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Meeting Minutes: October 14, 2020

**Attendance**: Lisa Bryant (chair), Amila Becirbegovic, Luis Fernando Macías, Dermot Donnelly-Hermosillo, Sankha Banerjee, Silvana Polgar, Mario Banuelos, Douglas Fraleigh, Maria Dolores Morillo

Absent: Lubo Liu, Katherine Fobear

**Agenda Approved**

**Minutes Approved**

**Announcements:**

No announcements.

**Update on the Areas D3/F (re: Ethnic Studies changes):**

1. Courses will be starting in Fall 2021. Replacement of Area D3 with a new area F (related to ethnic study changes, executive order 1100). As courses are approved the 5 learning outcomes need to be incorporated in the courses.
2. All outcomes might not be used for assessment for the courses (similar to MATH). The rubric development will not be done until next year to give some time for course development in this area.

**Update on handouts about ePortfolio submissions**

Handouts have been created and placed on the GE Assessment google drive folder. The handout will also be updated to reflect the change from Blackboard to Canvas.

Doug Fraleigh has also updated the information and forms on Canvas for students to submit their reflections on ePortfolio. This will be reviewed and feedback will be provided by the committee in the next meeting.

**Review of new petitions submitted this year**

A total of 14 petitionshave been submitted for AY 2019-20 in various areas**.** Some of the students faced technical issues and were not able to submit the reflections. The committee discussed two ideas: reaching out to the instructor (supporting documentation for petitions), and also announcing to the students to submit the ePortfolio reflections during advising days.

There were also petitions from colleges where some of the GE areas were waived. Doug Fraleigh will get more information on this and discuss this in the next meeting.

Also, some transfer students applied for waiver for GE courses that were transferred to Fresno State.

**Discussion of student input on ePortfolio process**

The APM does not specifically mention that the ePortfolio requirement needs to be added to the syllabus. The ASI needs to advocate for making that change and updating the APM.

**Adjourn at 12:03pm.**