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General Education Committee
March 27, 2014
1:15-2:45pm
VL218

Members present: John Blondell (Chair and Professor of Theatre Arts), Michelle Hardley (Secretary and Registrar), Wayne Iba (Professor of Computer Science), Tatiana Nazarenko (Dean of Curriculum and Educational Effectiveness), Rick Pointer (Professor of History), Debra Quast (Director, Library and Information Services)

Absent:

Others present:

I. Opened with Prayer

II. The minutes of the February 27th meeting were approved.

III. Presentation and Discussion: GE Committee and Standard 4
The committee discussed Standard 4 to determine where more evidence was needed in the areas, the related areas of strength and good practice, the areas that need to be addressed or improved upon and the 2-3 important issues for this category that we could emphasize with the visiting team.

IV. MA-008 for GE Inclusion
The GE Committee discussed the proposal. There was concern on whether this course was a template for all sections of MA-008 or if it was for an individual course. The committee voted to tentatively approve the course pending a revision of the syllabus according to the syllabus template (including adding the Reasoning Abstractly GE as being met) and learning outcomes. This change will become effective starting Fall 2014.

V. MA-005 for GE Inclusion
The GE Committee discussed the proposal. The syllabus needs to be revised to include the mention of Reasoning Abstractly, need to develop measurable outcomes for the course. The committee voted to tentatively approve the course pending a revision of the syllabus according to the syllabus template (including adding the Reasoning Abstractly GE as being met) and learning outcomes. This change will become effective starting Fall 2014.
Respectfully submitted,

Michelle Hardley
Registrar