

GENERAL EDUCATION ADVISORY COUNCIL
MINUTES
April 28, 2017
(Tabled Requests Resolved)
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1. New General Education Designation Requests:

AMST 3950 – Water is Life, requests the “D” designation, one-time only, effective Fall 2017.
(Same course as ENGL 4230)

Members approved the “D” designation, one-time only, effective Fall 2017, pending clarification that the course meets the writing requirements. The syllabus refers to a three page proposal, then an eight page essay paper. The Council is questioning if the proposal paper is a part of the eight pages or in addition to the eight pages of required writing.

5/16/17 – Received updated syllabus. Request approved for the “D” designation, one-time only, effective Fall 2017.

CPSY EDUC 3080 – Global Sustainability-India and Sri Lanka, requests the “I” designation, one-time only, effective Spring 2018.

Members approved contingent on clarifying that the course requires at least ten pages of writing. Dr. Miller can assist with any questions.

5/16/17 – Received updated syllabus. Request approved for the “I” designation, one-time only, effective Spring 2018.

ENGL 4230 – Water is Life, request the “D” designation, one-time only, effective Fall 2017.
(Same course as AMST 3950)

Members approved the “D” designation, one-time only, effective Fall 2017, pending clarification that the course meets the writing requirements. The syllabus refers to a three page proposal, then an eight page essay paper. The Council is questioning if the proposal is a part of the eight pages or in addition to the eight pages.

5/16/17 – Received updated syllabus. Request approved for the “D” designation, one-time only, effective Fall 2017.

GLST 2103 – Global Perspectives, requests the “S and I” designations, effective Fall 2017.
(Crosslisted with GEOG 2103)

2/10/17 - Members approved the “S and I” designations, effective Fall 2017, contingent on clarifying that there is a five page writing assignment. The online form refers to 5-6 pages of writing and the syllabus refers to 4-5 pages of writing.

4/28/17 – Members approved the “S and I” designations, effective Fall 2017, contingent on uploading the updated syllabus to the entry.

5/15/17 – Received updated syllabus. Request approved for the “S and I” designations, effective Fall 2017.

2. Review of the “D and I” General Education Designations:

AGED 4713 – International Programs in Agricultural Education and Extension, requests continuation of the “I” designation, effective Summer 2017.

3/6/17 - Members tabled the continuation of the “I” designation as it wasn’t clear from the information provided on the online form and syllabus that the course met the 10-page writing requirement. Members would like to see more detailed information provided regarding the nature of the writing requirements (specifics of the annotated bibliographies, etc., number of total pages of writing).

4/28/17 – Members tabled continuation for reasons stated above. Please contact Dr. Joe Schatzer with any questions.

6/12/17 - Received updated syllabus. Request approved for continuation of the "I" designation, effective Summer 2017.

DHM 4323 – Heritage of Interior Design II, requests continuation of the "I" designation, effective Summer 2017. 3/6/17 - Members tabled pending clarification that the course meets the criteria for the "I" designation. It was not clear from the syllabus that the course met the 50% contemporary requirement. Members requested that specific information be included to clarify how the course meets the criteria of the "I" designation. Members also noted that the writing assignment on the syllabus did not appear to meet the writing requirement.

4/28/17 – Members tabled continuation for reasons stated above. Please contact Drs. Bill Ryan or Stephen Clarke with questions.

5/16/17 – Received updated syllabus. Request approved for continuation of the "I" designation, effective Summer 2017.

MGMT 4213 – Managing Diversity in the Workplace, requests continuation of the "D" designation, effective Summer 2017.

Members tabled continuation of the "D" designation pending clarification, on the syllabus, of the 10 page writing requirement with the opportunity for students to receive feedback on the writing assignments.

6/12/17 – Received updated syllabus. Request approved for continuation of the "D" designation, effective Summer 2017.

MGMT 4613 – International Management, requests continuation of the "I" designation, effective Summer 2017. Members tabled continuation of the "I" designation pending clarification, on the syllabus, of the 10 page writing requirement with the opportunity for students to receive feedback on the writing assignments.

6/12/17 – Received updated syllabus. Request approved for continuation of the "I" designation, effective Summer 2017.

SCFD 3223 – Role of Teacher in American Schools, requests continuation of the "D" designation, effective Summer 2017.

3/6/17 - Members tabled continuation of the "D" designation as it was not clear from the information provided on the syllabus that the course met the writing requirements. Members requested specifics regarding the interview reflection papers. Members also noted that it is not evident that at least 50% of the course focus is on socially constructed groups.

4/28/17 – Members tabled continuation for reasons stated above. Please contact Dr. Bridge Miller with questions.

6/4/17 – Received updated syllabus. Request approved for continuation of the "D" designation, effective Summer 2017.

SPCH 4753 – Intercultural Communications, requests continuation of the "I" designation, effective Summer 2017. Members tabled continuation of the "I" designation pending clarification, on the syllabus, of the 10 page writing requirement.

6/12/17 – Received updated syllabus. Request approved for continuation of the "I" designation, effective Summer 2017.