General Education Council
3:30pm – 5pm
February 15, 2017
Kennesaw Hall, Room 1302

I. Welcome
   a. Present: Debarati Sen (Anthropology), Joy Brookshire (Molecular and Cellular Biology), Matt Laposata (Ecology, Evolution, and Organismal Biology), Emily Holler (Communication), Heidi Scherrer - Sub (Criminal Justice), Murat Doral (Economics), Cathy Bradford (Learning Communities), Lucie Viakinnou-Brinson (Foreign Languages), Matt Waller (Geography), Mia Oberlton (Wellness), David Parker (History), Rochelle Harris (Composition), Seneca Vaught (Interdisciplinary Studies), Bruce Thomas (Mathematics), Susan Rouse (Philosophy), Russ Patrick (Physics), Brian Starks (Sociology), Valmiki Sooklal (College of Engineering and Engineering Technology)
   b. Guests: Val Whittlesey, Amy V Jones, Rachel Blasé, Julie Newell
II. Approval of past minutes
   a. Minutes of January 2017 - APPROVED
III. Proposal for a faculty award – Case for Support
   a. Natalie Berry (Chair), Cathy Bradford, Mia Oberlton, Natasha Thornton, Brian Artese
   b. APPROVED with grammatical changes
   c. Apologies to Brian Artese who got left off the powerpoint, but should definitely be included in the minutes!
   d. We now move to Ron Matson, his committee, and the Trustee
IV. Definition of the General Education Council; proposal to the Faculty Senate
   a. APPROVED with grammatical changes
   b. We now move to the Shared Governance bodies
V. Curriculog
   a. Current Proposals
      i. CRJU 1101 - APPROVED
      ii. MATH 1111 - APPROVED
      iii. MATH 1112 - APPROVED
   b. Future Proposals
      i. LDRS 2300 (Next Fall)
   c. Past Proposals
      i. MATH 1113 – Stalled at UPCC
      ii. MATH 1107 – Stalled at UPCC
      iii. LDRS 2000 starting over
VI. Guest speakers
VII. Notifications
   a. Outcomes updates

        i. Software is happening
- b. Curriculog, IRB, FERPA trainings are available online.
- c. "Year Of" Funding opportunities – due March 6.

VIII. If we have time / Future items
- a. There's a new QEP on the horizon.
  - i. Notifications to arrive in the Fall, most likely
- b. Improve KSU updates
  - i. In the Attachment
- c. Diversity
  - i. Keep an eye out for faculty development opportunities
- d. Syllabus website
  - i. Using concourse software to meet ADA expectations
  - ii. Working with Distance Learning
- e. Excel and D2L data collection and manipulation trainings, incl sampling techniques.
- f. Gened website

IX. Things that have been reported elsewhere
- a. Pathways
- b. Area D
- c. Math Summary

X. Upcoming events:
- a. Next meeting: March 15, 2017, 3:30pm-5pm, Kennesaw Hall 1302, Proposal Deadline March 8, 2017.