**COUNCIL FOR GENERAL EDUCATION**

**September 13, 2011**

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

**MEETING MINUTES**

Presiding: Sally Parry

Attending: Brian Aitken, Askar Choudhury, Alycia Hund, Catherine Miller, Kim Pereira, Gary Weilbacher, Sharon Weldon, Li Zeng

Minutes: Sandi Krumtinger

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

Dr. Parry welcomed Derek Herrmann and Ryan Smith from University Assessment Services. A discussion of the General Education goals and the IAP reports took place. Dr. Smith indicated it was the goal of the Assessment office to compile useful data from the materials they gather to make the assessment of General Education meaningful. The CGE will soon be receiving the data connected with last year’s Critical Inquiry and Public Opportunity goals. This fall Life Long Learning will be assessed for the second time. The CGE committee asked for data from the previous review so that there is a combined report for comparison. Discussion centered around how to improve the process and what is done with the data.

Business

Native American Studies Minor: small changes had been made to the minor by the addition of several more alternative courses that students could take. Weldon/Weilbacher moved to approve the changes as presented. Motion passed unanimously.

Ethnic Studies Minor: small changes had been made to the minor by the addition of several more alternative courses that the students could take. Weldon/Miller moved to approve the changes as presented. Motion passed unanimously.

Minutes from the 8/30/11 minutes were approved as read (Weldon/Weilbacher)

The meeting adjourned at 11:07 (Weldon/Weilbacher).