

WESTERN CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY
General Education Committee

Minutes
November 3, 2006
Haas Library
1:30pm-3:00pm

Members present: Veronica Kenausis (Chair), Daryle Brown, Abbey Zink, Paula Secondo, Robin Flanagan, Linda Vaden-Goad

Guest present: Walter Cramer

1. Appointment of recorder: Daryle Brown
2. Unanimous approval of October 27, 2006 minutes (Flanagan, Secondo)
3. Community input and comments: Walter Cramer presented ideas/concerns from Student Affairs re: CUCAS proposal; after dialogue and explanation...
 - Everyone wants the same thing...to have our students be successful
 - Educating the "whole person": mind, body and spirit
 - General ed wants to work closely with student affairs
 - Colloquia and learning communities were discussed
4. New Business
 - a. GEO/PS 2XX Standish: Geo-Politics in the Twenty-First Century approved unanimously (Secondo/Zink)
 - b. CUCAS proposal packet: distributed to members and reviewed; comments/changes to Veronica by 11/7/06; gen ed committee members are encouraged to attend CUCAS; the plan is to meet after CUCAS has met; meeting set for Thursday 11/16/06 9:30am-11:30am; members are to let Veronica know if they can meet at that time
5. Other Business: by-laws submitted to Senate for 11/15/06 agenda
6. Adjournment: meeting adjourned at 3pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Daryle Brown, recorder