

UGEC Meeting
Wednesday, April 6, 2011

In attendance: Mark Cubberley, Mindy Diesslin, Jean Edwards, Carole Endres, Charles Funderburk, Karen Hayes (alternate for Rich Bullock), Doris Johnson, Dave Reynolds, Kim Ringo, Susan Carrafiello, Jeanne Fraker, Joe Law, Rayne Bozeman (student government representative)

The minutes from March 30, 2011, were distributed and approved.

The Chair met with Beth Kinsel and Carl Brun from the Social Work Department regarding SW 2720. They are using a newer edition of the textbook that was mentioned in last week's meeting. They indicated they will revise the proposal for resubmission.

Transition Grid

A summary page was added at the request of some of the college advisors.

It was questioned if a student took a course that was not a GE quarter course, could the course be counted in the Core semester courses. COM 101, EGR 335, and ATH 210 are 3 of the courses that will be in the Core semester program that were not in the GE quarter program. Some advisors think an equivalent course should count from quarters to semesters. The Chair will contact Ohio University and Joe Law will contact Randy Smith at Ohio State University as well as Christy Nelson at the University of Cincinnati to see how they are going to count the courses. There were several suggestions which will be added to the grid and we will vote next week on approving the grid before April 15 when the advisors will meet.

It was noted that not all of the Core courses meet the transfer module.

Meeting adjourned at 3:45 p.m.

UGEC Meeting
Wednesday, April 13, 2011

In attendance: Mindy Diesslin, Jean Edwards, Carole Endres, Charles Funderburk, Doris Johnson, Dave Reynolds, Kim Ringo, Jeanne Fraker, Joe Law, Rayne Bozeman (student government representative)

The minutes from April 6, 2011, were distributed and approved.

A few courses in the semester core program have quarter equivalent courses that are not part of our current GE program. A question was raised regarding accepting these courses to satisfy a core requirement. A motion was made and seconded that a course in the quarter system that has an equivalent course in the semester system will be accepted as meeting the Core requirement.

Transition Guide

The transition guide was discussed and several minor changes were proposed.

A motion was made and seconded that with these changes the transition guide is accepted. All were in agreement. When the minor changes are completed, we will send a copy to all UGEC members and the transition guide will be forwarded to UCAPC for review.

UGEC has approved 88 GE Core courses. There is a concern there are not enough Multicultural courses. The Chair will encourage the writer of the 4 Modern Language courses to resubmit the courses.

A course can count only once to satisfy a requirement even though it may be listed in several elements.

We are compiling a "Frequently Asked Questions" list. Email any questions you think your majors may ask to be added to the list.

The WAC/GE Recognition Day luncheon will be May 11. Please save this date and join us.

Meeting adjourned at 3:45 p.m.

UGEC Meeting
Wednesday, April 20, 2011

In attendance: Rick Bullock, Mark Cubberley, Mindy Diesslin, Jean Edwards, Carole Endres, Doris Johnson, Dave Reynolds, Jeanne Fraker, Joe Law, Rayne Bozeman (student government representative)

The minutes from April 13, 2011, were distributed and approved.

A draft Wright State Core High School Preparation Policy was reviewed and changes were suggested. The revised policy and the Policy Governing Transfer Students will be reviewed for approval at the April 27 meeting. These policies and the Student Guide for Transition to the Wright State Core approved April 13 must be forwarded to UCAPC in early May.

WAC/GE Awards Day will be May 11. UGEC members are encouraged to attend.

Meeting adjourned at 3:50 p.m.

UGEC Meeting
Wednesday, April 27, 2011
(corrected 5-4-11)

In attendance: Rick Bullock, Mindy Diesslin, Jean Edwards, Carole Endres, Charles Funderburk, Doris Johnson, Dave Reynolds, Kim Ringo, Jeanne Fraker, Joe Law, Rayne Bozeman (student government representative)

The minutes from April 20, 2011 were distributed and approved.

The documents guiding the transition of the General Education Program to the semester Wright State Core were discussed. The Student Guide for Transition to the Wright State Core was approved by this committee on April 13, 2011. The list of courses in each Element in the guide will be updated as additional Core courses are approved. Revisions to the Policy Governing Transfer Students' Completion of the Wright State Core and revisions to the Wright State Core High School Preparation Policy were discussed. The revised documents will be e-mailed to committee members and an e-mail vote called. The results of the e-vote will be reported at the May 4 meeting. Changes to the wording in the UCAPC listing of the Wright State Core by Elements were suggested:

Multicultural Competence

“Any two Core courses designated as MC, SRV (Service Learning) or SRVI (Service Learning Intensive) or requiring an approved study abroad component.”

Note: A course listed in two or more Elements may be used to meet only one Element requirement. A Core course may satisfy one competence requirement in both IW and MC; however, one course will not satisfy two requirements in one competence.

ENG 2100 – policy on course restrictions

Rich Bullock distributed information on ENG 2100 (attached). The Department is considering offering sections of the course for specific groups. Consistent with the motion approved February 25, 2011, “No policies or procedures shall be implemented that have the effect of restricting enrollment in Core Courses to students in specific majors”, the committee stated Core course proposals which included such restrictions will not be approved. The committee suggested the Department of English consider alternatives, for example, proposing courses without enrollment restrictions but with different course numbers and course descriptions to clearly define targeted group.

EES 3450

The workflow inventory request, Core proposal form and syllabus were distributed. This course was not discussed previously because there were two different versions in workflow. The restriction on enrollment has been removed; however, concerns were raised regarding the cross listing with EES 6050. We will discuss at next week's meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 4:15 p.m.