



General Education Council (GEC)

October 17, 2018

3:30 p.m.

Clendenin Bldg. Rm. 1009

Voting Members Present:

Alice Gooding (Anthropology)

Debbie Hutchinson (Art and Design)

Brendan Callahan (Bagwell College of Education)

Matt Laposata (Biology - Ecology, Evolution, and Organismal)

Joy Brookshire (Biology - Molecular and Cellular)

Huggins Msimanga

Chao Mei (College of Computing and Software Engineering)

Meredith Ginn (Communication)

Beth Burmester (Composition)

Tim Mathews (Economics)

Nirmal Trivedi (First-Year and Transition Studies (First-

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The meeting began at 3:30 p.m.

I. Old Business

a. Approval of past minutes

The minutes of the September 19, 2018 meeting were approved as written. Trina Queen motioned for approval and Susan Rouse and JoAnne Loverde-Dropp seconded the motion. None opposed.

The meeting ended and the Council separated into working groups.

- A. The Council members were divided into working groups that would focus on the USG required Learning Outcomes: Communication; Quantitative; Humanities, Fine Arts, and Ethics; Natural Sciences, Mathematics, and Technology; Social Sciences.
- B. Each working group was to identify five learning outcomes for their assigned area.
- C. Kris encouraged the group to keep their choices big and broad – to think big picture – so their choices would translate across the curriculum. SACS wants KSU to show how outcomes affect General Education across the university and not be specific to a certain area.