

STUDY AWAY SUBCOMMITTEE – 2020-2021

Subcommittee Members:

Patricia Hunt-Hurst, Chair, College of Family and Consumer Sciences
Joseph Dahlen, School of Forestry and Natural Resources
Jonathan Evans, College of Arts and Sciences, absent
Amanda Rugenski, School of Ecology
Brittani Harmon, College of Public Health
Wendy Ruona, College of Education

Guests:

Andrew Potter, Experiential Learning
Kay Stanton, Experiential Learning
Noel Fallows, Office of Global Engagement
Yana Cornish, Office of Global Engagement
Fiona Liken, Registrar's Office
Brooke Daniel, Registrar's Office
Devon Johnson, Registrar's Office
Cherie Antoine, Registrar's Office

The Study Away Subcommittee of the University Curriculum Committee met on December 2, 2020, at 9:00 a.m. via Zoom.

The Chair of the subcommittee provided an overview of the mission and goals of the Study Away Subcommittee.

The committee discussed the background of Study Away and the Global EL Learning Outcomes. Following the discussion of the background, the committee discussed the options for implementing Global EL Learning Outcomes for UGA Faculty-Led Study Away Programs.

The following options were discussed:

- The EL learning outcomes could be implemented at the study away program level.
- The EL learning outcomes could be implemented for each course at the catalog level.
- The EL learning outcomes could be implemented for each course at the section level.

After discussion, the committee determined that the option that would allow the EL Learning Outcomes to be implemented at the study away program level would be most effective. Utilizing this option would allow Study Away Program Directors to submit the Global EL Learning Outcomes as part of the program proposal process.

Joseph Dahlen motioned that the EL Learning Outcomes be implemented at the study away program level. Brittani Harmon seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously. The proposal to implement the EL Learning Outcomes at the study away program level will be forwarded to the University Curriculum Committee for consideration.

A brief discussion was held on the timeline for implementing the program level option. A suggestion was made to have an initial pilot of this option fall semester 2021. A more detailed timeline will be drafted and presented at a future subcommittee meeting.

The subcommittee meeting adjourned at 9:29 a.m.