Environmental Awareness Subcommittee - 2020-2021

Subcommittee Members:

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The Environmental Awareness Subcommittee of the University Curriculum Committee met on January 25, 2021, at 2:00 p.m. via Zoom.

The subcommittee unanimously approved the minutes of the October 22, 2020 meeting. The subcommittee briefly discussed the full review of all Environmental Awareness that occurred in fall of 2020.

The following courses were on the original list of courses that satisfied the Environmental Awareness Requirement. As part of the full review in fall 2020, it was determined that the courses no longer met the learning outcomes of the requirement and the courses were removed from the list. Subsequent to the removal, at the recommendation by the subcommittee, the department updated the course descriptions, course objectives, and topical outlines for each course and submitted them for reconsideration to fulfill the Environmental Awareness Requirement.

The subcommittee unanimously approved the following courses to fulfill the Environmental Awareness Requirement:

- GEOG 1101, Human Geography: People, Places, and Cultures
- GEOG 1101E, Human Geography: People, Places, and Cultures
- GEOG 1111, Introduction to Physical Geography
- GEOG 2110H, Introduction to Physical Geography (Honors)

The subcommittee unanimously denied the following courses to fulfill the Environmental Awareness Requirement due to insufficient evidence that the courses meet the learning outcomes of the Environmental Awareness Requirement.

- GEOG 1113, Introduction to Landforms
- GEOG 1113E, Introduction to Landforms

The next Environmental Awareness Subcommittee meeting is scheduled for February 15, 2021, at 3:00 p.m.

The meeting adjourned at 2:31 p.m.

Rodney Mauricio, Chair

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