

# General Education Council March 9, 2020 - 1:00 - 4:00pm Colorado Department of Higher Education 1600 Broadway - Suite 2200 Denver, CO 80202

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### AGENDA -- DRAFT

- I. GREETINGS & INTRODUCTIONS (1:00-1:05pm)
  - 1. Welcome (Chris Rasmussen)
  - 2. Attendance (Christina Carrillo)
- II. Adoption of last meeting's notes (1:05-1:10pm)
  - 1. [See handout: 2019-02-11- GE Council NOTES.pdf]

### III. INFORMATION ITEMS

- 1. Updates (and thank you!) on:
  - Re-submission of GT Pathways courses (following 2016 revision to GT Pathways content criteria and competencies)
  - Submission of PLA course and transfer equivalencies (CDHE will be following up on the new CLEP exam in Spanish with Writing and to address individual discrepancies in other parts of PLA tables)

### IV. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS

- 1. Continued conversation: GT-CO1/GT-CO2 courses in languages other than English
- 2. Continued conversation: GT Pathways laboratory credit in disciplines other than the natural sciences
- 3. HB20-1231 (Concerning strategies to address educator shortages) discussion of proposed amendment on educator preparation programs to create a statewide articulation/transfer framework for ed prep
- 4. Consultation on catalog language from MSU Denver on general education and transfer policies



- 5. Updates on STAAs in progress
  - a. Affirmation of new DwDs/STAAs in Computer Science, Dance, Journalism, and Public Health
  - b. Review of STAAs revised during Round 1 of "Revisit, Revise, Renew" (October 2019): Biology, Business, Chemistry, Early Childhood Education, Elementary Education, Physics, Psychology
  - c. Update on developing DwD/STAA in engineering (Christy Gomez, FRCC, invited)
- 6. New and closed GT Pathways courses

### New

Colorado Community College System (CCCS)

• GT-AH2: LIT 255 Children's Literature (3)

## Closed

None

# Reminder: GT PATHWAYS - Roll-out of new requirements.

1) Course submission forms posted here: <a href="http://highered.colorado.gov/Academics/Transfers/">http://highered.colorado.gov/Academics/Transfers/</a>. Go to GT Pathways section; click on folder icon at "Submission/Verification Forms" bullet.

The timeline for re-submission of GT Pathways courses is as follows:

Due Date	GT Pathways Content Areas & Courses
February 28, 2017  • Written Communication  • Mathematics TOTAL: ~160 courses	<ul> <li>GT-CO1: ~14 courses</li> <li>GT-CO2: ~26 courses</li> <li>GT-CO3: ~20 courses</li> <li>GT-MA1: ~100 courses</li> <li>Math for Liberal Arts/Quant Reasoning: ~16 courses</li> <li>Stats (&amp; Probability): ~9 courses</li> <li>College Algebra: ~15 courses</li> <li>Pre-calc &amp; Calculus I, II, III: ~41 courses</li> <li>Trig (&amp;Analytic Geometry): ~6 courses</li> <li>Finite: ~3 courses</li> </ul>
May 15, 2017  • Natural & Physical Science w/Lab  TOTAL: ~169 courses  November 24, 2017	GT-SC1: ~169 courses  BIO: ~48 courses  CHEM: ~46 courses  PHYS: ~75 courses  GT-SC1: ~33 courses
Natural & Physical Science     w/Lab (continued) and Natural     & Physical Science - lecture     only  TOTAL: -143 courses	<ul> <li>GEOG: ~5 courses</li> <li>GEOL: ~22 courses</li> <li>Other (meteorology, oceanography, etc.): ~6</li> <li>GT-SC2: ~110</li> <li>BIO: ~16 courses</li> <li>CHEM: ~19 courses</li> <li>PHYS: ~14 courses</li> <li>GEOG: ~1 course</li> <li>GEOL: ~14 courses</li> <li>ASTRONOMY: ~12 courses</li> <li>ENV: ~10 courses</li> <li>Other (meteorology, oceanography, etc.): ~6 courses</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>May 15, 2018</li> <li>Arts &amp; Expression</li> <li>Ways of Thinking</li> <li>TOTAL: ~164 courses</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>GT-AH1: ~104         <ul> <li>ART: ~36 courses</li> <li>MUS: ~30 courses</li> <li>THE: ~23 courses</li> <li>DANCE: ~5 courses</li> </ul> </li> <li>GT-AH3: ~60         <ul> <li>PHI: ~49 courses</li> <li>REL: ~10 courses</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
November 24, 2018  Literature & Humanities  World Languages TOTAL: ~176 courses	<ul> <li>GT-AH2: ~114         <ul> <li>What are the right categories to put here?</li> </ul> </li> <li>GT-AH4: ~62</li> </ul>
May 15, 2019  • History  • Economic or Political Systems  TOTAL: ~222 courses	<ul> <li>GT-HI1: ~146 courses (all HIS)</li> <li>GT-SS1: ~76 courses</li> <li>ECON: ~33 courses</li> <li>POL: ~29 courses</li> </ul>
November 24, 2019  Geography  Human Behavior, Culture, or Social Frameworks  TOTAL: ~188 courses	GT-SS2: ~23 courses (all GEOG) GT-SS3: ~165 courses  ANT: ~28 courses  SOC: ~41 courses  Women's, LGBT and Gender Studies: ~20 courses (a little overlap with SOC & PSY)  PSY: ~30 courses

Please note this timeline is flexible and CDHE will allow for individual institutions' time constraints and other specific circumstances. Eligible Courses must be part of the institution's general education core and must be offered at least once every two years (for Colorado Community College System, course can be offered anywhere in the system). Courses can be submitted on the forms provided at <a href="http://highered.colorado.gov/Academics/Transfers/">http://highered.colorado.gov/Academics/Transfers/</a> under "GT Pathways" and in the folder labled "Submission/Verification Forms."