Cultural Diversity Subcommittee – 2020-2021

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The Cultural Diversity Subcommittee met on April 8, 2021, at 3:00 p.m. via Zoom.

The subcommittee discussed the existing Cultural Diversity requirement. It is anticipated that the requirement will be incorporated in the revised General Education requirement in the future.

The subcommittee determined that they will continue to review courses based on the current Cultural Diversity requirement and learning outcomes until the revised requirement is placed with the new General Education Core Curriculum.

The following courses were unanimously approved by the subcommittee to satisfy the Cultural Diversity Requirement for the Franklin College of Arts and Sciences:

- ANTH 2800, Food, Environment, and Culture
- ENGL 4700, Early American Literature

The subcommittee recommended that the following courses be revised to include additional evidence in the course objectives and topical outlines of how the courses meet the learning outcomes of the Cultural Diversity requirement. Once revised, the courses can be resubmitted for consideration by the subcommittee for inclusion in the list of courses that satisfy the Cultural Diversity requirement for the Franklin College of Arts and Sciences:

- CLAS 3010, Introduction to the Classical Americas
- HIST 3055H, Natives and Newcomers: Encounters in Early America 1500-1800 (Honors)

The next meeting of the Cultural Diversity Subcommittee will be held in fall 2021.

The meeting adjourned at 3:20 p.m.

Brittani Harmon, Chair
Cultural Diversity Subcommittee