March 28, 2019 UGEC minutes

In attendance in Macon: Achim Kopp, Chair; Susan Malone; Tanya Sharon; Stephen Hill; Nannette Turner; Marilyn Mindingall

Sharon Augustine (by zoom)

Grace Lewis (by zoom)

In Atlanta: Wesley Barker; Kelly McMichael

Achim called the meeting to order

Committee reviewed February 21, 2019 minutes

Minutes needed to be amended to reflect that Grace Lewis was present and that Wesley Barker seconded the motion to adjourn.

Unanimous approval of minutes as amended

**Review of course additions from CLA for consideration as General Education options**

Addition of HIS 201:

Tanya summarized the rationale in the proposal

No discussion

Stephen moved to vote, Wesley seconded

motion carries unanimous approval

Addition of HIS 225:

Tanya summarized the rationale in the proposal

Susan mentioned an error in the course number: needs to be HIS 225 throughout

Nannette moved to vote; Stephen seconded the motion

Motion carries unanimous approval

**Revision of INT courses**

Review of INT 101:

Tanya explained the INT course change in relation to the AAC&U institute on integrative education, emphasizing integration beyond interdisciplinarity. Integrative education needs to expand beyond a concept of traversing academic disciplinary boundaries and provide a way to reinforce lifelong learning. The articulation of this new concept of integration in the description is essential to the re-thinking of these courses. The specific language change reflected in the proposals comes from a working group created by the Dean of CLA to implement some of the ideas from the AAC&U institute. The group also agreed to reduce the outcomes to two SLOs that are more explicitly integrative.

Nannette moved to vote; Stephen seconded the motion

Motion carries unanimous approval

INT 201:

Tanya explained that the rationale is similar to 101; however, here the language emphasizes engagement with community.

Nannette moved to vote; Wesley seconded the motion

Motion carries unanimous approval

INT 301:

Tanya noted that the changes involve taking out language of interdisciplinarity to focus on integration

Nannette moved to vote; Stephen seconded the motion

Motion carries unanimous approval

**Other Business:**

College of Health Professions point of information: CHP has requested to add certain courses to their General Education core.

Marilyn mentioned that she will update Chairs on corrections to catalog revisions

Tanya presented the updated assessment schedule.

Tanya moved to end the meeting; Stephen seconded the motion

Meeting concluded

Minutes respectfully submitted by Wesley Barker on 4/1/2019