

Experiential Learning Subcommittee 2022-2023

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The Experiential Learning Subcommittee met on April 10, 2023, at 3:00 p.m. via Zoom.

The subcommittee unanimously approved the minutes of the March 20, 2023, Experiential Learning Subcommittee meeting.

The subcommittee unanimously approved the following non-credit activity to fulfill the Experiential Learning Requirement and be included as an option on the Experiential Learning Transcript:

Franklin College of Arts and Sciences
Math Peer Mentor Program (*Internship*)

The subcommittee unanimously approved the request for the following non-credit activities to be included as options on the Experiential Learning Transcript:

Office of Instruction
Ameris Bank Technology Internship Program (*Internship*)
Athens Casa de Amistad Volunteer Program (*Service*)
Georgia Options Direct Support Professionals Program (*Service*)
Rural Student Ambassador Program (*Leadership*)

The subcommittee unanimously approved the request from the Morehead Honors College for Honors in Washington (*Internship*), to be included as an option on the Experiential Learning Transcript pending additional information regarding the MOU. The subcommittee recommended that language be included in the proposal that explains the protocol for circumstances where an MOU is not able to be implemented. The Office of Experiential Learning will draft language about this to add to the Experiential Learning Policy. If this language is approved by the Experiential Learning Subcommittee, it will be placed on the next University Curriculum Committee meeting as information. Subsequent to the

meeting, this was not resolved. This proposal is not approved and on hold until a solution is able to be put in place.

The subcommittee unanimously approved the request for the Office of Instruction for Hope Haven Direct Support Volunteers (*Service*), to be included as an option on the Experiential Learning Transcript pending a recommended change to the reflective feedback and additional information to include what the student will take away from this activity.

The subcommittee unanimously denied the revisions made to the Global Brigades activity due to the lack of academic accountability. The subcommittee determined that this activity cannot currently be approved for Experiential Learning due to the lack of activity oversight. An MOU needs to be in place to ensure the student learning outcomes are being met.

The meeting adjourned at 4:05 p.m.



John Maerz, Chair
Experiential Learning Subcommittee