Dear Faculty Congress,

As Chair of your General Education Committee, I submit the following report:

**New Applications**
The deadline for new applications was February 9, 2013. The Committee received 34 applications, and two more are forthcoming. Appendix A lists the courses and requested certification categories. Courses approved this academic year will be certified to satisfy General Education requirements beginning Fall 2014 and will remain certified for 5 years. The committee has reviewed all applications. Ten were approved on the first reading, the rest have been conditionally approved pending minor revisions, or sent back for revision and resubmission. Work is continuing.

**WASC Re-Accreditation**
The SurveyMonkey Self Review survey was collected on February 1, 2013. The survey results will be currently being analyzed by the GE committee (in addition to other self-reviews provided independently by programs) and used to inform the self-study report to WASC. A total of 127 individuals responded to the survey. Of these 76.7 percent were faculty, 5.8 percent administration, and 18.4 percent were staff. The results are available as separate appendices or directly from the chair. Crosstab breakouts are available by faculty/administration/staff and by program. Work is continuing.

**The Chair thanks the following members for their service on the 2012-2013 committee:**
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Respectfully,

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