



Council on Undergraduate Education 2023-2024

December 8, 2023
Meeting hosted via Zoom
1:30pm-3:00pm

Members Present:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Erin McKenney (Chair) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mare Russo | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Beth Wright Fath |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Marta Klesath (Chair-Elect) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Steven Miller | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Joanna Stegall |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Emily Cox (proxy for Darby Orcutt (Past Chair)) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Nancy Moore | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Carrie Pickworth |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Qiuyun Jenny Xiang | <input type="checkbox"/> Tamah Morant | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gary Blank |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Jeffrey Reaser | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lara Pacifici | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wendy Krause |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Anna Maria Behler | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Logan Opperman | |

Members Absent:

Guests: Gary Comstock (HON 210)

Ex-Officio Members Present: Li Marcus, Lexi Hergeth, Erin Dixon, Kaitlyn Mittan, Ontario Woodsen, Latasha Wade

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

- Remarks from Chair Erin McKenney** – Carolyn Veale and Latasha Wade are here as guests. Welcome to guests.
- Remarks and Updates from OUCCAS/DASA** – Lexi will give Admin Save Memo update at the end of the meeting.
- Approval of the CUE Minutes from [October 27, 2023]** – *Approved*
Discussion: Motion was made, seconded, and carried.

OLD BUSINESS

Courses New to GEP

- FLG 420 : Current Issues in German-Language Media (HUM, GK) – Approved**
Discussion: This course was presented by Reaser. The motion was made and seconded. Xiang asked if the examples provided matched the intended outcomes for the measures for Objective 2. She also saw there was a typo under the measure for Objective 1. Pacifici thought the students would indeed be analyzing in the way that the instructor's outcome stated in Objective 2. Miller felt that the outcomes matched the objectives. The motion carried.
- HON 300 : Race, Membership, and Eugenics (USDEI) – Approved**
Discussion: This course was presented by Stegall. The motion was made and seconded. Russell reviewed and said that it looked good. The motion carried.
- PHI 308 : History of Social and Political Philosophy (HUM) – Approved**
Discussion: This new course was presented by Behler. Moore and Klesath said they thought everything lined up for this course. The motion was made, seconded, and carried.
- PSY 441 : Environmental Psychology (SS, IP) – Approved**
Discussion: This new course was presented by Behler. The motion was made and seconded. Russo said it looked good. Xiang asked about the repeated use of the verb "describe" in the course outcome section of the proposal. Hergeth recommended sending the instructor that note privately. The motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Courses New to GEP

- DAN 202 : Introduction to Hula Hooping (HES) – Approved**
Discussion: This new course was presented by Wright Fath. The motion was made and seconded, and Pacifici, Behler, and Miller approved. Motion carried.

☐ **FLG 318 : New German Cinema and Beyond (HUM) – Approved**

Discussion: This course was presented by Reaser. Opperman liked the use of the phrase “*mise en scene*,” and wanted to take the class. Xiang and Klesath agreed. Motion was made, seconded, and approved.

☐ **MIE 209 : Survey of Entrepreneurship (SS) – Approved**

Discussion: This course was presented by Wright Fath. The motion was made and seconded. Stegal liked the many examples in the proposal. The motion carried.

☐ **PSY 412 : Social Relationships (SS, USDEI) – Approved**

Discussion: This new course was presented by Behler. The motion was made and seconded. Klesath said it seemed like things aligned, although it was out of her field. Russo agreed. Miller said that the instructor did a nice job of alignment and inclusion of learning outcomes, as well as with measurable activities, although was somewhat vague with “weekly quizzes.” Klesath had a similar thought. The motion carried.

Special Topics/HON Course Offerings

☐ **HON 295 “Exploring Purpose” (SS) – Approved**

Discussion: This course was presented by Wright Fath. The motion was made, seconded, and carried.

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☐ **HON 210 : How We Argue (HUM, IP) – Approved**

Discussion: This new course was presented by Wright Fath. Reaser said that his prior concerns had all been addressed. Russo said it looked good. The instructor was available for comment, but none was needed. The motion was made, seconded, and carried.

Discussion: The Admin Save Memo feedback has been inconclusive so far with UCCC, but the conversation will continue in the spring. Motion to adjourn was made and seconded.

Meeting adjourned at 1:55 PM

Respectfully submitted by Lydia Christoph