General Education Curriculum Committee  
Year-End Report of Activities, 2015-2016

During the academic year 2015-16, the GECC accomplished the following:

1. Reviewed 20 applications for GE designations, approving 14

2. Reviewed 10 applications for non-equivalent course requests from students, approving all

3. Reviewed the 2014-15 GE learning goals and FYE assessment report, making improvement suggestions in the assessment process. Also identified the need for “closing the loop” process to improve student learning.

4. Discussed the process for applying for GE designation, making suggestions for improvements in the forms (course change/creation and GELO). Met with Krista Hansen (catalog editor) and Stacy Lee (registrar's office) concerning UM-Flint's changing to a new software system, Curriculog, this summer. GECC members will work with Stacy and Krista to make improvements in the GE designation request process and forms for Curriculog.

5. Created two ad hoc committees for summer/fall 2016: one to review the FYE courses and program and one to review the GE designated courses and program. Per the Faculty Code, GECC has the authority to create such committees to assist it in its charges for these programs. Both committees are staffed with 7-8 faculty members interested in GE and FYE.

Committee Members: 2015-2016

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