General Education Committee October 12, 2016 HSS 3026 3:00 p.m.

Voting Members Present: H. Hacker, K. Humphrey, L. McGregor, M. Costello, P. Towery, B. Bennett, M. Williams, M. Fellure, A. Khalil,

Ex-Officio Members Present: G. Hogue, S. DeProw

Members Absent: I. Seok, M, Draganjac, L. Fears, G. Edwards, R. Oliver, R. Kesselring

Bob Bennett convened the meeting.

Brief introductions to start the meeting.

Humphrey moved, McGregor seconded, and the committee approved the September 26 meeting notes.

Meeting Agenda for today's meeting:

- Overview of Committee Work
- · Brainstorming Ideas from last meeting
- Development of Methodology for Committee Work
- · Assignment of Critical Work and Deadlines
- Member Suggestions

S. DeProw provided a brief overview of the committee's work. Navigated the General Education web site to provide new committee members with a brief overview of the site. Discussed General Education Goals, Quadrennial Review Assessment Plans, and Assessment Reports.

Discussed strategies for connecting General Education classes so that students may see the connections between academic disciplines.

Recognize Gen Ed Faculty.

Encourage collaboration between gen ed classes.

Guest lecturers.

Committee members work together and discuss outside the meeting to facilitate discussion.

Subcommittee formed to discuss collaborations.

Help students to see relevance of general education classes.

H. Hacker, K. Humphrey, M. Fellure and A. Khalil volunteered to serve on a subcommittee to explore general education interdisciplinary approach. Will report back to the gen ed committee.

Subcommittees organized to review reports:

ANTH 2333, ECON 2313, ECON 2333

- B. Bennett--Lead
- H. Hacker
- M. Williams
- M. Costello

SOC 2213, GEOG 2613

L. McGregor--Lead

K. Humphrey

M. Fellure

P. Towery

Next Meeting—October 26, 2016—3:00 pm

Meeting adjourned at 3:55 pm.