

General Education Council Meeting
Minutes
November 20, 2013
8:00am WS 2806

Present: Kim Barron, Dwight Brady, David Donovan, Jill Leonard (Chair), Andy Poe, Kim Rotundo, Robert Winn, Kristen Smith, Carolyn Lowe, and Charlotte Cialek.

1. Approval of Minutes: 11-13-13 meeting minutes approved.

2. Announcements

Presentations –

- Nursing – very agreeable and no specific concerns other than making it easy for students and advisors to understand and track. Commended on the amount of work that the committee is doing!
- Clinical Lab Sciences – discussion mostly on “stamp of approval” system from Community Colleges and wanting to ensure that gen. ed. credits will not increase as their curriculum major is very tight. Kim to check on info from Comm. College proposal and email Linda Riipi from CLS.
- No other sites visited this last week.

Learning Outcome Models –

- Review of edits to Critical Thinking rubric. Discussion on if all Gen Ed courses will be able to meet Critical Thinking Rubric or if they actually need to meet the rubric. One thought – to have one of the language courses in the trial on this outcome.
- Diverse World Draft and General Ed Diversity Proposal reviewed. Could info from the Proposal be incorporated into the Diverse World Draft? Could we cut the last two sections of the Diverse World Draft or revise other area’s to include this info to shorten it up? Concerns on whether U.S. studies would be eliminated by the “world” draft. Modifications to be made and be brought for review at next meeting.

3. Reminders

- Reminder to work on L.O. rubric development.
- Posting site for mock presentation
<http://youtu.be/LjvSVGkF8Bc>

4. Good of the Order - none

Respectfully submitted,
Kristen Smith