



CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LONG BEACH

General Education Governing Committee

Agenda

November 10, 2014

2:00pm – 4:00pm – President’s Conference Room, BH-302

Please notify a member of the GEGC Executive Committee (Heather.Rae-Espinoza@csulb.edu, Danny.Paskin@csulb.edu, Hema.Ramachandran@csulb.edu or Vanessa.Red@csulb.edu) if you are unable to attend.

- I. Call to Order
- II. Approval of Agenda
- III. Approval of Minutes: GEGC Minutes posted on BeachBoard
- IV. Announcements
 - a. Tabled courses E SP 400 and GEOG 486 have been updated on BeachBoard. The old submissions have been deleted and only the updated course proposals remain. ITAL 345 has not submitted any updates and remains tabled.
 - b. History has submitted 11 courses to be decertified from the Social Science & Citizenship category only.
- V. Course Reviews
 - a. Old Business
 - i. E SP 400: Environmental Science and Policy Capstone Project - Tabled
 - 1. Posted on BeachBoard/GE Course Proposals Fall 2014, AY 2014-2015
 - 2. New to General Education
 - 3. Request for Capstone: Writing Intensive; Integrative Learning
 - 4. Discussion:
 - a. The course is requesting an Integrative Learning requirement but did not make Critical Thinking a primary emphasis, which is required to be addressed through this category.
 - b. Teamwork section is confusing because the measurable benchmark seems to not make sense. Instead of “demonstrate advanced writing processes”, it should refer to the teamwork component.
 - 5. Recommendations: Update teamwork section to include above edits; address Critical Thinking as a primary skill
 - 6. Tabled to address recommendations
 - ii. GEOG 486: Field Methods in Landscape Analysis - Tabled
 - 1. Posted on BeachBoard/GE Course Proposals Fall 2014, AY 2014-2015
 - 2. New to General Education
 - 3. Request for Capstone: Writing Intensive; Integrative Learning
 - 4. Discussion:
 - a. Has the same issues as E SP 400, due to being the same author.
 - 5. Recommendations: Update teamwork section to include above edits; address Critical Thinking as a primary skill
 - 6. Tabled to address recommendations

- b. New Business
 - i. ANTH 329: Cultural Diversity in California
 - 1. Posted on BeachBoard/GE Course Proposals Fall 2014, AY 2014-2015
 - 2. Existing to General Education
 - 3. Request to continue Human Diversity and Social Sciences & Citizenship
 - 4. Request to add Capstone: Writing Intensive
 - ii. MGMT 425: Business Strategy and Policy
 - 1. Posted on BeachBoard/GE Course Proposals Fall 2014, AY 2014-2015
 - 2. New to General Education
 - 3. Request for Capstone: Integrative Learning
 - iii. HIST 303: Rebels and Renegades
 - 1. Posted on BeachBoard/GE Course Proposals Fall 2014, AY 2014-2015
 - 2. Existing to General Education
 - 3. Request to decertify Social Science category only**
 - iv. HIST 308: Law & Civilization
 - 1. Posted on BeachBoard/GE Course Proposals Fall 2014, AY 2014-2015
 - 2. Existing to General Education
 - 3. Request to decertify Social Science category only**
 - v. HIST 310: The Greek World
 - 1. Posted on BeachBoard/GE Course Proposals Fall 2014, AY 2014-2015
 - 2. Existing to General Education
 - 3. Request to decertify Social Science category only**
 - vi. HIST 312: The Roman World
 - 1. Posted on BeachBoard/GE Course Proposals Fall 2014, AY 2014-2015
 - 2. Existing to General Education
 - 3. Request to decertify Social Science category only**
 - vii. HIST 344: Tradition and Crisis – The Jews of Modern Europe
 - 1. Posted on BeachBoard/GE Course Proposals Fall 2014, AY 2014-2015
 - 2. Existing to General Education
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 - viii. HIST 385: India and South Asia
 - 1. Posted on BeachBoard/GE Course Proposals Fall 2014, AY 2014-2015
 - 2. Existing to General Education
 - 3. Request to decertify Social Science category only**
 - ix. HIST 400: History Western Scientific Thought
 - 1. Posted on BeachBoard/GE Course Proposals Fall 2014, AY 2014-2015
 - 2. Existing to General Education
 - 3. Request to decertify Social Science category only**
 - x. HIST 407: Japan & the US in the 20th Century
 - 1. Posted on BeachBoard/GE Course Proposals Fall 2014, AY 2014-2015
 - 2. Existing to General Education
 - 3. Request to decertify Social Science category only**
 - xi. HIST 464: Latin American Environmental History
 - 1. Posted on BeachBoard/GE Course Proposals Fall 2014, AY 2014-2015
 - 2. Existing to General Education
 - 3. Request to decertify Social Science category only**
 - xii. HIST 474: The History and Culture of American Cities
 - 1. Posted on BeachBoard/GE Course Proposals Fall 2014, AY 2014-2015
 - 2. Existing to General Education
 - 3. Request to decertify Social Science category only**
 - xiii. HIST 482: Recent American Environment History

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VI. Adjournment

VII. Future Agenda/Discussion Items

- a. Update on ITAL 345: Italian American Culture