



UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA AT OMAHA GENERAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE AGENDA

Friday November 10, 2023
1:00 pm – 3:00 pm – via zoom

Items for Discussion:

- Discussion of AA/AS/Bachelor transfer from regionally accredited *private* schools in NE.
- Diversity requirement
 - Appropriate Name: “Intercultural Knowledge and Global Learning” or “US and Global Diversity”?
 - Is the [model #1](#) proposed structure of a required diversity course plus reinforcement of diversity in all social science and humanities courses acceptable to the committee?
- Is the committee comfortable retaining the modified distributional structure (e.g. forms of inquiry) of [model #1](#)?
 - Other options would be that any course could potentially satisfy gen ed expectations (outcomes, content, context)
 - Perhaps students could be limited to no more than x number of courses with the same prefix.
 - Can gen ed courses also count for a student’s major?
- Discussion on proposed outcomes and expected integration in courses
 - Reinforcement of 1 core learning objectives required in each area of inquiry course
 - is 80% of content aligned appropriate?
 - Is 10% dedicated to other elements appropriate?
 - Creative thinking
 - Ethics
 - Diversity
 - Global learning
- If we recommend addition of a 1st year “big ideas” seminar where does it fit?
- [Matrix for model #1](#) review
- [Updated Status Graphic](#) for Gen Ed Reform

Next meeting: November 17, 2023 1-3pm via zoom