

Mason Core Committee
April 12, 2016
2:00 – 3:30 p.m., Merten Hall, 1204

Attending: Janette Muir (Chair), Melissa Broeckelman-Post, Cheryl Druehl, Doug Eyman, Marcy Glover, Stephanie Hazel, Matt Scherer, Mara Schoeny, Andrea Weeks

Out: Dominique Banville, Kelly Dunne, Kim Eby, Becky Ericson, Tamara Maddox, Nathan Pittman, Carol Urban, Peter Winant

Guests: Noah Black, Aja Clark, Kalia Harris

Agenda

- Student Presentation on Diversity in the Mason Core
- Course Proposal

Student Presentation on Diversity in the Mason Core

Four students presented their concerns with finding space in their curriculum to study areas of interest. They asked for more offerings in the Literature category to explore non-Western literature. It would be great if more classes were taught the way Honors courses were. It was recommended that certain courses from Global Understanding move to the Western Civilization category. Doug will talk to the English department about offering more variety in 202. Matt will talk to SPGIA about their offerings as well. There was the comment that too many of the courses in GU are US facing. Subcommittees were created to explore changing the learning outcomes.

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