

# Santa Monica College Global Citizenship Committee

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## Meeting Minutes

**Date & Time:** October 7, 2021 12:45 pm – 2:05 pm

**Location:** Zoom Conference Meeting

**Chairs:** Brandon Reilly, Chair

**Attendees:** Brandon Reilly, Denise Kinsella, Heather Bennett, Carol Davis, Mitch Heskell, Pete Morris, Kaelyn Rodriguez, Sri Susilowati, Nathan Martins, Skye Lynch, Janet Wolf

**I. Call to Order:** 12:47 pm.

### **II. Public Comments and Announcements**

Public Comments: None. Announcements: None

### **III. Approval of Minutes: Sept 23, 2021**

Motion to approve: Davis. Second: Susilowati. Approved: Brandon Reilly, Denise Kinsella, Heather Bennett, Carol Davis, Mitch Heskell, Pete Morris, Kaelyn Rodriguez.

### **IV. Standing Business**

a. Question of the Day: What is one book that has inspired you to think about Global Citizenship?

b. Global Peacebuilding Applications

The committee received one application from Professor Skye Lynch, History, for the Global Peacebuilding Seminar set for October 29 & 30, November 5 & 6, and November 12 and 1. The seminar is virtual. Professor Lynch attended the meeting and explained her reasons for applying and how she might use the content of the seminar in the classroom. The GCC Chair and Vice Chair will discuss the application and make an approval decision. The committee decided to send our GCC student representative, Nathan Martins to the Global Peacebuilding Seminar.

c. Fall Teach-In Announcements

The date for the Fall Teach-In is November 4<sup>th</sup>. The committee discussed ideas for the theme and the website for the promotion of the event.

Brandon will post a draft of the Bulletin for review by the Committee members in the GC TEAMS portal. A campus bulletin will be sent on Oct 11<sup>th</sup>. The website will be updated.

d. Global Grants Application Criteria

The Committee continued its previous discussion on Global Grants. The committee would like to attract novel ideas for grants that might include the following:

- Proposals that have an international component
- Grants that are new and unique and not just a repeat of a previous event
- Grants that will draw a wide audience of students

There will be a revision of the Global Grant website and application which will highlight the above ideas.

## V. Adjournment

Motion to Adjourn: Bennett. Second: Heskell. Approved: Brandon Reilly, Denise Kinsella, Heather Bennett, Carol Davis, Mitch Heskell, Pete Morris, Kaelyn Rodriguez, Sri Susilowati. 1:58 pm

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