

GENERAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE

AGENDA

MAY 11, 2020

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DATE: MAY 11, 2020

1. The approval of the agenda for May 11, 2020.
2. The (approval) of the minutes from April 20, 2020 (attached).
3. Proposals from the Department of Media Culture for:
 - a. Change in existing course: CIN 203 Chinese Cinema
NOTE: The GEC is reviewing whether this change has any effect on the pre-existing GE status of this/these course(s)
4. Proposal from the Department of Media Culture and Department of Political Science & Global Affairs for:
 - a. Change in existing course: CIN 204/POL 219 Politics, Cinema, Media
NOTE: The GEC is reviewing whether this change has any effect on the pre-existing GE status of this/these course(s)
5. Proposal from the Department of Media Culture and the Program in American Studies for:
 - a. Change in existing course: CIN 230/AMS 230 American Film and American Myth
NOTE: The GEC is reviewing whether this change has any effect on the pre-existing GE status of this/these course(s)

6. Proposal from the Department of Media Culture and the Department of Sociology & Anthropology for:
 - a. Change in existing course: COM 225/ANT 225 Multicultural Literacy
NOTE: The GEC is reviewing whether this change has any effect on the pre-existing GE status of this/these course(s)

7. Proposal from the Department of Economics and Program in Women's, Gender, & Sexuality Studies for:
 - a. New course: ECO/WGS Women and the Economy (SOCIAL SCIENCE and P&D)

8. Proposals from the Program in Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies for:
 - a. Change in existing course: WGS 201 Introduction to Women's, Gender & Sexuality Studies (P&D, TALA, or Social Science)
 - b. Change in existing course: WGS/SOC 202 Gender, Race, Ethnicity and Class, WGS/SOC 230 Sociology of Women, WGS/SOC 230 Sociology of Men (Social Science, P&D)
 - c. Change in existing course: WGS/INT 203 Gender in the Contemporary World (Social Science, Contemporary World, P&D)
 - d. Change in existing course: WGS 204 LGBTQ Narratives (P&D, Contemporary World)
NOTE: The GEC is reviewing whether this change has any effect on the pre-existing GE status of this/these course(s)

9. Proposals from the Program in American Studies for:
 - a. Change in existing courses: AMS 210/PHL 210 American Philosophy, AMS 220/GEG 220 Geography of the United States (social science), AMS 227/GEG 227 The Geography of Drugs
 - b. Change in existing courses: AMS 211/AAD 211 American Culture in Black and White (SOCIAL SCIENCE and P&D)
 - c. Change in existing courses: AMS 212 Twentieth-Century American, AMS 214 America in the World, AMS 222 The City in American Culture, AMS 231 American Myths and Realities (SOCIAL SCIENCE), AMS 239 The American Civil War, AMS 252 American Arts (TALA)

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10. Proposal from the Program in International Studies for:
 - a. Change in existing course: INT 201 Latin American Perspectives (SOCIAL SCIENCE and P&D)

NOTE: The GEC is reviewing whether this change has any effect on the pre-existing GE status of this/these course(s)

11. Proposals from the Program in Science, Letters, and Society

- a. Change in existing course: SLS 230 American Society, SLS 235/POL 235 The American Political System, SLS 245/SOC 245 Contemporary Social Issues (SOCIAL SCIENCE)

NOTE: The GEC is reviewing whether this change has any effect on the pre-existing GE status of this/these course(s)

12. Proposals from the Program in African and African Diaspora Studies

- a. Change in existing course: AAD 253/POL 253 African Politics (SOCIAL SCIENCE, P&D)
- b. Change in existing courses: AAD 353/FRN 350/WGS 353 Gender in the Francophone World (CONT. WRLD, P&D) and AAD 355/FRN 355 Introduction to Francophone Studies (CONT. WRLD, P&D, TALA)

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13. Spring 2019 Flexible Grading Policy

14. Old Business

15. New Business