At its August 29, 2013 meeting, the Committee on General Education approved the following courses for certification under the each of the following General Education Requirements.

**Approved**

**HUMANITIES:**

1. CPLT 200 Special Topics in Comparative Literature
2. CPLT 390 Special Topics in Comparative Literature
3. ENGL 226 Survey of World Literature
4. JWST 245/ENGL 191 Introduction to Jewish-American Literature
5. JWST 335 Modern Jewish Politics
6. LATN 305 Medieval Latin
7. LTAR 220 Modern Arabic Fiction

**SOCIAL SCIENCES**

1. HONS 167 Introduction to Sociology

The Committee also reviewed (pending suggested modifications), forms for the evaluation of courses proposed for initial general education certification under the seven requirements: Foreign Language, History (Pre-modern and Modern), Humanities, Math/Logic, Natural Science, Social Science, Writing; and a form for courses proposed to be removed from general education status.

The Committee then discussed the inherent difficulties in resolving when a proposed course for one requirement seems a better fit (in terms of the approval criteria) for a different requirement.

The Committee then discussed the other motion on the agenda: the elimination of areas for the Humanities requirement, and specific disciplinary/course categories for English (Writing), Natural (or Physical) Science, Mathematics or Logic, and Social Science, allowing the approval criteria to govern approval for general education certification within those requirements. The motion was not voted on but will be taken up at its next meeting.

CGE members present: Roxane DeLaurell, Charles Calvert, Karen Berg, Karen Smail, James Williams, Chris Warnick and Bob Mignone. Shawn Morrison assisted the committee in its consideration of the proposed courses’ alignment for assessment.

Penny Brunner passed around a copy of SACSCOC CR 2.7.3 General Education Core Requirements and Recommended Evidence.

Also present: Larry Krasnoff, Gretchen McClain, Tim Johnson, Kay Smith, Cathy Boyd, Penny Brunner, Gia Quesada and Karin Roof.