Agenda
General Education Requirements Committee
Tuesday 28 October 2014
Business Building 208
2:30-5:00 p.m.

1. Minutes from **October 14, 2014**

2. Chair's announcements
   Coming next week from Faculty Senate: draft Faculty Constitution to university councils for 30-day review and comment. Councils' comments due to Faculty Senate by Nov. 19. All-faculty review and comment coming in early January.

3. Proposals received for review/approval:

   Remanded Proposals:
   a. HONS 1101-1102 for Objective 4 -- Response to GERC tabling 14 October

   New Proposals
   b. ACAD 1111 for Objective 8
   c. BT 1170 for Objective 8
   d. CMP 2203 for Objective 8
   e. CSD 2210 for Objective 9
   f. SOC 2201 for Objective 9 (formerly WS 2201)
   g. HIST 2201 for Objective 9 (new course)

4. ENGL 1101 for Objective 1 (CoTech A.A.S degree)
   1) UCC Proposal #39 CoTech Admissions and Gen Ed catalog changes
   2) ENGL 1101 (CoT) GERC proposal 29
   3) Recommend letter from English

5. LANG 1101, 1102, 2201, 2202 for Objective 4 (reinstating LANG prefix); Credit by Exam list

6. Remanded Proposals required – still awaiting receipt:
   a. MATH 1127 for Objective 3
   b. PHYS 1152, 1153, for Objective 5
   c. HIST 1101, HIST 1102, HIST 1111, HIST 1102, for Objective 6

7. Prepare for next meeting(s):
   4 November: proposal reviews; the Credit by Exam list/LANGs proposal
   11 November: any proposal reviews left; Assessment Plan

8. Adjourn

Notes on our current cans o' worms:

1. Questions regarding ENGL 1101 and GEM "3-6 credits (depending on placement)"

Registrar's perspective:

-- "depending on placement" means stus who need ENGL 1101 will have fewer Gen Ed credits 'left over' to take Objs. 7-9.

-- if a course called ENGL 1101 counts for some, it counts for all.

English Dept.'s perspective: keep "3-6 credits (depending on placement)" for Obj. 1

Only ENGL 1102 fulfills Obj. 1; ENGL 1101 does not (nor has GERC approved)

CoT perspective / proposal: allow ENGL 1101 to fulfill Obj. 1 for CoT students

2. "Credit by Exam" questions:

Registrar: Sarah's list; from Registrar perspective, credit by exam is in all ways = to course credit

Proposal to re-instate LANGs prefix for 1101-1102 and 2201-2202 credit by exam (since not taught at ISU):

GERC has already approved credit by exam to count for 1101-1102 for Obj. 4.

But GERC has not approved (expressly disallowed) credit by exam to fulfill Obj. 9, which is the Objective that LANG 2201-2202 fulfill.

3. Continue to work on Assessment Plan

4. Revisit Bylaws – consider deleting meeting time to leave it more flexible (currently listed as 3-5 pm the second Tuesday of each month. Also consider adding Academic Advising rep as non-voting ex-officio member.