

Minutes, University Committee for General Education
Meeting #6, 2008-2009; November 13, 2008

Present: Charles Tibbals, Chris Williams, Pat Hart, Rochelle Smith, Jean Henscheid, Jeanne Christiansen, Steve Chandler, Nic Jorgensen and Michael O'Rourke.

Meeting called to order at 3:30pm. It was moved and seconded (Jorgensen/Chandler) to approve the minutes. Motion passed unanimously.

RFP's

Chris asked the committee for any additions or changes that needed to be made before sending out the RFP's. Everyone thought they looked great. Chris will send them out.

Call for Additions to General Education lists

Motion was made (O'Rourke/Hart) to approve the Call for Additions to the General Education list. Motion passed unanimously.

Staffing and Funding for Core Discovery & Integrated Science

The question was brought up about including all general Core courses in each college's contribution to Core overall; should general Core courses be separate from Core Discovery? Michael O'Rourke wanted know what would the financial impact be if we went to the State Board Core? Karen Hume asked Jeanne Christianson if Core Discovery was discussed at the Dean's retreat last Saturday. Jeanne Christianson said that it was not a part of the discussion. Steve Chandler thinks that funding for Core Discovery should come off the top of general education. Michael O'Rourke felt the committee should send a statement to the Provost about how Core Discovery should be funded. It was decided that the committee would develop a statement for funding Core Discovery at the next meeting. Chris Williams will send out an email notice asking for ideas prior to the meeting.

Motion made to adjourn (O'Rourke/Jorgensen). Motion passed unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 5:00 pm.

Julie Miller
Core Assistant