

GEACC Minutes

April 11, 2019

Chairperson: Jeff Damiano

Vice Chairperson: Beth-Ann Scott

Attendance: Lisa Anderson, Ana Cruz, Jeff Damiano, Jaime Hammond, Ron Picard, Kevin Ramer, Beth-Ann Scott, and Larry Venuk

Guests:

Ed Clancy

Lisa Dresdner

Carlos Plaza

Jason Seabury

Meeting called to order at 2:35 p.m. by Jeff Damiano

1. Since SPA101 and ITL101 contained changes to Bloom action verbs in outcome language and an additional outcome was added to the mapping after our January vote, GEACC needs to formulate a clearer standard policy regarding procedure within this committee and in conjunction with CEAC moving forward.

Discussion points:

- a. Is the change substantial or minor—what about the paperwork for CEAC? Is it complete? If changes are substantial, needs to go back to GEACC for another vote
- b. CEAC suggests changes come back to GEACC to establish a clear pipeline
- c. Flow chart may still have problems and needs work
- d. GEACC and CEAC paperwork must be completed at the same time to streamline the process. Proposer encouraged to work closely with competency expert to write measurable outcomes and to work with CEAC chair to ensure process is followed
- e. Was suggested to merge committees to vote on outcome changes together with GEACC only handling assessment
- f. Several suggested making all GEACC and CEACC paperwork available online with the possibility of signing electronically by all pertinent parties (from proposer, to

Deans, to committee chairpersons). It was likened to Turbo tax and electronically submitting taxes

- g. Was decided to start streamlining the paperwork first and the rest would follow beginning in the fall 2019 semester

Motion made to accept mapping outcome changes to ITL 101 and SPA 101: Beth-Ann Scott

Second to motion: Ron Picard

Motion carried: unanimous

Motion made to vote on ITL 101 and SPA 101 mapping outcomes as a block: Ron Picard

Second to motion: Jeff Damiano

Motion carried: unanimous

Motion made to vote on ITL 101 and SPA 101 as outcomes mapped to Social Phenomenon Competency

Second to motion: Jaime Hammond

Motion carried: unanimous

- 2. Jeff Damiano asked that each competency expert review courses in their respective areas that possibly bloat the general education competencies and create unnecessary redundancies. Please bring these to the attention of the committee for our final meeting in May. Scientific Reasoning and Knowledge were reviewed and CHEM I and CHEM II are on hold for the moment.

Motion to adjourn 3:45ish p.m.

Respectfully,
Beth-Ann Scott