GENERAL EDUCATION ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING EMAIL VOTE December 2020

HONR 1000 – Science Fun for Everyone, requests the N designation, one-time only, effective Spring 2021. 10/19/20 - Members denied the N designation as the reflection log and content did not appear to reflect the requirements of the N designation. (Please highlight or show track changes on additions or revisions to the resubmitted syllabus.)

10/30/20 - Received revised syllabus

12/20 email vote - Members denied the N designation as it was not clear from the information on the syllabus that the course focused on conceptual instruction in regards to the physical or biological processes.

Requirement C - Students will evaluate evidence, interpretations, results, and solutions related to the physical and biological sciences.

HONR 3063 – Jane Austen: Life, Art, Influence, requests the H designation, effective Spring 2021. (Previously offer as HONR 1000)

12/20 email vote – Members approved the H designation, effective Spring 2021.

GEOG 3910 – Geopolitics and Pandemic, requests S designation, one-time only, effective Spring 2021. 11/20/20 - Members approved the S designation pending receipt of a syllabus clarifying the 10 page-writing requirement where the writing requirement is referenced on the syllabus.

Members denied the I designation as it is not clear from the information on the syllabus that the course meets the requirements for the I designation in that 50% or more of the course content focuses on international cultural perspectives outside the United States in both the syllabus and writing requirements. Courses designated "I" prepare students for engaged citizenship in today's global society through understanding of cultural perspectives outside the United States. Courses concerning ethnic and cultural minorities within the U.S. do not qualify.

12/3/20 - Received revised syllabus

12/20 email vote – Members approved the S designation, one-time only, effective Spring 2021.

GEOG 3910 – Global Water Resources and Sustainability, requests the S designation, one-time only, effective Spring 2021

11/20/20 - Members tabled the S designation pending receipt of the syllabus, which clearly articulates the direct connection of how the course meets the S designation through theory, methods, social dynamics and social connections with the human dimension. Add more clarification about the designations to the course description at the beginning of the syllabus.

Members denied the I designation as the course content doesn't appear to meet the criteria for the I designation in that 50% or more of the content is related to international cultures outside of the US. 12/3/20 – Received revised syllabus

12/20 email vote – Members approved the S designation, one-time only, effective Spring 2021.

Information Item:

AVED 3913 - Planetary Sciences, requests the N designation, effective Fall 2021 10/19/20 - Members approved the N designation, effective Fall 2021.

12/3/20 – The Instruction Council member from the College of Arts and Sciences tabled the course action pending discussions with the College of Education and Human Sciences. An agreement was reached to approve the new course pending removal of the N general education designation.