



GECCo Meeting Minutes

Friday, October 13, 2023

SCI III 100 Conference Room (FTF)

Zoom Meeting 2:00 pm – 3:30 pm

Present: Eduardo Montoya, Marta Ruiz (Admin Support), Atieh Poushneh, Bilin Zeng, John Deal, Jonathan Young, Kelly O'Bannon Miller, R. Steven Daniels

Absent: Annie Boehning, Debra Jackson, Nathan Li

Guest: FYS LCS – Charles Lam

The meeting began at 2:00 p.m.

1. Approval of Agenda for Friday, October 13, 2023

- a. Kelly O'Bannon moves to approve the agenda for Friday, October 13, 2023
- b. Jonathan Young seconds to approve the agenda for Friday, October 13, 2023
- c. Objections – None
- d. Abstentions- None
- e. There is a unanimous approval.

2. Approval of Minutes for Friday, September 29, 2023

- a. John Deal moves to approve the meeting minutes.
- b. R. Steven Daniels seconds to approve the meeting minutes.
- c. Objections – None
- d. Abstentions- None
- e. There is a unanimous approval.

3. New Courses (Box>GECCo>Course Submissions>2023-24)

- a. NURS 4218
 - i. R. Steven Daniels moves to approve NURS 4218.
 - ii. Kelly O'Bannon seconds to approve NURS 4218.
 - iii. Objections – None
 - iv. Abstentions – None
 - v. There is a unanimous approval.
- b. GEOL 2069
 - i. R. Steven Daniels moves to approve GEOL 2069
 - ii. Kelly O'Bannon seconds to approve GEOL 2069
 - iii. There is a unanimous approval.

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- c. GEOL 4918
 - i. GEOL 4918 was not approved (GECCo revision).
 - ii. Kelly O'Bannon offered to give Geology advice on revising the course to meet OC reinforcement.
- 4. **Open Forum – AY 2024-25 PHIL RS Lower Division – GE Course Revisions (with GE Form) (1).pdf**
 - a. Committee will read the letter from Nate Olson and decide if they want all departments to complete how the course meets the SLOs and Course Requirements.
 - b. Eduardo Montoya will request the revised syllabus from Nate Olson as the previous one no longer justifies the skills.
- 5. **Discussion on potential changes to our GE program**
 - a. Cal-GETC does not have a First Year Seminar area, therefore FYS becomes a 2-unit institution requirement.
 - b. Committee will send suggestions to Eduardo Montoya, the pros and cons. He will put something together and discuss it with the group.
- 6. **Further discussion on Course Certification if time allows.**
 - a. The committee will discuss this at their next meeting.

Adjourned at 3:15 p.m.

Next meeting- 10/27/2023