Writing Instruction in the Disciplines (WID) Council

April 15, 2021

3:30 pm, Zoom Meeting

Present: Kim McClure (chair), Jena Gardner, Glenn Daugherty, Kaycee Peterman, Joel Gruver, Brian Locke, Christie Hughes (administrative), Magdelyn Helwig (ex-officio)

Absent: Amy Mossman (ex-officio), Janice Gates , Doug LaFountain (sabatical)

Guests: None

1. Call to order: The meeting was called to order at 3:30 pm.

2. Announcements:

* 1. WID Workshop – Friday, Apr 30, 2021 @ 1pm – Writing in the Discipline: Wins and Woes. Register for the workshop through CITR to receive the Zoom link.

3. Approval of minutes: The minutes of 3.18.21 were approved.

4. Old Business:

1. Periodic Review and Feedback (WID Faculty Senate Charge)
	* 1. (Item 3) To conduct periodic reviews of all WID courses to assure compliance with the principles and practices of the Writing Instruction in the Disciplines graduation requirement.
		2. (Item 6) To secure periodic feedback from students, faculty, alumni, and employers concerning implementation and effects of the Writing Instruction in the Disciplines graduation requirement.
2. Proposal for WID Assessment
	1. Addresses both Item 3 and Item 6 from the Faculty Senate Charge
	2. Some restructuring of questions to be more open ended for faculty feedback.
		1. For future Council:
			1. How will the Assessment survey be sent out and evaluated
				1. Google Form Link sent to WID Faculty through respective chairs
				2. Possibly in fall for current & previous spring
			2. Include advisors in the feedback loop
	3. Vote to approve assessment tool with revisions

5. New Business:

* 1. Retiring WID Council Members:
		1. Glenn Daugherty
		2. Brian Locke
		3. Kim McClure
	2. New Members
		1. Matt Bean
		2. Merrill Cole
		3. Melissa Stinnett
	3. Election of New Executive Officers
		1. Chair
			1. Position open but there is an interest in nominating Doug LaFountain
		2. Vice-Chair, Kaycee Peterman
		3. Secretary, Jena Gardner

The meeting was adjourned at 4:34 pm.

Respectfully,

Jena Gardner