

## University Curriculum Committee 9-17-13

Review of minutes from before, (approved).  
Future meeting time: establishing a common meeting time.  
3/18 is on Spring break and will become 3/25

Vice Chair needed: duties step in for the chair, take notes, minutes, assume chair next year, serve as liaison to DCAC. They provide info that helps us. Todd is currently on it. (Election happens): Now it is Marcia Keyser.

This summer, Art streamlined process of submitting.  
Fac staff resources tab, on Drake Curriculum page [www.drake.edu/dc/](http://www.drake.edu/dc/). AOI UCC link has all the forms. Can be filled out online. Syllabus can be attached. System is designed so that Art can see that questions are truly answered. Art can review and send back forms as needed.  
Will move into BlueSpace in a few days.

See also Fac staff development page. <http://www.drake.edu/dc/facultystaffresources/>  
Share this information!

Next: report to Faculty Senate from last year. (Handout)  
Last year we were given 2 area to review. Made 2 action recommendations. Regular meeting times, limit on number of AOIs per course, reducing credit hours to 120.

This year: Engaged Citizen & Values & Ethics. May have to forgo the full score review, but will review what individual faculty propose. (Which pushes those AOIs to next year). This year we'll accept faculty proposals, but not solicit all possible courses.

### **New Charge:**

Bullet points, list of attributes already exists. Consultants last summer, Art. Wabash Study, Teagle foundation grant. Might be a better method than repeating the AOIs. Said AOIs were unsustainable.

Revision our model, centralized gen Ed vs spread to schools. Recommend two models by February.

Wabash Study <http://www.liberalarts.wabash.edu/wabash-study-2010-overview/>  
Teagle Foundation <http://www.teaglefoundation.org/> (for report, see Kevin Saunders)

Dr. Boal notes that when he arrived that each school had its own gen Ed department. More than one round has happened with AOIs. Used to push people into different departments; now courses are by what they do and some are at home, others in other colleges.

Gen Ed should contribute to fusion of liberal arts and professionalism.

Gen Ed maintains the liberal arts.

Bruce is chair of DCAC. Todd is considering asking for more time.

Marcia Keyser will be locating some readings on Gen Ed reform.

Proposals Approved:

Harvey, REL 155

EDUC 120/220: ESL Strategies

Econ 115, Labor Economics

Econ 180, Regulation & Antitrust Policy

Pols 183, American Liberalism & Conservatism

Psyc 11 Intro statistics.

EDUC 199/ HON 102. Service learning. Beisser.

PHARM 285, Experiential Rotations.

Note: Art can add question to form "Is this course available to non-majors?"

Art will update BlueSpace today, remove anything already considered.  
~36 hours for repairs.