

Central Connecticut State University (CCSU) > General Education Subcommittee[Send To Printer](#)**General Education Subcommittee**

October 27, 2010

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In attendance: Don Adams (Philosophy), Jan Bishop (Physical Education and Human Performance), Emily Chasse (Library), Jakub Kazecki (Modern Languages), Adele Miller (Math), Ruth Rollin (Biology), Robbin Smith (Political Science), Louise Williams (History), Robert Wolff (Arts and Sciences Dean's Representative)

Guest: Edward Maydock (Engineering)

Agenda:

Minutes of September 22, 2010 approved.

New Business:**Engineering**

Undergraduate Course Addition: ENGR 291-Engineering Diversity

Motion to approve ENGR 291 for D designation approved unanimously (Williams/Smith)

Motion to approve ENGR 291 for Study Area III approved unanimously (Williams/Miller)

International Studies

Undergraduate Course Addition: IS 420 – Government and Politics of Latin America

IS 421 - Government and Politics of Africa

Motion to approve cross listing IS 420 with PS 420 and IS 421 with PS 421 and reaffirm for I status approved pending the addition of the following language in the IS and PS courses passed unanimously. (Smith/Miller)

For IS 420, "Cross listed with PS 420. No credit given to those with credit for PS 420." And for IS 421, "Cross listed with PS 421. No credit given to those with credit for PS 421."

For PS 420, "Cross listed with IS 420. No credit given to those with credit for IS 420." And for PS 421, "Cross listed with IS 421. No credit given to those with credit for IS 421."

General Education Survey

The Committee reviewed a draft of a survey designed to garner faculty feedback on the current General Education program and to develop a framework for future General Education revisions. The Committee suggested revisions to the survey and expressed interest in reviewing the varied models of General Education utilized at other institutions of higher education. Robert Wolff indicated that he would develop a blog where faculty could post suggestions and comments about the General Education Program and any potential reform.

The Committee also suggested that students might appreciate the opportunity to contribute to the discussion of General Education as well.

Motion to adjourn the meeting approved. (Williams/Smith)