the February 4, 2019 minutes. Morgan seconded and minutes were approved. 2 abstentions.

Chair update – Becky suggested moving the quantitative reasoning (QR) language to be discussed prior to number 4 pseudo course mapping. Becky talked brief about the pathway coordinator applications. The committee decided to consider the Pathway coordinator applications at this meeting.

DHC – Becky talked with the committee about the Douglas Honors College (DHC) and their involvement within the General Education program. Becky has drafted an MOU that would outline the dates and process for them to have their curriculum and general education proposals in. The committee decided to have their proposals in by July 29. This way Becky and pathway coordinators can work with them this summer if there are any issues. They would then be ready for the committee to review fall quarter and to make any revisions by October 31st. Course changes and program change need to be to the Curriculum committee by January 10, 2020. The committee agreed that Becky will send the agreement to DHC.

QR language - The committee reviewed the draft language. QR courses may have more demanding pre-requests as long as the minimum pre-requisite is met. The committee made some revisions to the QR language.

“Every QR course must have a minimum pre-requisite of a math placement test score resulting in placement into Math 100C or successful completion of Math 100B with a grade of C or higher. Every QR courses may have more demanding prerequisites as long as these imply that the minimum pre-requisite is met.”

Becky will send these revisions back to the participants for their review and will go to Senate in April.

Student petition – Mike Gimlin presented the student petition. The student transferred in a physics and chemistry course, but still needs a third science. The student would like to use a course, from their major courses within ESTC, MET, or IET for their third science. Student is getting ready to graduate. The student had been advised several times that they still needed to fulfill this requirement. Jill moved to deny the petition. Cynthia seconded and petition was denied.

Pathway coordinators - Tim moved to put forward to Senate Gazis for sustainability; O'Brien for Social Justice, Claridge for CCE; Buchanan for HWB; Ross for FYE and Terry for WK and Stohl for PCI. John seconded and motion was approved. Becky will contact the individuals to let them know of their nomination. Becky will check with Buchanan first to make sure he is good with moving to Health & Well-being before contacting Stohl for PCI.

Talking points - Committee will continue to work on this draft.

Advising materials - The committee reviewed the two draft documents. The committee gave Jason White feedback on some changes.

Curriculum policy 5-50-070(5) - Cynthia moved to approve the policy change to 5-50-070(5) put forward by Curriculum Committee. John seconded and motion was approved.

Pseudo course mapping – The committee broke into subgroups to work on Pseudo courses.

The committee will meet at 3:00 p.m. on Monday, March 11.

Meeting was adjourned at 5:05 p.m.