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Central Washington University General Education Committee January 26, 2009 MINUTES

Present: John Alsoszatai-Petheo, Caitlin Baldwin, Gregory Brown, Maya Chachava, Cynthia Coe, Bobby Cummings, Duane Dowd, Aaron Montgomery, Sharon Rosell, Sheryl Grunden and Scott Carlson.

Absent: Chad Wassell

Guest(s): None

Meeting was convened at 2:04 by co-chair Aaron Montgomery.

Approval of the Minutes for January 12, 2009

Announcements – Aaron reported on the NWCCU 2010 conference planning meeting.

UNIV 101 – Scott Carlton asked that the UNIV 101 requirement be changed to be required on those students with fewer than 40 credits. Greg moved to approve a language change from UNIV 101 from 45 credits to 40 credits. John AP seconded and motion was approved.

Course name changes – Three general education courses have requested name changes: English 110, IET 101 and TH 375. Greg moved to accept name changes as proposed for all three courses. John AP seconded and motion was approved.

Credit requirements for General Education program – Aaron provided a handout regarding the credit requirements based on the conversation at the last meeting. John AP expressed concern about unintentional consequences to departments with credit changes, especially in light of budget cuts.

Basic Requirements for General Education program – not discussed due to time.

Patsy's report – no report due to time.

Petitions/appeals (if any) - None

Meeting was adjourned at 3:00 p.m.

Next meeting February 9th