

**GENERAL EDUCATION ADVISORY COUNCIL
MINUTES
February 3, 2014
204 Whitehurst**

Present: Rebecca Bensen Cain, Jon Comer, Precious Elmore, Carol Jones, Nick Materer, Bob Miller, Bridget Miller, Joe Schatzer, Sheila Scott-Halsell, Mark Weiser, Sarah Gordon, Dale Lightfoot, Amy Frazer, Jacqueline Vadjunec, and Brenda Masters.

1. New General Education Designation Requests Tabled from Fall 2013

GEOG 2344 – Digital Tools for Environmental Exploration, requests the “N and L” designations, effective Fall 2014.

11/01/13 - Tabled pending clarification that the course meets the criteria for the “N and L” designations.

02/03/14- Members approved the “N and L” designations, effective Fall 2014.

LA 2523 – Garden Design in Harmony with Local Ecology, requests the “H” designation, effective Summer 2014.

11/01/13 - Tabled pending clarification that course meets the criteria for the “H” designation.

02/03/14 - Members denied the “H” designation. Members did not feel that elements of social and contemporary culture were evident within the course content. Members encouraged reapplication with different content and title that would better fit the general education criteria for the “H” designation.

2. New General Education Designation Requests

BOT 1404 – Plant Biology, requests the “L” designation, effective Fall 2014. The course presently carries the “N” designation.

Member approved the “L” designation, effective Fall 2014.

ENGR 4060 – Technology of China, requests the “I” designation, one-time only, effective Summer 2014.

Members approved the “I” designation, effective Summer 2014.

ENGR 4073 – Technology and Culture of Italy, requests the “I” designation, effective Spring 2014. Course being offered March 2014.

Members approved the “I” designation, effective Spring 2014.

ENGR 4083 – Technology and Culture of Brazil, requests the “I” designation, effective Summer 2014.

Members approved the “I” designation, effective Summer 2014.

ENGR 4093 – Technology and Culture of France, requests the “I” designation, effective Summer 2014.

Members approved the “I” designations, effective Summer 2014.

HRAD 3643 – Geotourism, requests the “S and D” designations, effective Fall 2014.

Members felt that there needs to be more emphasis on generic guidelines and travel schedule of the course to determine if those locations are in a diverse area.

Member approved the “S and D” designations, effective Fall 2014.

HRAD 4643 – Applied Human Resources in Hospitality, requests “D” designation, effective Summer 2014. Course presently carries graduate credit.

Members denied the “D” designation as the course carries graduate credit.

SPED 3202 – Educating Exceptional Learners, requests the “D” designation, effective Summer 2014.
Members approved the “D” designation, effective Summer 2014.

3. General Education Five Year Review of “H” Designations

ART 1603 – Introduction to Art, requests continuation of the “H” designation, effective Summer 2014.
Members approved continuation of the “H” designation, effective Summer 2014.

ART 2603 – Art History Survey I, requests continuation of the “H” designation, effective Summer 2014.
Members approved continuation of the “H” designation, effective Summer 2014.

ART 3653 – History of Nineteenth Century Art, requests continuation of the “H” designation, effective Summer 2014.
Members approved continuation of the “H” designation, effective Summer 2014.

ENGL 2233 – Writing as a Profession, requests continuation of the “H” designation, effective Summer 2014.
Members tabled for review by all members.

HONR 1013 – The Ancient World, requests continuation of the “H” designation, effective Summer 2014.
Members approved continuation of the “H” designation, effective Summer 2014.

HONR 1023 – Middle Ages and Renaissance, requests continuation of the “H” designation, effective Summer 2014.
Members approved continuation of the “H” designation, effective Summer 2014.

HONR 1033 – Early Modern World, requests continuation of the “H” designation, effective Summer 2014.
Members approved continuation of the “H” designation, effective Summer 2014.

HONR 1043 – The Twentieth Century, requests continuation of the “H” designation, effective Summer 2014.
Members approved continuation of the “H” designation, effective Summer 2014.

HONR 2063 – Ethical Issues Across Cultural Perspectives, requests continuation of the “H” designation, effective Summer 2014.
Members approved continuation of the “H” designation, effective Summer 2014.

HONR 3013 – Holocaust Studies Seminar, requests continuation of the “H and I” designations, effective Summer 2014.
Members approved continuation of the “H and I” designations, effective Summer 2014.

HONR 3023 – Contemporary Cultures of the Western World, requests continuation of the “H and I” designations, effective Summer 2014.
Members approved continuation of the “H and I” designations, effective Summer 2014.

HONR 3053 – Biology, Race, and Gender; requests continuation of the “H and D” designations, effective Summer 2014.
Members approved continuation of the “D” designation, effective Summer 2014 and tabled the “H” designation for review by all members.