

Santa Monica College Global Citizenship Committee

Meeting Minutes

Date & Time: September 15, 2022 12:45 pm – 2:05 pm

Location: Zoom Conference Meeting

Chair: Delphine Broccard, Chair

Attendees: Delphine Broccard, Heather Bennett, Carol Davis, Pete Morris, Erica Onugha, Brandon Reilly, Sri Susilowati, Keith Hawkey, Catherine Weir, Lina Ladyzhenskaya, Claudia Henriquez.

I. Call to Order: 12:50 pm.

II. Public Comments and Announcements

Public Comments: None. Announcements: None

III. Approval of Minutes: June 2, 2022 and September 8, 2022

Motion to approve: Heather Bennett. Second: Carol Davis. Approved: Delphine Broccard, Pete Morris, Brandon Reilly, Sri Susilowati, Erica Onugha, Lina Ladyzhenskaya, Catherine Weir.

IV. Standing Business

- a. Question of the day: If you lived in a place where fall was “real,” what would you be doing?
- b. GC Theme Confirmation

The Committee reviewed the theme description as it would appear on the GC webpage. Delphine read the description aloud and showed the Committee the pictures that would be used to illustrate each word of the theme. The Committee agreed that providing guiding questions would allow students, faculty and staff greater liberty to explore the theme. The Chair is set to share the theme with the campus community in the following days.

Motion to approve 2022-2024 GC theme: Heather Bennett. Second: Brandon Reilly. Approved: Delphine Broccard, Carol Davis, Pete Morris, Sri Susilowati, Erica Onugha, Lina Ladyzhenskaya, Catherine Weir.

c. Study Abroad

Trips that were set to take place Spring Break 2020 were reviewed to figure out which trip could be offered again Summer 2023. There are still many factors to be considered, for example, if the faculty who submitted those proposals are still able to/interested in leading those trips. Other points of discussion were revamping study abroad trips to be longer for further away destinations, having a hybrid model where a professor spends more time abroad and teaches online, adding a staff in addition to the two professors to manage the trip and allowing faculty family to travel along. A final decision was made to approve all 3 trips to be considered for Summer 2023 and identify which of the 3 trips is more feasible based on faculty availability, factual budget and on-ground support.

Motion to approve to focus on one trip for Summer 2023: Pete Morris. Second: Lina Ladyzhenskaya. Approved: Delphine Broccard, Brandon Reilly, Sri Susilowati, Erica Onugha, Lina Ladyzhenskaya, Catherine Weir.

d. Promoting and Advertising GC Events

The Committee is seeking new ways to share GC-related/sponsored events. The Committee will keep brainstorming at the next meeting.

V. Adjournment

Motion to Adjourn: Brandon Reilly, Catherine Weir. Approved: Delphine Broccard, Heather Bennett Carol Davis, Pete Morris, Sri Susilowati, Erica Onugha, Lina Ladyzhenskaya, Claudia Henriquez. 2:05 pm

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Next scheduled meeting: Thursday, September 29, 2022