

General Education Core Curriculum Committee
Minutes: September 3, 2003

Present:

Janice Brewington (brewingj@ncat.edu), Michael Roberto (robertom@ncat.edu), Robert Davis (davisbob@ncat.edu), Nita Dewberry (dewbernm@ncat.edu), Jean Williams (williamj@ncat.edu), Trent Larson (tlarson@ncat.edu), Vincent Childress (childres@ncat.edu), Perry Howard (howardp@ncat.edu), Scott Simkins (simkinss@ncat.edu), Sanjiv Sarin (sarin@ncat.edu), Charles Williams (wcharles@ncat.edu), Shea Burns (sburns@ncat.edu).

- I. Bob Davis, Co. Chair, welcomed the Committee members and requested members to introduce themselves.
- II. UNC – Community College Articulation Agreement
Dr. Elazer Barnette, Dean of the School of Technology, provided an overview of the UNC Transfer Advisory Committee and shared information on courses approved for transfer from Community Colleges to UNC system Universities. It is important for GECCRC to maintain communication with Dr. Barnette regarding the Transfer Advisory Committee. Dr. Barnette will return for a follow-up after the Transfer Advisory Committee meets.
- III. Executive Committee Minutes
Bob Davis and Sanjiv Sarin shared the minutes of the Executive Committee Meetings from August 13 & 20, 2003. The purpose of the Executive Committee is to facilitate administrative matters and to make recommendations to the GECCRC. Dr. Sarin reviewed the three major issues for this committee: 1) governance, 2) funding model for General Education, and 3) FUTURES linkage. He also stated that presentations were done to the Deans and the Cabinet on the status of the GECCRC's work.
- IV. Town Hall Meetings
The schedule for the Town Hall Meetings was distributed. The purpose of these meetings is to discuss the proposed learning objectives of the General Education program. Provost Meyers has sent a letter to the Deans and Chairpersons requesting that they meet prior to the Town Hall Meetings to discuss the learning objectives. Dr. Janice Brewington will send this letter electronically to Dr. Scott Simkins to place on the General Education website (www.ncat.edu/~simkinss/gened).
- V. Meeting Dates
Executive Committee – First Wednesday at 10:00 a.m.
Full Committee – Third Wednesday at 10:00 a.m. (Next meeting Sept. 17 at 10:00 a.m.)
These are open to all.

Three committee members indicated that the meeting day/time posed a conflict – Drs. Kebede, McIntosh and Gillispie-Johnson. Dr. Bob Davis requested that persons send a representative if they cannot attend meetings.
- VI. The meeting adjourned at 11:00 AM.

Recorded by Janice Brewington
Typed by Sanjiv Sarin