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COMMITTEE ON GENERAL EDUCATION AND
INTERCOLLEGIATE PROGRAMS

Minutes of the October 7, 2015 Meeting

Present: Patrick Scott, ECO; Melissa Schotthofer, CEFS; Steve Hinch, RFT; Josh Smith, BMS; Steven Senger, MTH; Joe Hughes, MCL; Mike Foster, Faculty Senate; Ben Timson, BMS; Jack Llewellyn, REL; Beth Walker, AG; Corey Fox, MGT; Rich Biagioni, CHM; Rachelle Darabi, SDPA; Darryl Clark, TD

Not present: Alex Hamwi, MKT; Keri Franklin, Assessment; Crystal Gale, LIS

I. CALL TO ORDER

Jack Llewellyn called the meeting to order at 3:30 p.m. Since there were some new members, everyone introduced themselves.

II. OLD BUSINESS

Minutes from the September 9, 2015 meeting were reviewed. It was corrected that the minutes were for the September meeting not the May meeting. Joe Hughes moved to approved with the amendment; Patrick Scott seconded the motion. All approved; motion carried.

III. NEW BUSINESS

BGS Subcommittee Policy

Jack stated he had been asked to speak to the Faculty Senate meeting in regard to the Bachelor of General Study policy. Jack gave an overview of the students that have applied and those not accepted, etc. He also stated that AST 112 will be discussed at the Senate. It was challenged in Senate last month. It had been approved by CGEIP as a life science class, but is now being challenged by Senate.

It was stated that the proposed policy was located in the packet provided. Josh Smith gave an overview of what was included in the policy. It was clarified that this wouldn't go up to the Rules Committee until next year. That would give the committee time to work out anything that needed to be tweaked. Ben Timson moved to approve the policy and Joe Hughes seconded the motion. There was discussion. It was questioned if there was a need to mention the chair in the policy. Rachelle Darabi stated that there hadn't been a need for a chair. Mike Foster stated that it might be good to have a chair so that they could be the one to report to CGEIP and Faculty Senate. Rachelle stated she would probably be the one to do the reporting.

It was then questioned what would happen if someone just looked like they were not interested in the one area they were in when they were enrolled and that this would be an easy way out for them. Josh Smith stated that a person that looked like that was denied. The student written essays also provide information in that regard.

All approved, motion carried.

IV. ADJOURNMENT

Josh Smith motioned to adjourn; Darryl Clark seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 4:00 p.m.