

University Senate
Committee Report Template

Committee Name: GE Committee
Semester: Academic Year 2020-21

Committee Membership

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| • Mary Bridget White | General Education | College of LA |
| • Jacquelyn Tuerk-Stonberg | Art History Program/History | College of LA |
| • Benito Sanchez | Accounting / Finance | College of BPM |
| • Kyoung Kim | Health and Human Performance | College of COE |
| • Kathleen Curran | Health and Human Performance | College of COE |
| • Sara Maass-Meyer | Biological Sciences | College of NAHS |
| • Manual Divino | Architecture | M. Graves College |
| • Craig Konyk | Architecture | M. Graves College |
| • Luis Tapia | Professional Staff | |
| • Stephanie McCluney | Professional Staff | |
| • Sean Keegan-Landis | General Studies | KFT Rep |
| • Linda Cifelli | Learning Commons | Library |
| • Dawn Marie Dowd | General Studies | |
| • Susan Ahern | General Studies – Secretary | |
| • Alisa Douglas | Faculty Senate | |
| • Bridie Chapman | ED General Studies | |
| • Mukul Acharya | Office of Assessment & Accreditation | |

Committee Chair: Kathleen Curran, COE

Committee Secretary: Susan Ahern, General Studies

Meeting dates:

- September 8, 2020
- October 19, 2020
- November 9, 2020
- November 30, 2020
- January 12, 2021
- January 27, 2021
- February 10, 2021
- February 24, 2021
- March 10, 2021
- March 24, 2021
- April 7, 2021
- April 21, 2021

Minutes forwarded to University Senate office: **Yes** No

Summary of the work during this semester:

September 28, 2020

- Kathleen Curran elected as Chair, no nominees for secretary
- Discussed GE Standing Charges; GE Program Curriculum and GE Approved Distribution Courses
- Google Drive created for AY 20-21

October 19, 2020

September 28, 2020 minutes approved electronically – October 20, 2020

Reviewed:

CPS 1231

- New Option 5-year BS Computer Science / MS Computer Information Systems
- New Option 5-year BS Information Technology / MS Computer Information Systems
- Revision of Degree Program – MS in Computer Information Systems
- Proposed Revisions – CBPM: 40400 BS in Marketing; 40600 BS Management General Business Option; 40605 BS in Management: Supply Chain & Information Management; 40606 BS Management Entrepreneurship Option; 40607 BS Management Human Resources Management Option
- Consideration of combining the GE Addendum to the GE Transmittal
- Still no nominations for secretary

November 9, 2020

- October 19, 2020 minutes approved 1/12/2021
- Review of GE Assessment Report from 2020 – Dr. B. Chapman and Susan Ahern
- Program Name Change
- BS Community Health Education to BS in Public Health
- BFA Graphic: Interactive to BFA Advertising
- BA in Economics to BS in Economics
- Still no nominations for secretary

November 30, 2020

- EDUC 4993
- SOC 3053
- Still no nominations for secretary

January 12, 2021 (Special Meeting)

- Approved December 7, 2020 & November 9, 2020 minutes
- Review of BLA Program Proposal
- ID 1400 Computing in Modern Society – Type II Revision and adding online courses
- TECH 4513 Senior Project in IT – Type II Revision, course title change and adding online

- Program Update: BS in Biology
- New Minor Program: Minor in Environmental Health
- New Major Program: BS in Environmental Health
- Still no nominations for secretary

January 27, 2021

- Revision: Minor in Sustainability Science

February 24, 2021

- New Course: Civic Engagement and Public Service
- New Major Program: BA Computer Science

March 10, 2021

- Minutes approved for January 27, 2021 and February 24, 2021 Meetings
- New Course: Civic Engagement (The GE Committee approved the course as a GE Social Science Distribution Course. Agreed that this course cannot be approved as a humanities course)
- Review Revision of: Public Relations Option; Journalism Option; Studies Option; and Media & Journalism: Media and Film
- Susan Ahern Volunteered as secretary

March 24, 2021

- Minutes of March 10, 2021 Approved
- Revision of Option in BS Computer Science
- Revision of Option in Computer Science – Information Systems Option
- Revision of Option in Computer Science – Cybersecurity Option
- Revision of Option in Computer Science – Data Science Option
- Revision of Option in Program Information Technology
- Revision of Option in Information Technology – Cybersecurity Option
- Change in Program Content: BA in Recreational Therapy

April 7, 2021

- Meeting March 24, 2021 Minutes approved
- New Option: BS in Exercise Science: Pre-Athletic Training / Physical Therapy Option
- Revision: BS in Physical Education and Health: Teacher Certification (K-12)

April 21, 2021

- April 7, 2021 Minutes approved
- Cancellation BS in Sustainability Science
- BS Earth Science – GEO Science Option