

Agenda
General Education Council
May 17, 2021

- **Welcome**
- **Approval of Minutes from April 12, 2021**
- **General Education Syllabi Template Language** – Dr. Candace Hastings and Dr. Alex White
- **Syllabi Template review for components and competencies**
- **General Education Assessment Audits** –Dr. Lon Olson
 - Audits will be due by June 15
 - Holistic Assessments due by August 15
- **Assessment Subcommittee:**
 - Harold Stern – 010 (ENG), 090 (COMM)
 - Alex White – 030 (ANTH, BIO)
 - Diego Vacaflares Rivero – 030 (CHEM, GEOL)
 - Nancy Wilson, chair – 030 (PHYS)
 - Roxanne Allsup – 090 (ENG and others)
 - Marian Houser – 040 (PHIL) 070 (POSI)
 - Jaymeen Shah – 020
 - Celeste Domsch – 030 (GEO), 040 (CREATIVE ARTS), 060 (HIST)
 - 080? To replace Betsy – Michelle Hamilton or Lisa Chrans?
- **GEC Audit Instructions** – Dr. Nancy Wilson, Subcommittee Chair
 1. Go to <https://tim.txstate.edu/sacsoutcomes/>
 2. Log in
 3. Under “Reporting,” click “View Outcome Reports.”
 4. In the top window, make sure the appropriate year is selected.
 5. In the bottom window, click the “>” next to the College of the course you’re auditing, and then click the “>” next to the Department.
 6. Click “Report” for the class you’re auditing. Open the Outcomes Report—this is what you’re auditing.
 7. To complete the actual audit, return to the main menu. Under “Auditors,” click “My Audits.” The courses you have been assigned should appear.
 8. In the Fall, audit “Outcomes”; in the Spring, audit “Results.”

- **Holistic Assessments** – due August 15th. Holistic Subcommittee: Michelle Hamilton, Lisa Chrans, and Nancy Wilson.
- Holistic Assessments of Component Areas and Competencies:
 - Every three years, one third of the eight foundation components will be assessed (approximately 3 per year).
 - Every two years, one half of the six competencies will be assessed (3 per year). In even years the core objectives of communication, teamwork, and social responsibility will be reviewed, while in the odd numbered years, the core objectives of critical thinking, empirical and quantitative, and personal responsibility will be reviewed
- **2021:**
 - **Component Areas Assessed and Reports Completed:** Communication, Creative Arts, Life and Physical Sciences
 - **Competencies Assessed and Reports Completed:** critical thinking, personal responsibility, empirical and quantitative skills
- **Administrative Outcomes Survey**
- **New Business**
- **Adjournment – Thank you! Have a Great Summer!**