**COUNCIL FOR GENERAL EDUCATION**

**January 18, 2011**

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

**MEETING MINUTES**

Presiding: Alycia Hund

Present: Brian Aitkin, Chad Buckley, Askar Choudhury, Sally Parry, Kim Pereira, Gary Weilbacher, Sharon Weldon, Li Zeng

Excused: Steve Hunt, Catherine Miller

Minutes: Sandi Krumtinger

The meeting was called to order at 10:00 a.m.

A motion was made to pass the minutes from the 11/30/10 meeting (Weldon/Parry). The minutes were passed unanimously with changes that a memo will be attached to the minutes concerning the recommendation by the UCC that EAF become part of General Education. The memo that was sent noted that at this time the CGE felt that the suggestion was not viable.

Dr. Parry asked the Committee to look at the General Education Guideline Preparation Packet to see what changes need to be made to the guidelines to accommodate the new on-line curriculum proposal process. The Committee will review these changes at the next meeting.

Dr. Parry indicated that there are some inconsistencies in the catalogue copy for courses in the Middle Core-Languages and Humanities with regard to indicating the level of writing required in these courses. A discussion ensued on what the definition of writing intensive is and whether it is the right time to make the changes given the discussions taking place in the General Education Task Force. It was decided to table this action until further information comes from the Task Force.

Dr. Hund distributed a draft of the IAP Report on Diverse and Global Perspectives. She asked that everyone review the report and be prepared to discuss at the next meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:58 (Choudhury/Weldon).