

**General Education Council Meeting Minutes**  
**November 15, 2021**  
**3:30 p.m., Zoom**

**Attendees:** Cavitt (Chair), Hanks, Supancic, Blunk, Showalter, Shah, Hamilton, Delaney, Houser, Rodda, Domsch, Wang, Kelemen, Wilson, White, Stern, Tschirhart, Chrans, Guzman, Green, Haider, Mohan-Dey

**Absent:** Timmerman

**Guests:** Fleming, Forsythe, Westerlund, Roundtree, Farris, Fox, Lemke, Pedrozo, Close, Lunk

**Cavitt welcomed attendees.**

**The minutes of November 8, 2021** were approved unanimously.

**The council reviewed revisions to proposed courses GS 2310: Life Sciences Concepts, PHYS 1335: General Physics I for Life and Sciences Majors, PHYS 1345: General Physics II for Life and Science Majors, and PHYS 1365: Physics for Educators.** Following discussion, the courses were approved as additions to the Texas State General Education Core Curriculum in the Life and Physical Sciences 030 Component Area.

**Guest, Dr. Kristen Farris and Dr. Marian L. Houser presented** a request to have Communication 1310 added to the 010 Communication Component Area.

Dr. Nancy Wilson (English) delivered a presentation representing the views of the English Department.

A brief Q&A followed.

**Following council discussion, Cavitt recommended extending the consideration of the COMM 1310: Fundamentals of Human Communication change request to the next meeting.**

Meeting was adjourned at 4:58 p.m.