General Education Council
March 8, 2021 – 1:00 - 4:00pm
Colorado Department of Higher Education
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AGENDA

I. **GREETINGS & INTRODUCTIONS (**1:00-1:05pm)
   1. Welcome (Chris Rasmussen)
   2. Attendance (Christina Carrillo)

II. **Adoption of last meeting's notes** (1:05-1:10pm)
   1. *[See handout: 2021-02-08– GE Council - NOTES.pdf]*

III. **INFORMATION ITEMS**
   1. Updates (and thank you!) on:
      o Re-submission of GT Pathways courses (following 2016 revision to GT Pathways content criteria and competencies)

IV. **DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS**
   1. All things COVID-19 and other challenges of our times….

   2. Report on March 5 CCHE meeting
      a. Impacts of the Pandemic (focus on four-year – public and private)

   3. Proposed addition of UCCS to Statewide Transfer Articulation Agreement in Early Childhood Education

   4. Update on revised STAA in Business

   5. Social Determinants of Student Success
      a. Healthy Minds/Hunger Free [checklists](#)

   6. Redesign of STAA documents
      a. Approve minor revisions to template language (to reflect a full transition to the "new"—Fall 2019—CCHE admissions policy)
      b. Alumni testimonial requests

  c. Validation of KSAs for the disciplines/professions (drafts of redesigned documents will be posted to the CDHE website with a form to complete to submit feedback)
  d. Academic advisor/faculty convenings (SSTF grant)

7. HB20-1002 Implementation – updates and discussion
  a. Report of stakeholder convening held Friday, February 26
  b. Update on progress on the "plan to award postsecondary academic credit…for learning demonstrated from work-related experience"
  c. Agendas/plan for sub-committee of GE Council
  d. Other updates/questions

8. New and closed GT Pathways courses

New
University of Northern Colorado
- GT-AH1: ENG 200 Introduction to Creative Writing (3)
- GT-AH1: ENG 230 Introduction to Comics and Graphic Novels (3)
- GT-AH1: ENG 231 Analyzing Video Games (3)
- GT-AH2: ENG 205 World Folklore and Fairy Tales (3)
- GT-AH2: ENG 263 Western World Literature I (3)
- GT-AH2: ENG 264 Western World Literature II (3)
- GT-CO3: ENG 323 Advanced Argument (3)
- GT-SS3: ASIA 116 State, Society, and Culture in Contemporary Asia (3)

Closed
University of Northern Colorado
- GT-AH2: HISP 111 Introduction to Hispanic Literature (3)
- GT-SS3: HISP 102 Hispanic Cultures in the United States (3)

Reminder: GT PATHWAYS – Roll-out of new requirements.
1) Course submission forms posted [here](): Go to GT Pathways section; click on folder icon at "Submission/Verification Forms" bullet.

The timeline for re-submission of GT Pathways courses is as follows:

Due Date	GT Pathways Content Areas & Courses
February 28, 2017 • Written Communication • Mathematics TOTAL: ~160 courses	• GT-CO1: ~14 courses • GT-CO2: ~26 courses • GT-CO3: ~20 courses • GT-MA1: ~100 courses ○ Math for Liberal Arts/Quant Reasoning: ~16 courses ○ Stats (& Probability): ~9 courses ○ College Algebra: ~15 courses ○ Pre-calc & Calculus I, II, III: ~41 courses ○ Trig (&Analytic Geometry): ~6 courses ○ Finite: ~3 courses
May 15, 2017	• GT-SC1: ~169 courses ○ BIO: ~48 courses ○ CHEM: ~46 courses

• Natural & Physical Science w/Lab TOTAL: ~169 courses	○ PHYS: ~75 courses

November 24, 2017
• Natural & Physical Science w/Lab (continued) and Natural & Physical Science - lecture only
TOTAL: ~143 courses
	• GT-SC1: ~33 courses
	  ○ GEOG: ~5 courses
	  ○ GEOL: ~22 courses
	  ○ Other (meteorology, oceanography, etc.): ~6
	• GT-SC2: ~110
	  ○ BIO: ~16 courses
	  ○ CHEM: ~19 courses
	  ○ PHYS: ~14 courses
	  ○ GEOG: ~1 course
	  ○ GEOL: ~14 courses
	  ○ ASTRONOMY: ~12 courses
	  ○ ENV: ~10 courses
	  ○ Other (meteorology, oceanography, etc.): ~6 courses

May 15, 2018
• Arts & Expression
• Ways of Thinking
TOTAL: ~164 courses
	• GT-AH1: ~104
	  ○ ART: ~36 courses
	  ○ MUS: ~30 courses
	  ○ THE: ~23 courses
	  ○ DANCE: ~5 courses
	• GT-AH3: ~60
	  ○ PHI: ~49 courses
	  ○ REL: ~10 courses

<mark>November 24, 2018</mark> • Literature & Humanities • World Languages TOTAL: ~176 courses	• GT-AH2: ~114 ○ What are the right categories to put here? • GT-AH4: ~62

May 15, 2019
• History
• Economic or Political Systems
TOTAL: ~222 courses
	• GT-HI1: ~146 courses (all HIS)
	• GT-SS1: ~76 courses
	  ○ ECON: ~33 courses
	  ○ POL: ~29 courses

November 24, 2019
• Geography
• Human Behavior, Culture, or Social Frameworks
TOTAL: ~188 courses
	• GT-SS2: ~23 courses (all GEOG)
	• GT-SS3: ~165 courses
	  ○ ANT: ~28 courses
	  ○ SOC: ~41 courses
	  ○ Women's, LGBT and Gender Studies: ~20 courses (a little overlap with SOC & PSY)
	  ○ PSY: ~30 courses

Please note this timeline is flexible and CDHE will allow for individual institutions' time constraints and other specific circumstances. Eligible Courses must be part of the institution's general education core and must be offered at least once every two years (for Colorado Community College System, course can be offered anywhere in the system). Courses can be submitted on the forms provided here under "GT Pathways" and in the folder labled "Submission/Verification Forms."