**Venue:** Virtual WEBEX meeting, 3.30-5 pm                    **Date:** October 20, 2021

**Members Present:** Sarah Carberry (Chair), Christina Connor, Ruma Sen, Amanda Beecher, Chris Reali, Mike Unger, Rebecca Leung, Monika Giacoppe, Desislava Budeva, Todd Barnes, Roark Atkinson, Yvette Kisor, Lisa Cassidy, Leah Warner, Emily Leskinen, Malavika Sundararajan

## I.    Review of Applications

Process this year- everyone submits to ARC and ARC distributes to GECCo and we review it.

1.  CC category: MUSI2XX- History of Country Music. Applicant- Chris Reali. Approved. (Feedback- not to have every aspect be assessed in the final exam-can extract certain questions if necessary and keep it separate).
    Note to committee- see if we need to mention- "it needs to be stated that the instructor must describe the assessment assignment in the syllabus"- let it then not be an exam that cannot be stated)

2.  CC category- Hist 2XX-History and Game Design. Applicant- Sam Mustafa  (Feedback-ask for a little more information so that there is a record of the note on assessment of the outcomes either in the syllabus or cover letter: Descriptions are all very generic- we need a little more specificity; all boxes have Xs; not a problem- just need more clarification; make sure if everything is getting presented verbally, describe how it is assessed)- Approved.

3.  VE category: Phil 210-Existentialism: Applicant- Lisa Cassidy. It is also a WAC assessment. Approved.

4.  VE category: HIST2XX- The Nazis-Applicant: Sam Mustafa. (Feedback: modify the assignment title, "participation". Grid also needs to be more specific- possibly connect discussion title with the type of assessment). Approved.

5.  SSS category: PSY226: Social Psychology: Applicant: Leah Warner. Approved.

(Note to committee: currently there is no environmental definition specified so it need not necessarily address that aspect, but there seems to be an addition with an asterisk to require the inclusion of environment. We need to understand and decide who needs to be in charge of changing this- understand that this was one of the recommendations not mandated. GECCo and ARC met the day this recommendation was made, hence it would mean that GECCo could remove this or modify it (because nothing appears to be voted on)

6.  HP category: HIST 211: The Barbarous Years: Colonial America to 1750-Applicant:  Roark Atkinson already approved- minor modifications along with the title. Does not have GenEd related outcomes or anything included. (NAME CHANGE ONLY - Formerly Colonial North America) Pending approval requires minor revisions. Members suggested rethinking the title.

7.  HP category: HIST 212: Empires Fall: America's Revolutions to 1830- Applicant: Roark Atkinson already approved, minor modifications. Does not have GenEd related outcomes or anything included. Also has no cover letter to GECCo, needs one. Requires major revisions which will have to be reviewed again upon submission.

8.  HP category: HIST 1XX- History Matters, Applicant: Sam Mustafa. Confirming that this is a course that will replace ***all* of the current HIST-1xx surveys**. and is a topics class. Need

to discuss this again. Think about the definition of Participation and how it will be assessed. Suggestion: have a signature assignment, maybe a case study, especially because there will be multiple sections of this course. See if it can be redesigned like the FYS. Will review this after revised resubmission.

Reviews will continue at the next meeting. A few items may also be discussed via email, related to the wordings related to SR category. If changes are made- can GECCo change or does it have to go through FA for a vote. The Center for Student Success makes decisions related to transfers which may be out of our jurisdiction. Do we follow the rules we followed the last two times? We do need a procedure to clarify categories. Transfer agreements are a Dean's Council decision related to the transfer categories (example social science becoming social science inquiry).
Look out for a poll about meeting time for Oct 27, 2021. (possibly, 3 pm)
Meeting concluded.