

**General Studies Council Minutes**  
**November 7, 2013 – 3:30 p.m.**  
**Founders Hall, Warner Conference Room**  
**Approved via email 11/25/13**

**Present:** Greg Brown, Derrick Burbul, Paul Burger, Mary Daake, Kim Elliott, Ralph Hanson, Beth Hinga, Allan Jenkins, Katherine Kime, Martha Kruse, Donna Montgomery, Jan Moore, Kim Schipporeit, Daren Snider, Mike Sutherland, Ross Taylor

**Absent:** Sylvia Asay, Joe Carlson, Kristi Milks, Kenya Taylor

**Guests:** Vijay Agrawal, Rick Miller, Brian Ray, Sam Umland

**I. Call to Order:**

**1. Approve Agenda:**

Director Snider called the meeting to order.

**II. Open Items:**

**1. Course Proposals (final):**

**a. MIS 282 – Business Intelligence Using Databases (G. Broekemier):**

Jenkins/Burbul moved to approve. Motion carried.

**b. CSIS 188 – Cyber Ethics (C. Anderson):**

Hanson/Burger moved to approve. Motion carried.

**2. APR Report 2013:**

**a. ENG 101 and GS:**

Council discussed options for incorporating ENG 101 into the program. A proposal will be developed and brought back for the December meeting.

**b. GS focus on ethics, values, social responsibility, info/tech literacy:**

**c. Integrating GS with campus/community activities:**

Council discussed ways for the program to offer opportunities for students in these areas.

**d. Greater commonality in portal/core courses for more coherence in FY:**

No discussion.

**III. New Business:**

**1. Distribution assessment pilot, spring 2013:**

Work on instruments/rubrics is in progress with the goal of launching a pilot in the spring. Hinga provided an update on the new process being used for assessment in place of Taskstream.

**2. Course Proposals (initial):**

**a. PSY 388 – Psychological Anthropology (R. Miller):**

Brown/R. Taylor moved to approve to send to faculty. Motion carried.

**IV. Other:**

**VI. Adjournment:**

Meeting was adjourned at 4:41 p.m. Motion carried.

**NEXT REGULAR MEETING:** Thursday, December 5, 2013, at 3:30 p.m., Warner Conference Room.