

SADDLEBACK COLLEGE GENERAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE AGENDA

College Mission: Saddleback College empowers its diverse student body to achieve personal, academic, and economic advancement through equitable and innovative educational experiences.

Committee Purpose: Reviews and makes recommendations on proposals for adding, expanding, deleting, or modifying general education programs and courses offered by the College. The committee will determine the appropriateness of specific courses for general education, guided by the "Local GE Criteria."

Tuesday, May 7, 2024

The meeting starts promptly at **4:00PM in AGB 106**

1. **Approval of Minutes – April 23, 2024**
2. **Approval of Agenda**
3. **Public Comments –** Anyone may address the General Education Committee on any item NOT on the Agenda within the subject matter and jurisdiction of the Senate pursuant to Section 53200 of Title 5 California Code of Regulations. Each speaker is limited to two minutes.
4. **Chair's Report**
5. **Legislation Updates**
6. **General Education Committee Bylaws – Action Item**
7. **General Education Committee Survey – Information Only Item**
8. **Fall 2024 General Education Committee Calendar – Information Only Item**
9. **Announcements -** The next GE Committee meeting is on Tuesday, September 10th, 2024 at 4pm in AGB 106.
10. **Public Interest Announcements**
11. **Adjourn**

COMPLIANCE WITH BROWN ACT

The General Education Committee is a subcommittee of the Academic Senate and therefore must comply with the Brown Act. Section 54954.2(a) of the Ralph M. Brown Act states that "*No action or discussion shall be undertaken on any item not appearing on the posted agenda, except that members of a legislative body or its staff may briefly respond to statements made or questions posted by persons exercising their public testimony rights under Section 54954.3.* In addition, on their own initiative or in response to questions posted by the public, a member of a legislative body or its staff may ask a question for clarification.

General Education Committee 2023-2024 Goals

1. Review Title 5 revisions and align Saddleback College Local GE as needed (Cultures in the United States/Ethnic Studies and Life Long Understanding and Self-Development) - pending Chancellors office guidance on ES criteria and CID.
2. Address time sensitive legislation on a regular basis.
3. Strengthen general education committee membership.

SharePoint:

<https://livesocccd.sharepoint.com/sites/Saddleback-GeneralEd/>

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Michelle Duffy	GE Co-Chair, Humanities and Social Sciences
Aimee Tran	GE Co-Chair, Articulation Officer
Carmenmara Hernandez-Bravo	Humanities and Social Sciences
Tom DeDonno	Business and Industry
Michelle Weckerly	Business and Industry
June Millovich	Humanities and Social Sciences
Elise Fanney	Arts, Media, Performance and Design
Carolyn Seaman	Instructional Support and Teaching Innovations
Bryan Carrillo	Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math

1. **Approval of Minutes** – March 26, 2024
A motion was made (Carmenmara Hernandez-Bravo), seconded (Carolyn Seaman), and the motion passed unanimously.
2. **Approval of Agenda**
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3. **Public Comments** – Anyone may address the General Education Committee on any item NOT on the Agenda within the subject matter and jurisdiction of the Senate pursuant to Section 53200 of Title 5 California Code of Regulations. Each speaker is limited to two minutes.
4. **Chair's Report** – no report.
5. **Legislation Updates** – no updates.
6. **Committee Bylaws – Information and Discussion Item**
Removing Extended Learning (no programs)
7. **Announcements** - The next GE Committee meeting is on Tuesday, May 7, 2024, at 4pm in AGB 106.
8. **Public Interest Announcements**
9. **Adjourn 4:32PM**

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