

**General Education Committee
Approved Minutes
September 13, 2006**

Present: Brandon Cooke, Kellian Clink, Ron Nickerson, Jim Rife, Gretta Handke

1. We reviewed Course Proposal number 1, which was approved.
2. We reviewed a proposed communication to be sent to General Education Faculty to remind them to look at the Gen Ed learning outcomes.
3. We reviewed a draft memo requesting syllabi from Categories 7 & 8 faculty.
4. We discussed disciplines vs. departments. A department can house more than one discipline (such as political science & law enforcement) and general education requirements are couched in terms of disciplines in policy (but departments on forms at the end of the Gen Ed Bulletin)
5. There are writing intensive coding errors that are being investigated and repaired.
6. The Learning Community looking at Bok's book and talking about curricular matters is being organized with eight participants, but we will try to draw in others.
7. We discussed a grant received by the Director of Composition, Dr. Randall McClure, which will mean major curricular changes as well as a significant reduction in the number of traditional library instruction sessions. We will invite Dr. McClure to come and visit with us.
8. We discussed agenda items for Sub Meet & Confer.

Respectfully submitted,

Kellian Clink