**COUNCIL FOR GENERAL EDUCATION**

**April 17, 2012**

**10:00 a.m., Stevenson 141**

**MEETING MINUTES**

Presiding: Askar Choudhury

Attending: Chad Buckley, Cooper Cutting, David Grieshaber, John Hooker, Sally Parry, Sharon Weldon, Li Zeng

Minutes: Carrie Wieburg

Meeting was called to order at 10:03 a.m.

Business

Minutes from 1/24/12 were approved as read (Cooper/Hooker).

Course Proposal for IDS 113: The Entrepreneurial Mindset was proposed as an IDS and Gen Ed course. There were concerns about funding and faculty support. Sally Parry was to follow up on these concerns.

Request for Proposal – IDS 398: General Interdisciplinary Professional Practice/Internship – There was agreement that this request should be approved, but the outcome should be more rigorous than IDS 298. The initiator will be asked to draw up a proposal.

There was discussion about the Gen Ed Task Force and the implications for the CGE. The PowerPoint presentation from the Gen Ed Task Force Open Forum was shown and then sent to all CGE members.

The Illinois Articulation Initiative (IAI) is undertaking a review of courses over the next five years. Business for the fall will include asking COM and ENG to provide a statement of how the courses in the Communication segment align with IAI.

The meeting adjourned at 10:58 (Weldon/Parry).