

Gen Ed Committee Meeting Agenda
September 9, 2015
3:00 p.m.
Monroe 211

Present: Nicole Crowder (CAS), Belleh Fontem (CoB), Roberta Gentry (CoE), Farhang Rouhani (CAS; chair), Jason Sellers (CAS; secretary)
Ex officio: Susan Colbow, Rita Dunston, John Morello, Tim O'Donnell
Called to order: 3:04pm

1. Minutes from April 20, 2015 meeting
Approved, with two minor changes: correct spelling of Belleh Fontem's name, and change "president" to "chair."
2. Course proposals
 - a. Math 361
Denied on the basis of being a special topics course. Committee suggests resubmitting course for EL credit when it has been approved as a regular course.
 - b. Religion 277
Approved.
 - c. Religion 278
Approved.
3. Student requests
 - a. Zach Solow - QR questions to go with LFSC-301
Denied. Not equivalent to BIOL 260, and not QR.
 - b. Saaya Okazaki - Re-eval for HES credit
Approved.
 - ~~e. Jeffrey Richardson - Re-eval for FSEM credit~~
 - ~~d. Jeffrey Richardson - Re-eval for HES credit 1~~
 - ~~e. Jeffrey Richardson - Re-eval for HES credit 2~~
 - ~~f. Jeffrey Richardson - Re-eval for HES credit 3~~
[J. Richardson did not accept UMW offer of admission and so is not a student; items removed from agenda prior to meeting]
4. Discussion about possible future electronic meetings
Decided to keep meeting in person.

Additional business:

Farhang Rouhani: Taiwo Ande is compiling a list of General Education courses not taught since 2010 to share with the committee. Committee will review the list and consider asking the Curriculum Committee to approach individual departments about pruning courses listed but not regularly offered, allowing departments to respond.

Next meeting: Oct. 7, 3pm, Monroe 211

Meeting adjourned: 3:34pm