GENERAL EDUCATION ADVISORY COUNCIL MINUTES March 7, 2014 204 Whitehurst

Present: Rebecca Bensen Cain, Jon Comer, Precious Elmore, Amy Martindale, Nick Materer, Bridget Miller, Joe Schatzer, Sheila Scott-Halsell, Mark Weiser, Sarah Gordon, and Brenda Masters.

1. New General Education Designation Requests Tabled from Fall 2013

AMST 3673 – History of American Art, requests the "H and D" designations, effective Fall 2014. (crosslisted with ART 3663 which already carries the "H" and is requesting the "D" designation) 11/1/13 - Members tabled – pending clarification of writing assignments. 3/7/14 - Members approved the "H and D" designations, effective Fall 2014.

ART 3663 – History of American Art, requests the "D" designation (presently carries the "H" designation), effective Fall 2014. (crosslisted with AMST 3673, new course requesting the "H and D" designations) 11/1/13 - Members tabled – pending clarification of writing assignments. 3/7/14 - Members approved the "D" designation, effective Fall 2014.

2. New General Education Designation Requests

AG 3080 – Culture and Agriculture of Italy, requests the "I" designation, one-time only, effective Summer 2014.

Members approved the "I" designation, one-time only, effective Summer 2014.

AG 3080 – Culture and Agriculture of Ireland, requests the "I" designation, one-time only, effective Summer 2014.

Members approved the "I" designation, one-time only, effective Summer 2014.

GEOG 4600 – Geography Study Abroad Cultural and Natural Resources of Morocco, requests the "S" designation, one-time only, effective Summer 2014.

Members approved the "S" designation, one-time only, effective Summer 2014.

HRAD 4090 – International Hospitality Studies, requests the "I" designation, one-time only, effective Summer 2014.

Members approved.

PHIL 3920 – Philosophy of Sport, requests the "H" designation, one-time only, effective Summer 2014. **Members approved the "H" designation, one-time only, effective Summer 2014.**

PHIL 3920- Love, Sex, and Gender, requests the "H" designation, one-time only, effective Summer 2014. Tabled pending clarification of writing assignments. The course doesn't appear to have any "out of class" writing assignments.

Upper division courses - outside of class writing assignments that give students the opportunity to incorporate feedback in subsequent writing assignments (by revising and resubmitting one assignment or submitting more than one assignment). Minimum of 10 pages of writing assignments during semester.

PHIL 3920 – Race, Film, and Philosophy, requests the "H and D" designations, one-time only, effective Fall 2014.

Members approved the "H and D" designations, one-time only, effective Fall 2014.

PHIL 3920 – Philosophy of Nature, Simplicity and Self Reliance, requests the "H" designation, one-time only, effective Fall 2014.

Members approved the "H" designation, one-time only, effective Fall 2014.

POLS 4100 – Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender, requests the "D" designation, one-time only, effective Fall 2014.

Members denied. The online form indicates the course provides graduate credit and it is unclear if students have the opportunity to receive feedback on writing assignments.

REL 4050 – Religions and Sects in the Middle East, requests the "H and I" designations, one-time only, effective Summer 2014. (Dept. had a permanent course approved to be effective Fall 2014.) **Members approved the "H and I" designations, one-time only, effective Summer 2014.**

3. General Education Five Year Review of "H" Designations

HONR 3053 – Biology, Race, and Gender, requests continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014.

2/3/14 - Members approved continuation of the "D" designation, effective Summer 2014 and tabled the "H" designation for review by all members.

2/14/14 – Members denied continuation of the "H" designation (email vote), effective Spring 2015. It is not apparent that the course meets the criteria for the "H" designation.

3/7/14 - Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014.

AMST 2103 – Introduction to American Studies, requests continuation of the "H and D" designations, effective Fall 2014

Members tabled pending submission of the "D" designation.

AMST 3253 – Globalization and American Culture, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

AMST 3423 – American Popular Culture, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

AMST 3513 – Film and American Society, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

AMST 3653 – The Body in American Culture, requests the continuation of the "H and D" designations, effective Fall 2014.

Members tabled pending submission of the "D" designation.

AMST 4593 - Americas in International Perspective, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

ART 2613 – Art History Survey II, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014. Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

ART 3623 – Italian Renaissance Art, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014. **Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.**

ART 3663 – History of American Art, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014. **Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014**.

ART 3713 – Early Medieval Art, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014. Members Approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

ART 3723 – Late Medieval Art, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014. **Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.**

ART 3733 – History of Latin American Art I, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

ART 3743 – History of Latin American Art II, requests the continuation of the "H and I" designations, effective Fall 2014.

Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

DHM 3213 – Heritage of Dress II, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014.

Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014.

ENGL 1923 – Great Works of Literature, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014.

Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014.

ENGL 2243 – Language, Text, and Culture, requests the continuation of the "H and I" designations, effective Summer 2014.

Members tabled pending clarification, from the course schedule, that the course meets the criteria for the international credit. It is not clear that over 50% of the course materials relate to contemporary cultures.

Courses designated "I" emphasize contemporary – the current time in the context of the discipline - cultures outside the United States. Courses concerning ethnic and cultural minorities within the U.S. do not qualify. At least one-half of the course materials must relate to contemporary, not historical, cultures.

ENGL 2413 – Introduction to Literature, requests the continuation of the "H and D" designations, effective Summer 2014.

Members approved continuation of the "H and D" designations, effective Summer 2014.

ENGL 2513 – Introduction to Creative Writing, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014.

Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014.

ENGL 3123 – Mythology, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014. **Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014.**

ENGL 3153 – Literature by Women, requests the continuation of the "H and D" designations, effective Summer 2014.

Members approved continuation of the "H and D" designations, effective Summer 2014.

ENGL 3163 – World Literature I, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014. **Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014.**

ENGL 3173 – World Literature II, requests the continuation of the "H and I" designations, effective Summer 2014.

Members approved continuation of the "H and I" designations, effective Summer 2014.

ENGL 3183 – Native American Literature, requests the continuation of the "H and D" designations, effective Summer 2014.

Members approved continuation of the "H and D" designation, effective Summer 2014.

ENGL 3193 – African American Literature, requests the continuation of the "H and D" designations, effective Summer 2014.

Members approved continuation of the "H and D" designations, effective Summer 2014.

ENGL 3333 – Short Story, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014. **Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014.**

ENGL 3363 – Readings in Drama, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014.

Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014.

ENGL 3443 – Studies in Film Genre, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014.

Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014.

ENGL 3463 – History of International Film, requests the continuation of the "H and I" designations, effective Summer 2014.

Members approved continuation of the "H and I" designations, effective Summer 2014.

ENGL 3813 – Readings in American Experience, requests the continuation of the "H and D" designations, effective Summer 2014.

Members approved continuation of the "H and D" designations, effective Summer 2014

ENGL 3933 – Shakespeare, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014. **Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014.**

ENGL 4723 – Studies in Shakespeare, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014.

Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014.

GEOG 4103 – Historical Geography of the United States, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014.

Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014.

GEOG 4223 – Geography of Music, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014.

Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Summer 2014.

HIST 3013 – Ancient Egypt and Israel, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

HIST 3023 – Ancient Greece, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014. Members tabled pending clarification of the writing assignments and page lengths.

HIST 3033 – Ancient Rome, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014. **Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.**

HIST 3043 – Ancient Mesopotamia, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014. Members tabled pending clarification of the writing assignment.

HIST 3113, Germany Since 1815, requests the continuation of the "H and I" designations, effective Fall 2014.

Members tabled pending clarification of the writing requirements and submission of the "I" designation information.

HIST 3153 – Russia to 1861, requests the continuation of the "H and I" designations, effective Fall 2014. Members approved continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014 and denied the "I" designation, effective Spring 2015. The course does not appear to cover contemporary culture.

HIST 3163 – Russia Since 1861, requests the continuation of the "H and I" designations, effective Fall 2014.

Members tabled pending submission of the "I" designation information.

HIST 3203 – Early Medieval Europe, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014. Members approved the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

HIST 3233 – Later Medieval Europe, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014. Members approved the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

HIST 3243 – Renaissance 1350 to 1517, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

Members approved the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

HIST 3263 – Modern Europe, 1815 to 1914, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

Members approved the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

HIST 3273 – Modern Europe, Since 1914, requests the continuation of the "H and I" designations, effective Fall 2014.

Members tabled pending submission of the "I" designation information.

HIST 3323 – Modern France, 1789 to Present, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

Members approved the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

HIST 3333 – History of the Second World War, requests the continuation of the "H and I" designations, effective Fall 2014.

Members tabled pending submission of the "I" designation information.

HIST 3343 – World War One in Modern European Culture, requests the continuation of the "H and I" designations, effective Fall 2014.

Members tabled pending submission of the "I" designation information.

HIST 3363 – Popular Religion in the West, 1300 – 1700, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

Members approved the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

HIST 3373 Medieval England, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014. **Members approved the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.**

HIST 3383 – Tudor Stuart England, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014. **Members approved the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.**

HIST 3403 – East Asia to 1800, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014. **Members approved the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.**

HIST 3413 – East Asia since 1800, requests the continuation of the "H and I" designations, effective Fall 2014.

Members tabled pending submission of the "I" designation information.

HIST 3433 – Modern China, requests the continuation of the "H and I" designations, effective Fall 2014. **Members tabled pending submission of the "I" designation information.**

HIST 3453 – Colonial Latin America, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014. **Members approved the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.**

HIST 3463 – Modern Latin America, requests the continuation of the "H and I" designations, effective Fall 2014.

Members tabled pending submission of the "I" designation information.

HIST 3483 – Reformation Europe, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014. **Members approved the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.**

HIST 3493 – Scandinavia Since 1500, requests the continuation of the "H and I" designations, effective Fall 2014.

Members tabled pending submission of the "I" designation information.

HIST 3613 – American Colonial to 1750, American Colonial to 1750, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

Members tabled pending for clarification of the writing requirements, specifically lengths of writing assignments.

HIST 3623 – Era of American Revolution, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

Members tabled pending that the course meets the criteria of the "H" designation and clarification of the writing requirements, specifically length of the assignments.

HIST 3633 – Early National Period, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014. **Members approved the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.**

HIST 3643 – Jacksonian Era, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014. Members approved the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

HIST 3683 – US History Since 1945, requests the continuation of the "H and D" designations, effective Fall 2014.

Members tabled pending submission of the "D" designation information.

HIST 3693 – The Modern West, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014. Members approved the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

HIST 3753 – Trans-Mississippi West, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014. Members tabled pending clarification of writing requirement, specifically length of assignments.

HIST 3763 – American Southwest, requests the continuation of the "H and D" designations, effective Fall 2014.

Members tabled pending submission of the "D" designation information.

HIST 3793 – Indians in America, requests the continuation of the "H and D" designations, effective Fall 2014.

Members tabled pending clarification of writing requirement, specifically length of assignments, and there appears to be no information on the "D" designation.

HIST 3913 – History of Medicine, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014. **Members approved the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.**

HIST 4353 – American Military History, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

Members approved the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

HIST 4453 – History of Film, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014. **Members approved the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.**

HIST 4463, American Culture to 1865, requests the continuation of the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.

Members approved the "H" designation, effective Fall 2014.