General Education Committee Meeting

Minutes for April 12, 2021

* **Committee Members Present**: Rannfrid Thelle (RT), Mathew Muether (MM), Maria Sclafani (MS), Brittany Lockard (BL), Roy Myose (RM)
* **Committee Members Not Present**: Steve Kelly , Sandra Sipes (SS), Mackenzie Lane (ML)
* Welcome by the Chair – Rannfrid Thelle
* Approval of minutes from 3-22-21 meeting
  + **Approved 5-0.**
* FYS Report: Aaron Rife
* On- going Business:
  + Course Change Proposals:
    - SOC 318: Environmental Sociology (reactivation of existing course?)
      * **Approved 5-0. Action Item: Rannfrid will ask gened outcomes to be added to syllabus**.
  + New Course Proposals:
    - WSUA 102AZ: First-Year Seminar: We Shall Overcome to Black Lives Matter: The Modern Black Freedom Movement
      * **Approved 5-0.**
    - WSUA 102AA: First-Year Seminar: Intersectional Inequality and Critical Engagement
      * **Approved 5-0.**
    - REL 301: Archaeology and the Bible
      * **Approved 4-0-1.**
    - JAPN 324 : Japanese Culture and Society
      * **Approved 5-0.**
* Narrative report: updated draft (RT)
  + **Tabled**
* Updating the list of Gen Ed courses on university website: <https://www.wichita.edu/academics/generaleducation/courses.php>
  + **Action item – Members should evaluate the list for their college.**
  + **RM - Is this part of this committee’s charge?**
  + **Tabled until the registar’s office is available.**
* Web pages editing – reporting on any follow-up
  + **Tabled**
* Registrar’s Office
  + Orientation on issue of course numbers/graduate school requirements
  + **No report**
* As may arise
* Next meeting: April 26
* Adjourn