

GEC Minutes: November 17, 2009

Present: Chen, McManus, Crist, Mullins, Munro, Stringer, Baran, Gergits

Absent: O'Mansky, Armstrong, Ritchey, Bonhomme, Miller, Koneval, Lowry

- Minutes approved from October 20 and October 27.
- Julia Gergits announced that she will be returning to English after this year's contract period (it ends in August).
- The GEC discussed changing how we manage the LOs related to critical thinking, writing, and speaking. We planned on longer discussion at the next meeting.
- We reviewed the following courses:



CCET

- **Approved** 3705 (Computing for Technologists): CTI—Unanimous (did not record who moved)
- **Approved** 2604: Properties and Strength of Materials: CTI—Phil moved, and Sharon seconded; decision unanimous.
- **Approved** 4824: Environmental Technology: WI—unanimous decision (did not note who moved)
- **Approved** 4884: Civil/Structural Facilities Design: Capstone—Unanimous
- **Clarification requested for** 1505: Engineering Technology Concepts: CTI—*Another “maybe”—we do have other 1500-level critical-thinking intensives, so maybe it should be closer to a “yes.” I found the syllabus uninformative, however.*
- **Clarification requested for** 3740: Construction Management: OI—*Another one with no calendar; the proposal section is good, but the syllabus doesn't support it. GEC requested clarification on grading policy, a calendar, and general tune-up.*

Philosophy and Religious Studies

- **Approved** 3733: WI—Pending some clarification to syllabus (since provided by Tess Tessier): moved by Mike, seconded by Phil, unanimous decision