## U.S. Diversity Course Requirement Committee (USDC) Minutes

Date and Time: Feb 7, 9-9:50am CST

Minutes taker and process montior: Jen L.

Meeting Chairperson: Kelly Reddy-Best

Zoom link found on committee Canvas page

Meeting called to order at:

Meeting adjourned at:

Was a quorum present?: (at least 5 people for quorum)

- Committee members in attendance: (all committee members including chair are voting members; quorum = 5)
   1. Grad student and CELT rep: <u>Paul Hengesteg</u>, program evaluation coordinator (CELT) and PhD student in School of Education
  - 2. VP for student affairs reps (x2): <u>Jen Leptien</u>, director of Learning Communities
  - 3. LAS: Stephen Biggs, associate professor, Greenlee School of Journalism and Communication/English
  - 4. Chair/ Business: Monica Gordillo, teaching professor, Management and Entrepreneurship
  - 5. Design: Jane Rongerue, associate professor, Community and Regional Planning
  - 6. Engineering: Diane Rover, university professor, Electrical and Computer Engineering
  - 7. CALS: Kurt A. Rosentrater, associate professor, Agriculture and Biosystems Engineering
  - 8. VP for student affairs reps (x2): Bill Boulden, associate dean of students/director of Greek Affairs
  - 9. Multicultural students leadership council: <u>Jordan Brooks</u>, director of Multicultural Student Success, College of Design and PhD student in School of Education
  - 10.HS: Kelly Reddy-Best, professor, Apparel, Events, Hospitality Management

## Committee members not in attendance: (move names here)

- 1. Student government rep: vacant
- 2. Vet Med: currently vacant

Topic and Outcome	Notes
	<ul> <li>Minutes taker</li> <li>Record very brief overview of what was discussed on each topic.</li> <li>Record motions made: exact motion, who made the motions. Results of digital votes, when necessary, will be included upon completion of vote.</li> <li>Record actions, assignments, deadlines</li> </ul>
Meeting responsibilities; roll call; chair announcements	
Discussion Lead: Kelly	
Minutes approval	Approve meetings:
Outcome: vote Lead: Kelly Course proposal review	• Nov 16
Outcome: discussion Lead: Kelly	We are reviewing one course:
	Breanna Kixmiller. GEO 116, Human Geography
	<ul> <li>Guiding questions:</li> <li>Who voted yes on the course? Why?</li> <li>Did anyone vote no? If yes, why?</li> <li>Did anyone feel they need more information? If yes, why?</li> <li>Any questions or concerns about the proposal?</li> </ul>

	Kelly will email a link to vote after the meeting on Feb 7 and will inform the submitter via email.
USD Name Change	
Outcome: discussion and vote after meeting Lead: Kelly	
For the good of the order	
Lead: Kelly	
Process monitor report Outcome: informational Lead: Process monitor	<ul> <li>The process monitor will objectively report verbally on the following in one minute or less:</li> <li>Who did we hear from this meeting? Was one person dominating?</li> <li>Did it appear that all individuals had a chance to express their opinions and contribute verbally or via chat?</li> <li>Did we stay on track according to the agenda or if we did get off track, did we acknowledge that it was necessary?</li> </ul>