

**UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA AT OMAHA  
GENERAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE  
AGENDA**

**Friday November 10, 2023  
1:00 pm – 3:00 pm – via zoom**

**Items for Discussion:**

- Discussion of AA/AS/Bachelor transfer from regionally accredited *private* schools in NE.
- Diversity requirement
  - Appropriate Name: “Intercultural Knowledge and Global Learning” or “US and Global Diversity”?
  - Is the [model #1](#) proposed structure of a required diversity course plus reinforcement of diversity in all social science and humanities courses acceptable to the committee?
- Is the committee comfortable retaining the modified distributional structure (e.g. forms of inquiry) of [model #1](#)?
  - Other options would be that any course could potentially satisfy gen ed expectations (outcomes, content, context)
  - Perhaps students could be limited to no more than x number of courses with the same prefix.
  - Can gen ed courses also count for a student’s major?
- Discussion on proposed outcomes and expected integration in courses
  - Reinforcement of 1 core learning objectives required in each area of inquiry course
    - is 80% of content aligned appropriate?
  - Is 10% dedicated to other elements appropriate?
    - Creative thinking
    - Ethics
    - Diversity
    - Global learning
- If we recommend addition of a 1<sup>st</sup> year “big ideas” seminar where does it fit?
- [Matrix for model #1](#) review
- [Updated Status Graphic](#) for Gen Ed Reform

**Next meeting: November 17, 2023 1-3pm via zoom**