Minutes

Subcommittee on Core Curriculum

Friday, September 8, 2017

Call to Order

The Subcommittee on Core Curriculum was called to order by Mary Magoulick at 1:00 p.m. in Arts & Sciences 2-51.

Attendance

Voting Members Present: Nancy Beasley, Jeff Dowdy, Diane Gregg, Natalie King, Mary Magoulick, Christine Mutiti, Doug Oetter, Brandon Samples, Patrick Simmons, Debora Stefani, Clif Wilkinson

Non-Voting Member Present: Kay Anderson

Regrets: Cara Smith, Jeff Turner

Agenda

The agenda was approved as distributed.

Minutes

Minutes from the August 25 meeting were approved as distributed.

Membership

Clif Wilkinson has been appointed by ECUS as the Area E representative on the committee.

Section Approvals

Mary shared the process for serving as a lead reviewer for new proposals and highlighted areas that committee members should be aware of as they review proposals. The following individuals were assigned to serve as lead reviewer for the four most recent proposals the committee has received.

GC1Y 1000 Philosophy of Emotion as a B1 Section – Doug Oetter

GC1Y 1000 Critical Education in America as a B1 Section – Jeff Turner

GC2Y 2000 Study Abroad in Ghana as a B2 Section – Christine Muttiti

GC2Y 2000 Muslims in France as a B2 Section – Natalie King

Forums

The first forum will be Friday, September 22 in A&S 2-72 at 2:00 p.m. This forum will focus on how to propose a new GC1Y or GC2Y section.

The second forum will be Friday, September 29 and will be a discussion for faculty teaching GC1Y and GC2Y sections. Assessment will also be covered as a separate topic after the session.

Senate Proposal for Revision of ECUS

There is a proposal to comprise ECUS of certain standing officers and the standing committee chairs rather than having ECUS meet twice: once as a committee and again with the standing chairs. ECUS asked for feedback on whether the committee should remain as is or if its structure should be revised. The committee discussed the proposal but made no formal recommendation. Mary asked anyone who had comments to send them to her.

Next Meeting

The committee will meet on Friday, September 15, at 1:00 PM, in A&S 2-51, if needed.

Adjournment

The committee adjourned at 2:06 p.m.