

# General Education Review Committee Agenda

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September 11, 2009

**ADM 204**

**12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.**

## I. Call to Order

### Roll

( ) Suzanne Forster	UAB/CAS	Written Communication
( ) Oliver Hedgepeth	UAB/CBPP	
( ) Utpal Dutta	UAB/SOE	
( ) Kevin Keating	UAB/Library	
( ) Deborah Fox	UAB/Mat-Su	
( ) Kenrick Mock	UAB/CAS	
( ) Len Smiley	CAS	Quantitative Skills
( ) Marcia Stratton	CAS	Oral Communication
( ) Walter Olivares	CAS	Fine Arts
( ) Patricia Fagan	CAS	Humanities
( ) Beverly Barker		Natural and Physical Sciences
( ) Catherine Sullivan	CHSW	
( ) Robert Capuozzo	COE	
( ) Sandra Pence	CTC	
( ) Vacant		Social Sciences
( ) Hilary Davies	UAB	Ex officio/UAB Chair
( ) Bart Quimby	UAB	Ex officio/OAA
( ) Vacant	Student	

## II. Approval of Agenda (pg. 1)

## III. Approval of Summary (pg. 2)

## IV. Report from Associate Vice Provost Bart Quimby

## V. Chair's Report

## VI. Course Action Requests

**No Course Action Requests received**

## VII. Old Business

A. 2009-1010 GERC Goals: Clarify role and charge of GERC in terms of GER Program Assessment Complete for UAB approval and conveyance to October Faculty Senate Meeting

## VIII. New Business

A. Set procedure for regular UAB Liaison

B. Student and Faculty surveys for GER Capstone courses in Fall 2009

C. Role of GERC in Site Visit

## IX. Informational Items and Adjournment

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September 4, 2009

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**12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.**

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## II. Approval of Agenda (pg. 1)

**Approved**

## III. Approval of Summary (pg. 2)

**Approved**

## IV. Report from Associate Vice Provost Bart Quimby

Piloted the capstone assessment last semester

Trying to determine where the data will be submitted

Several programs that were submitted to the Board of Regent's were not reviewed

There is now a back log to have courses approved

## V. Chair's Report

### A. Election of Chair

Len Smiley nominated to serve as GERC Chair

Unanimously approved

## VI. Course Action Requests

Add BIOL A365 Astrobiology (3 cr) (3+0) (cross listed w/ASTR A365) (pg. 3-8)

Add ASTR A365 Astrobiology (3 cr) (3+0) (cross listed w/BIOL A365) (pg. 9-15)

**Accepted**

## VII. Old Business

### A. Revisit the nine GER Outcomes as posted in catalog.

How do these fit with outcomes in category descriptors, capstone outcomes, and the ILOs? Do we need to revise or streamline outcomes in light of recent work that has been done?

## VIII. New Business

### A. Review composition and election of GERC members

### B. Goals for AY 2010

Clarify role and charge of GERC in terms of GER program assessment

## IX. Informational Items and Adjournment