

UNC GREENSBORO
GENERAL EDUCATION COUNCIL
MINUTES
Friday, October 29, 2021
2:00 PM • Virtual Meeting

Members Present: Amy Harris Houk, Bruce Banks, Angela Bolte (for Omar Ali), Sarah Cervenak, Igor Erovenko, Della Hawes (for Lisa Henline), Andrew Hudson, Jeremy Ingraham, Jeff Jones, Sara MacSween, Jessica McCall, Jodi Pettazzoni, Dana Saunders, Jennifer Stephens, Terry Wicks, Jonathan Zarecki

Guests: Rebecca Muich, Lloyd International Honors College

AGENDA ITEMS:

I. Approval of Minutes from October 8, 2021, meeting

Motion to approve October 8, 2021, minutes (MacSween, Banks). Minute approved.

II. MAC Petitions for Transfer Credit

Approval of petition would grant a universal equivalency

- DC/6712 Petition for Transfer Credit: Request to allow PSCI 1102 to satisfy MAC CII in the Natural Sciences competency
Motion to reject (Jones, Zarecki). Motion approved. Sequenced courses must carry the same competency, Council approved PSCI 1101 request for Data Analysis.
- DC/6713 Petition for Transfer Credit: Request to allow PSCI 1101 to satisfy MAC Data Analysis and Interpretation in the Natural Sciences competency
Motion to approve (Jones, Zarecki). Motion approved
- MC/6708 Petition for Transfer Credit: Request to allow HIST 376 to satisfy MAC Diversity and Equity through the Humanities and Fine Arts OR through the Social & Behavioral Sciences competency
Motion to approve (Banks, Jones). Motion approved
- AH/6940 Petition for Transfer Credit: Request to allow HEAL 102 to satisfy MAC Health & Wellness competency
Motion to approve (MacSween, Jones). Motion approved
- AH/6941 Petition for Transfer Credit: Request to allow ANTH 111 to satisfy MAC Global Engagement and intercultural Learning through the Humanities and Fine Arts OR through the Social & Behavioral Sciences competency
Motion to approve (Zarecki, Ingraham). Motion approved

III. Advisor Appeals for General Education Substitutions

- DD/59500 Advisor Appeal: Request to allow ENG 101 to satisfy MAC Written Communication competency
Motion to approve (MacSween, Cervenak). Motion approved
- DD/59501 Advisor Appeal: Request to allow BIO 101 to satisfy MAC Critical Thinking and Inquiry in the Natural Sciences competency
Motion to approve (MacSween, Zarecki). Motion approved
- DD/59502 Advisor Appeal: Request to allow SOC 211 to satisfy MAC Critical Thinking in the Social & Behavioral Sciences competency
Motion to approve (MacSween, Ingraham). Motion approved
- DD/59503 Advisor Appeal: Request to allow CDF 212 to satisfy MAC Critical Thinking in the Social & Behavioral Sciences competency
Motion to reject (McCall, MacSween). Motion approved; sequenced courses must carry the same MAC competency.
- DD/59504 Advisor Appeal: Request to allow BIO 102 to satisfy MAC Data Analysis and Interpretation in the Natural Sciences competency
Motion to reject (Zarecki, MacSween). Motion approved with 1 abstention; sequenced courses must carry the same MAC competency (BIO 101 approved as CTI in the Natural Sciences).
- DD/59519 Advisor Appeal: Request to allow C C 205 to satisfy MAC Global Engagement and intercultural Learning through the Humanities and Fine Arts OR through the Social & Behavioral Sciences competency
Motion to approve (Zarecki, Jones). Motion approved
- DD/59520 & 59521 Advisor Appeal: Request to allow PHY 305 to satisfy MAC Critical Thinking and Inquiry in the Natural Sciences competency
Motion to reject (Ingraham, Banks). Motion approved with 1 abstention; BIO 101 was approved for CTI in the Natural Sciences.
- DD/59522 Advisor Appeal: Request to allow HEA 360 to satisfy MAC Health and Wellness competency
Motion to approve (Ingraham, MacSween). Motion approved with 1 abstention
- DD/59523 Advisor Appeal: Request to allow GEO 103 to satisfy MAC Data Analysis and Interpretation in the Natural Sciences competency
Motion to reject (Banks, Ingraham). Motion approved; CHE 306 approved was approved for Data Analysis.

IV. MAC Course Proposals

- HSS 100 Honors College Foundations Seminar
MAC request: Foundations
Motion to approve (Zarecki, Jones). Motion approved
- HSS 140 Honors College Written Communication Seminar
MAC request: Written Communication
Motion to approve (Zarecki, Jones). Motion approved
- HSS 141 Honors College Oral Communication Seminar
MAC request: Oral Communication
Motion to approve (Zarecki, Jones). Motion approved
- HSS 142 Honors College Quantitative Reasoning Seminar
MAC request: Quantitative Reasoning
Motion to approve (Zarecki, Jones). Motion approved
- HSS 143 Honors College Health and Wellness Seminar
MAC request: Health and Wellness
Motion to approve (Zarecki, Jones). Motion approved
- HSS 144 Honors College Critical Thinking in the Humanities and Fine Arts Seminar
MAC request: Critical Thinking in the Humanities and Fine Arts
Motion to approve (Zarecki, Jones). Motion approved
- HSS 145 Honors College Critical Thinking in the Social and Behavioral Sciences Seminar
MAC request: Critical Thinking in the Social and Behavioral Sciences
Motion to approve (Zarecki, Jones). Motion approved
- HSS 146 Honors College Critical Thinking and Inquiry in the Natural Sciences Seminar
MAC request: Critical Thinking and Inquiry in the Natural Sciences
Motion to approve (Zarecki, Jones). Motion approved
- HSS 147 Honors College Global Engagement and Intercultural Learning Seminar
MAC request: Global Engagement and Intercultural Learning
Motion to approve (Zarecki, Jones). Motion approved
- HSS 148 Honors College Diversity and Equity Seminar
MAC request: Diversity & Equity through the Humanities and Fine Arts OR through the Social & Behavioral Sciences
Motion to approve (Zarecki, Jones). Motion approved
- HSS 149 Honors College Data Analysis and Interpretation in the Natural Sciences Seminar
MAC request: Data Analysis and Interpretation in the Natural Sciences
Motion to approve (Zarecki, Jones). Motion approved

- HSS 240 Honors College Written Communication Seminar
MAC request: Written Communication
Motion to approve (Zarecki, Jones). Motion approved
- HSS 241 Honors College Oral Communication Seminar
MAC request: Oral Communication
Motion to approve (Zarecki, Jones). Motion approved
- HSS 243 Honors College Health and Wellness Seminar
MAC request: Health and Wellness
Motion to approve (Zarecki, Jones). Motion approved
- HSS 244 Honors College Critical Thinking in the Humanities and Fine Arts Seminar
MAC request: Critical Thinking in the Humanities and Fine Arts
Motion to approve (Zarecki, Jones). Motion approved
- HSS 245 Honors College Critical Thinking in the Social and Behavioral Sciences Seminar
MAC request: Critical Thinking in the Social and Behavioral Sciences
Motion to approve (Zarecki, Jones). Motion approved
- HSS 246 Honors College Critical Thinking and Inquiry in the Natural Sciences Seminar
MAC request: Critical Thinking and Inquiry in the Natural Sciences
Motion to approve (Zarecki, Jones). Motion approved
- HSS 247 Honors College Global Engagement and Intercultural Learning Seminar
MAC request: Global Engagement and Intercultural Learning
Motion to approve (Zarecki, Jones). Motion approved
- HSS 248 Honors College Diversity and Equity Seminar
MAC request: Diversity & Equity through the Humanities and Fine Arts OR through the Social & Behavioral Sciences
Motion to approve (Zarecki, Jones). Motion approved
- HSS 249 Honors College Data Analysis and Interpretation in the Natural Sciences Seminar
MAC request: Data Analysis and Interpretation in the Natural Sciences
Motion to approve (Zarecki, Jones). Motion approved
- PHI 261 Ethical Issues in Business
MAC request: Critical Thinking and Inquiry in the Humanities and Fine Arts
Rollback.
*Discussion concerned alignment of courses and majors, emphasis of MAC courses.
Additional detail/ connection needed to align assignments and MAC SLOs; additional rationale to explain how this course is not discipline specific.*

V. Assessment update

Jodi stated Assessment training is complete. We will send out invitations for the January workshops.

VI. MAC Mondays

Participants are asked to [RSVP](#).

- Monday, November 1st, 12pm - 12:40pm, Teaching in MAC: Foundations Competency
- Monday, November 15th, 12pm - 12:40pm, Teaching in MAC: Health & Wellness Competency

VII. Announcements/Other Items

- General Education Council / MAC Implementation Committee retreat.
Friday, November 12, 2021, 1-4pm, Kau Restaurant

Chair asked Council members to attend the GEC/MAC retreat on February 12, 2021. This will take the place of our next meeting.