Agenda
General Education Requirements Committee
Tuesday, September 28th, 2021
Zoom link: https://isu.zoom.us/j/84945656992
2:30-4:30 p.m.
GERC’s website: www.isu.edu/gerc/

1. Announcements

2. Minutes for August 31, 2021 and September 14, 2021 – forthcoming next time

3. Updates and Information:
   a. Program Review & Assessment updates – Ann Hackert
   b. Academic Affairs update – Margaret Johnson
   c. UCC update – Carmen Febles
   d. Physics Assessment Plans -- will be remanded to department for revisions, with comments from Matt and Ann, as discussed last meeting.
   e. New state disciplinary group representatives installed – GERC reviewed; no objections
      Objective 3: Xiaoxia (Jessica) Xie, (CoSE) and Don Allen, (CoT) - replaced Bob Fisher and Jim Wolper
      Objective 4: Ryan Babcock (CAL) - replaced Pat Brooks
      Objective 6: Kevin Marsh (CAL) - replaced Gesine Hearn

4 Unfinished Business:
   a. GERC Subcommittee: Faculty Survey re: gen ed program and assessment
      Members: Tayo Omotowa, Spencer Jardine, Abbey Hadlich, Jim Stoutenborough (PoliSci)
      Subcommittee has been working on a broad-based faculty survey regarding the Gen Ed program and Objectives, with an emphasis on obtaining feedback for Objectives 7, 8 and 9.
   b. Feedback Summaries – finalized; approve for sending to departments links updated; my bad, sorry!
      1) Objective 1, Objective 2, and Objective 7: (Matt and Jennifer)
      2) Objective 3 and Objective 5: (Ben and Erika)
      3) Objective 4: (Matt and DeWayne)
      4) Objective 6 and Objective 8: (Cathy and Joanne)
      5) Objective 9: (Shu-Yuan and Joanne)
   c. ANTH 2203 proposal existing course as new Objective 8 course (no UCC proposal required)

5. New Business:
   a. ENGL 1101/1101P Assessment Plan – for existing Objective 1 course
   b. SOWK 1101 proposal as new Objective 6 course (corresponds to AY2022-23 UCC Proposal #36)
   c. ENGL 2215 proposal as new Objective 9 course (corresponds to AY2022-23 UCC Proposal #51)
   d. PHIL 2260 proposal as new Objective 7 course (corresponds to AY2022-23 UCC Proposal #53)
6. **Placeholders for Unfinished Business for future agendas:**
   a. Assessment Plan Audit and Reporting Compilations
   b. Revisit [Process for Selecting ISU’s State Gen Ed Discipline Group Reps](#)
   c. [Objective Review Committee (ORC) Report Action Items](#)
      1) Consider suggested changes to [Objective 7](#) Outcomes 4 and 5
      2) Consider creating subcommittee to update [Objective 8](#) outcomes
   d. Objective 8 Working Group update – Spencer Jardine
   e. Pilot assessment project
   f. Revisit [Annual Assessment Report Questions](#) in Qualtrics
   g. Consider revising [GERC’s purpose statement](#) on the website, which may require updating the Bylaws and UCC/Faculty Senate approval.
   h. [Bylaws Revisions](#) – create State GEM Discipline Group as new standing subcommittee of GERC
   i. Consider developing a Strategic Plan for GERC

7. Adjourn