

GEACC Meeting Notes

January 29, 2015

Chairperson: Ron Picard

Vice Chairperson: -

Secretary: Amy Lenoce

Committee Attendance:

Beth-Ann Scott- Written Communication

Burton Tedesco- Aesthetics

Amy Lenoce- Oral Communication

James Pronovost- Ethics

Jaime Hammond- Continuing Learning/ Info Literacy- absent

Sandra Eddy- Critical Analysis/ Logical Thinking

Karla- Ekquist-Lechner- Historical Knowledge- absent

Kathryn Lozo- Quantitative Reasoning

Alexander Zozulin- Scientific Knowledge

Peter Benzi- Scientific Reasoning

Joseph Ward- Social Phenomena

Guests: Lindsay Hollister, Ed Clancy, Ben Mattheis, Ron Picard

1. Welcome Back (Ron Picard)
2. Vote to approve minutes from December 11, 2014 meeting
 - a. Motion to approve made by Alex Zozulin
 - b. Second to motion made by Burton Tedesco
 - c. Vote: all in favor; Amy Lenoce abstain; Beth-Ann Scott & Pete Benzi not present for vote
3. Nominations and Elections for committee leadership
 - a. Ron's new job precludes him from leading this committee and being the NVCC representative to the FIRC (Framework Implementation Review Committee)
 - b. Nomination for Chair or Vice-chair were asked for- none presented.
 - c. Discussion of position ensued. Idea of having 2 co-chairs was discussed.
 - d. Katie Lozo volunteered to take secretary post.

- e. Beth-Ann Scott is the representative for the Written Communication competency starting 1/29/15.
 - f. Motion made to table discussion until next meeting- Katie Lozo.
4. Representative needed to attend the 2/20/15 FIRC meeting.
 - a. Burton Tedesco volunteered to attend.
 - b. 2/20/15 10am-12noon, Hartford-Woodland St.
 5. Oral Communication Assessment plan for ESL 157 was presented
 - a. Assessment plan needs to state Gen Ed outcomes rather than course outcomes
 - b. Motion made by Beth-Ann Scott to recommend revision with fewer outcomes. Second to motion made by Amy Lenoce. Vote was unanimous.
 6. Presentation of revised POL 103 and 11 course for Historical Knowledge
 - a. Motion to accept revisions made by Jim Pronovost
 - b. Second to motion made by Sandra Eddy.
 - c. Vote- unanimous
 7. New CEAC form was presented to committee for review
 - a. Form is still in development with Registrar's office and CEAC.

Motion to adjourn 2:08pm made by Katie Lozo.