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GENERAL EDUCATION SUBCOMMITTEE MINUTES

September 15, 2015, 8:30 A.M.
Champ Hall Conference Room

Present: Dawn Kirby, Chair; Eddy Berry, Social Sciences; Harrison Kleiner, Connections; Mary Leavitt, Advising; Kacy Lundstrom, Library; Kris Miller, Honors; Melanie Nelson, USU Eastern; Michele Hillard, Secretary; Dan McInerney, American Institutions; Dan Coster, Quantitative Intensive; Brock Dethier, Writing Program; Trevor Olsen, USUSA President; Laura Gelfand, Arts; Bob Mueller, Regional Campus; Karen Mock, Natural Resources; Shelley Lindauer, Education and Human Services; Ryan Dupont, Life and Physical Sciences; John Mortensen, Student Services;

Absent: Brian McCuskey, Humanities; Stephanie Hamblin, University Advising; Cindy Dewey, Creative Arts; Lee Rickords, Agriculture and Applied Sciences; Dean Adams, Engineering; Kathy Chudoba, Business; Dick Mueller, Science

Visitors: Larry Smith, Provost's Office

Call to Order – Dawn Kirby

Approval of Minutes – August 18, 2015

Motion to approve minutes made by Eddy Berry. Seconded by Laura Gelfand. Minutes approved.

Course Approvals

N/A

Course/Designation Removals

N/A

Syllabi Approvals

N/A

Business

Introductions - Trevor Olsen & Peggy Petrzalka

Dawn asked that the committee take a moment and introduce themselves. The committee has two new members: Trevor Olsen, USUSA President and Peggy Petrzalka who is representing the College of Humanities and Social Sciences.

Connections Update – Harrison Kleiner

Harrison provided the committee with an update of the 2015 Connections event. This was the largest group of freshmen to ever attend. There were 2,218 attendees and because of the large number, the event had to be moved to the Spectrum. The process for hiring

Connections instructors will be fine-tuned for next year. There were 82 instructor positions open and 114 applicants. The training process for these instructors worked well. Next year, Heidi Kesler will head up certain aspects of the academic side of Connections; Lisa Hancock will continue to head up programming and arrangements. Using a common literature selection presented a bit of a challenge but seemed to work well. There is a growing national backlash about whether Common Literature is valuable or necessary as a tool for creating a shared experience among students. The committee will work on criteria for the 2016 Common Literature experience. Overall, Connections 2015 was a great success.

Gen Ed Course Enrollments – John Mortensen

John provided information regarding enrollment (*see below*). He stated that there are up to 1,100 more students on the Logan campus this year and that they are seeing growth in the size of the incoming freshman class. Freshman enrollment is at 3,854. Part of the increase is because of the LDS missionaries returning from their missions. John expects that spring 2016 enrollment will increase as well. Face-to-face, online, and broadcast enrollments are also up this year. The question was asked about the goal of the University regarding enrollment, and John stated that the goal right now is a slow and steady increase. Discussions regarding USU courses vs. defined courses was brought up. That discussion will be a matter of business for the October meeting.

Educated Persons' Conference – October 22 & 23, Homestead Resort, Midway, UT
Dawn stated that there are opportunities for a couple more people to attend the conference. Those who are interested should contact Dawn directly.

Curriculog Updates

One CI proposal was submitted but was rejected and returned to the originator for further clarification. The system seems to be working, and it is easy to track the proposals. Michele reminded the committee that all agendas and minutes will be posted in "Box" and they can be viewed there.

Meeting adjourned at 9:35 am

Motion to adjourn meeting made by Trevor Olsen. Seconded by Karen Mock.

Breadth Summary

Fall 2015

Face-to-Face Classes

May 1	Aug 31
USU	USU

May 1	May 1	May 1	May 1	May 1	May 1	May 1
U of U	UVU	Weber	SUU	SLCC	Snow	Dixie

BAI

# of Classes	5	5
# of Sections	14	15
# of Seats	3,111	3,299
Avg. Class Size	222	220

4	6	4		3	3	3
11	47	27		66	13	23
1,653	4,166	1,901		2,134	511	986
150	89	70		32	39	43

BCA

# of Classes	9	12
# of Sections	19	27
# of Seats	956	1,797
Avg. Class Size	50	67

39	20	17		21	8	8
83	76	35		102	17	36
4,283	2,523	1,217		2,835	646	1,098
52	33	35		28	38	31

BHU

# of Classes	16	16
# of Sections	27	32
# of Seats	2,391	2,946
Avg. Class Size	89	92

69	30	19		24	8	12
114	116	62		89	12	27
5,588	3,147	1,941		2,702	238	905
49	27	31		30	20	34

BLS

# of Classes	8	8
# of Sections	12	14
# of Seats	2,059	2,518
Avg. Class Size	172	180

9	11	13		10	8	4
13	54	39		75	22	25
1,664	3,541	2,657		2,397	796	1,073
128	66	68		32	36	43

BPS

# of Classes	13	13
# of Sections	14	15
# of Seats	2,790	2,943
Avg. Class Size	199	196

32	20	17		8	10	13
89	95	36		67	21	29
7,257	5,417	2,460		1,872	510	1,233
82	57	68		28	24	43

BSS

# of Classes	22	22
# of Sections	32	37
# of Seats	4,309	5,015
Avg. Class Size	135	136

47	26	28		38	9	17
87	141	93		202	29	85
6,906	6,824	5,527		6,296	1,119	2,977
79	48	59		31	39	35

QL (1030, 1040, 1050 or equivalent)

# of Classes	3	3
# of Sections	7	10
# of Seats	1,332	1,592
Avg. Class Size	190	159

4	3	3		4	3	3
23	42	19		65	20	20
1,554	1,560	606		1,902	633	669
68	37	32		29	32	33

Fall 2015: Breadth Courses Without Prerequisites (Available before 5:00 PM)

as of August 31, 2015

Start	BAI	BCA	BHU	BLS	BPS	BSS
MWF 7:30		42904 MUSC 1100 (4) 43499 MUSC 1100 (4)		44238 BIOL 1010 (103)		
MWF 8:30	41722 ECN 1500 (-6) 44651 HIST 2700 (71) 55520 HIST 2710 (69)		43198 CMST 2110 (-22) 55525 PHIL 1000 (0)		41067 CHEM 1010 (-10) 55528 CHEM 1010 (-7) 42289 GEOG 1000 (56)	42132 FCHD 1010 (12) 42135 FCHD 1500 (-12) 56660 REH/SPED 1010 (22)
MWF 9:30	44654 HIST 2710 (-1) 41684 USU 1300 (1)	42178 LAEP 1030 (-4)	41691 USU 1320 (83)		42236 GEO 1110+LAB (6)	43349 ANTH 1030 (5) 45099 CJ 1010 (-1) 41534 SOC 1010 (6)
MWF 10:30	43616 HIST 2700 (0) 41018 POLS 1100 (-2)	55487 ID 1750 (-11) 55530 MUSC 1010 (-2)	43213 CMST 1020 (LAB) 44811 CMST 2110 (-22) 43613 HIST 1110 (2) 41865 HIST 1500 (3)	55272 BIOL 1500 (6) 41124 PSC 1800 (-5)		44913 CJ 1010 (-9) 48493 CMST 1330 (-2) 42534 ENV 2340 (-3) 41336 PSY 1010 (LAB) 44912 SOC 1020 (2)
MWF 11:30		55526 LAEP 1030 (-4)	55521 RELS 1010 (-1)		42359 CS 1030 (-4)	45103 CJ 1010 (8) 41535 SOC 1010 (2)
MWF 12:30	44653 HIST 2710 (4)	44229 MUSC 1010 (0)	42043 ENGL 2200 (-5) 41690 USU 1320 (-1)			44914 SOC 1020 (14)
MWF 1:30	41728 ECN 1500 (-5)	43468 MUSC 1010 (-3) 43408 MUSC 1010 (0) 55331 THEA 1023 (-1)	55524 CMST 2110 (-15) 43614 HIST 1510 (1) 40846 PHIL 1000 (-2)		41699 USU 1360 (2)	41357 PSY 1010 (LAB)
MWF 2:30		55531 MUSC 1100 (7) 55488 USU 1330 (-5)	40845 PHIL 1000 (0) 55522 RELS 1010 (69)			43347 ANTH 1010 (14) 56017 CMST 1330 (18) 55423 FCHD 1500 (1)
MWF 3:30					44762 NDFS 1010 (-1)	55422 PSY 1010+LAB (4)
MWF 4:30				43348 ANTH 1020 (-2)		42133 FCHD 1500 (2)
Start	BAI	BCA	BHU	BLS	BPS	BSS
TR 7:30	42594 ECN 1500 (-3)	48464 THEA 1013 (38)		55529 USU 1350 (118)		42136 FCHD 2400 (100)
TR 8:30		44316 THEA 1033 (NA)				
TR 9:00			43623 RELS 1010 (-4)	40539 BIOL 1010 (-11) 42865 NDFS 1020 (-21) 53640 USU 1350 (0) 42838 WATS 1200 (50) 50555 WILD 2200 (8)		42138 FCHD 2450 (51) 41976 JCOM 1500 (99)
TR 10:30	43175 USU 1300 (-9)	55486 ART 1010 (-12)	40328 ARTH 2710 (-1) 43197 CMST 2110 (-27) 42862 HIST 1100 (-1) 44649 HIST 1110 (0) 43393 PHIL 1120 (-31) 44688 USU 1320 (-3) 41689 USU 1320 (152)	42864 NDFS 1020 (-19)	40851 PHYS 1200+LAB (4)	
TR 12:00	41731 ECN 1500 (-10) 41686 USU 1300 (-3)			44591 BIOL 1010 (0) 43116 NDFS 1020 (-16) 55527 NDFS 1020 (-17)	41697 USU 1360 (157)	42134 FCHD 1500 (-4) 41693 USU 1340 (111)
TR 1:30			55523 CMST 2110 (-14) 56624 ENGL 1070 (0) 42045 ENGL 2300 (-2)	44848 ENV 1350 (4)	40850 PHYS 1040 (1)	42137 FCHD 2400 (-2) 41020 POLS 2200 (-3) 41375 PSY 1010 (LAB)
TR 3:00			55887 ARTH 2710 (2) 42557 ENGL 2630 (-1) 43612 USU 1320 (202)	41758 WILD 2200 (42)		42293 GEOG 1300 (20) 49557 LANG/LING 2100 (2) 41471 REH/SPED 1010 (0) 55708 SOC 1020 (32)
TR 4:30	41687 USU 1300 (365)				44137 PSC 2000 (61)	44915 SOC 1010 (44)
Start	BAI	BCA	BHU	BLS	BPS	BSS
Online	49943 ECN 1500 (1) 53616 HIST 1700 (1) 50438 HIST 2710 (0) 48719 HIST 2710 (4) 48743 HIST 2710 (10) 45062 POLS 1100 (0) 48731 USU 1300 (0) 48755 USU 1300 (0) 47155 USU 1300 (88)	52065 LAEP 1030 (17) 55563 MUSC 1010 (0) 55291 MUSC 1100 (11) 50844 USU 1330 (558)	52029 ANTH 2210 (0) 50704 ARTH 2710 (0) 46854 ARTH 2710 (1) 51669 ARTH 2710 (0) 46009 ENGL 2200 (-3) 52017 ENGL 2210 (-6) 49743 HIST 1060 (-3) 49755 HIST 1110 (-2) 49792 HIST 1510 (-3) 51786 HIST 2210 (0) 49045 RELS 1010 (1) 46161 USU 1320 (0)	46877 ANTH 1020 (0) 50486 BIOL 1010 (2) 52113 NDFS 1020 (0) 47056 NDFS 1020 (0) 46153 PSC 1800 (0) 45334 PSC 1800 (0) 45382 PSC 1800 (3) 53640 USU 1350 (10) 50522 WILD 2200 (-1)	45973 CHEM 1010 (289) 47020 CHEM 1010 (0) 53955 CS 1030 (48) 46045 GEO 1010 (-1) 45286 GEO 1010 (-2) 45358 GEO 1010 (-1) 53652 USU 1360 (1) 47187 USU 1360 (1) 47199 USU 1360 (13)	46173 ANTH 1010 (-10) 46185 ANTH 2010 (0) 45424 FCHD 1010 (-6) 45274 FCHD 1500 (-3) 45346 FCHD 1500 (-2) 45460 FCHD 1500 (-3) 53718 FCHD 2400 (0) 53555 GEOG 1300 (0) 53567 GEOG 1400 (1) 45074 POLS 2200 (-2) 45557 PSY 1010 (-9) 48611 REH 1010 (30) 45662 SOC 1010 (284) 47068 SOC 1010 (0) 47107 SOC 1020 (-2) 48599 SPED 1010 (46) 49804 WGS 1010 (-5)

Fall 2015 Depth Courses (without prerequisites)

as of August 31, 2015

Start	DHA	DSC	DSS
MWF 7:30			
MWF 8:30	FCSE 3080 (-6) HIST 3130 (8)		
MWF 9:30			POLS 3120 (0)
MWF 10:30	HIST 3950 (-5) HIST 3950 (-2) PHIL 3600 (-30)		ANTH 3160 (-1) PSY 3500 (7)
MWF 11:30	LANG/HIST/ANTH 3550 (-5) MUSC 3020 (1)		POLS 3220 (20) PSY 3510 (-6) SOC 3200 (-3)
MWF 12:30	HIST/RELS 3270 (0)		CMST 3330 (-28) CMST 4200 (-30) FCHD 3350 (7) POLS 3140 (-3) PSY 3210 (-12)
MWF 1:30	RELS 3050 (0)		ANTH 3300 (1) POLS 3310 (20) PSY 3500 (4) SOC 3010 (4)
MWF 2:30			POLS 3810 (11) PSY 4230 (0)
MWF 3:30	ARBC/HIST/RELS 3030 (0) HIST 3850 (-1) HIST 3950 (0)		
W 4:30 W 4:30			CMST 3050 (-12) SOC 3330 (10)

Start	DHA	DSC	DSS
TR 7:30	HIST 4815 (NA)	NDFS 3110 (11)	APEC 3012 (-7)
TR 9:00	HIST 4720 (-1)		SOC 3010 (-2)
TR 10:30	THEA 3570 (0)	ASTE/TEE 3440 (-6) BIOL 3040 (72) WATS 3100 (19)	ENVS 4000 (2) PSY 3210 (0) PSY 3500 (2)
TR 12:00			
TR 1:30	ENGL 3630 (0)	ASTE/TEE 3440 (5) PHYS 3010 (-7)	PSY 4240 (-11) SOC 3600 (21)
TR 3:00	PHIL 3700 (0)	GEO 3100 (0)	
TR 4:30			
ARR			

Start	DHA	DSC	DSS
Online	ARBC/HIST/RELS 3030 (0) CCA 3330 (NA) ENGL 3030 (-4) ENGL 3070 (-7) ENGL 3070 (-7) ENGL 3630 (0) ENGL 3630 (0) HIST 3560 (0) HIST 3850 (0) HIST/RELS 4560 (0) HIST 4600 (-6) MUSC 3010 (31) MUSC 3020 (13) MUSC 3030 (0)	BIOL 3010 (-1) BIOL 3040 (-2) CHEM 3650 (0) GEO 3100 (-16) GEO 3100 (-16) GEO 3100 (-18) PHYS 3020 (3) PHYS 3030 (-3)	ANTH 3200 (0) APEC 3012 (3) FCHD 3350 (-10) MUSC 3030 (0) POLS 3810 (1) PSY 3120 (0) PSY 3210 (0) PSY 3500 (-1) PSY 3510 (0) PSY 4230 (11) PSY 4240 (6) SOC 3200 (-4) SOC 3610 (1)