General Education Task Force Minutes of the December 6, 2011 Meeting

Present: Etta Madden, Chair; Emily Bernet, Kristina Moller, Doug Gouzie, Tim Knapp, John Catau, Pam Sailors, Eric Nelson, Thomas Lane, Eric Sheffield, and David Mitchell

I. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 2:02 p.m. in LIBR 204

II. MINUTES

Minutes of the Wednesday, November 30, 2011, meeting were reviewed and approved as presented.

III. ANNOUNCEMENTS

The first meeting of the next semester will be Thursday, January 19th from 2 – 3:30 p.m. and semester meetings will be most Thursdays at that time. Deadlines were discussed to get material to CGEIP and Faculty Senate in a timely manner. It was suggested to have Learning Outcomes to Faculty Senate by February 9 at the latest. The next meeting is March 8th and that would allow 2 meetings for Faculty Senate to consider prior to spring break.

IV. CGEIP REPORT

David Mitchell gave an overview of the CGEIP meeting that was held on November 30 & their responses to the Task Force work.

V. Discussion continued. Learning Goals and Outcomes were discussed and revised as agreed upon. There was a motion to add a learning outcome under Community Engagement: A 4th point be added under Community Engagement that addresses student understanding of their communities' needs and how to act to address them. A vote was taken, motion carried.

VI. NEXT MEETING

There was discussion about the next meeting, and it was decided to have a called meeting in order to finish Learning Outcomes so they can be sent to CGEIP & Faculty Senate for their January meetings.

VII. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 3:02 p.m.