I. Call to Order

II. Approval of Agenda

III. Approval of Minutes: GEGC Minutes (Posted on BeachBoard)

IV. Announcements

- Please remind your colleagues to develop writing intensive and integrated learning capstone courses!
- Reminder: Most GEGC business is conducted electronically via BeachBoard (note you need to enter as a student). Please bring your laptops or print material for meetings.
- AY 2013-14 GEGC Meeting Schedule
  - Spring 2014: February 10, February 24, March 10, March 24, April 14, April 28, & May 12 (if needed)

V. Course Reviews:

- Old Business
  - BIOL 412/512: Advanced Evolutionary Biology – Tabled
    - Posted on BeachBoard/GE Course Proposals Spring 2014, AY 2013-2014
    - New to General Education
    - Request for Capstone: Writing Intensive
    - Discussion:
      - Undergraduate/Graduate courses cannot be approved for General Education due to the GE policy.
        - 4.10. No course identified in the catalog as available for credit in a graduate program will be permitted for General Education credit. Double-numbered courses (400 and 500 level) may not be used for General Education credit.
        - The history of this policy stems from issues regarding general education courses being taught to graduate students.
- Could there be a special “umbrella” version of this course that is completely new in order to give this course the writing intensive designation?
  - The course as a whole has done a great job of implementing the writing process.
    - Recommendations: New form, course designation (Integrative course?), pre-requisites, essential skills
    - Unanimously tabled
  - BIOL 447/547: Molecular Plant Physiology – Tabled
    - Posted on BeachBoard/GE Course Proposals Spring 2014, AY 2013-2014
    - New to General Education
    - Request for Capstone: Writing Intensive
    - Motion to approve for Writing Intensive
    - Motion to Table due to the same issues as BIOL 412/512 – unanimously approved
  - KOR 202: Intermediate Korean - Tabled
    - Posted on BeachBoard/GE Course Proposals Spring 2014, AY 2013-2014
    - New to General Education
    - Request for Explorations: Humanities – Foreign Language (C.2.c)
    - Motion to approve for Explorations: Humanities
      - Why does the course have a pre-requisite of KOR 201, which does not seem to be a GE course?
      - Recommendations:
        - Pre-requisite on the course is KOR 201, but KOR 201 has not been brought forth to the committee to be reviewed for GE.
        - Course grade breakdown does not match on sample syllabus (quizzes, homework etc.)
  - General Education Advising – Tabled motions
    - Motion to support administration moving forward on a proposal to use GE themes as an advising tool
      - Think about advising tools and come up with challenges that may arise.
      - Motion to table – unanimously approved
    - Motion to have the GEGC recommend the process by which themes are determined and courses are assigned to these themes.
      - This process sends a message to the students and there needs to be a definite discussion about the process of these themes.
      - Motion to table – unanimously approved
    - Motion to support administration moving forward on a proposal to use GE themes as an intentional and more prescriptive tool (i.e. leading to certificate)
      - Motion to support administration proposal as using GE themes to create a GE certificate
        - Dean Wallace would like feedback from the university about how students should be allowed to do this (i.e. choose any three, have one be required etc.)
       - Motion to table – unanimously approved
New Business
  o HIST 170: United States History Laboratory
    ▪ Posted on BeachBoard/GE Course Proposals Spring 2014, AY 2013-2014
    ▪ New to General Education
    ▪ Request for Explorations: US History
  o HDEV 320: Research Methods in Human Development
    ▪ Posted on BeachBoard/GE Course Proposals Spring 2014, AY 2013-2014
    ▪ New to General Education
    ▪ Request for Capstone: Advanced Skills and Writing Intensive
  o HDEV 357: Approaches to Adulthood Through Aging
    ▪ Posted on BeachBoard/GE Course Proposals Spring 2014, AY 2013-2014
    ▪ Existing to General Education
    ▪ Request to continue Social Sciences & Citizenship, Life-Long Learning & Self-Development, Capstone: Interdisciplinary and Human Diversity
    ▪ Request to add Capstone: Service Learning

VI. GEGC Question and Answer

VII. Adjournment

VIII. Future Agenda / Discussion Items

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Meeting Room #108-110.