

General Education Subcommittee 2022-2023

Subcommittee Members:

Rodney Mauricio, Chair, College of Arts and Sciences
Harold Briggs, School of Social Work
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Susan Sanchez, College of Veterinary Medicine
David Spooner, College of Environment and Design
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Attendees:

Katie Burr, Office of Instruction
Fiona Liken, Office of the Registrar
Brooke Daniel, Office of the Registrar
Crystal Graham, Office of the Registrar

The General Education Subcommittee of the University Curriculum Committee met on April 27, 2023, at 2:00 p.m. in 315 New College and via Zoom.

The subcommittee unanimously approved the minutes of the February 17, 2023, General Education Subcommittee meeting.

The subcommittee unanimously denied the following courses to be added to list of courses approved to satisfy Area IV, World Language and Global Culture, of the General Education Core Curriculum, due to insufficient evidence that the courses meet the learning outcomes of Core Area IV, World Language and Global Culture.

AMSL 1010, American Sign Language I
AMSL 1010E, American Sign Language I

The subcommittee discussed the revised General Education plan. The revised General Education plan has been presented to campus constituencies, including the College of Arts and Sciences Curriculum Committee and the Franklin Senate, and it will be distributed to school/college deans and associate deans across campus for consideration. Additional campus forums will be scheduled to give faculty, staff, students, and administrators the opportunity to discuss and ask questions about the revised General Education plan.

The subcommittee discussed a request from the Department of Romance Languages to revise the wording of the learning outcome for the “Exploring Societies Outside of the United States” area of the revised General Education plan. The subcommittee recommended that Romance Languages review the course objectives and topical outlines of their courses to document what changes to the inclusion of their courses would result from this proposed revision.

The final revised General Education plan will be added as an action item on the agenda for a fall 2023 University Curriculum Committee meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:56 p.m.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Rodney Mauricio". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized initial 'R'.

Rodney Mauricio, PhD, Chair
General Education Subcommittee