

**General Education Committee Report to the
Academic Senate, November 17, 2017**

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1. GEC met every other week this semester. In addition to working on the Foundations process we also reviewed 3 GEC proposals.
2. The Following 3 courses are presented in the order of review and approval by GEC.

GEC's recommendation to the Academic Senate is to approve the following courses for GE in the Primary and Secondary Designations as indicated:

- BIOL 101L: General Biology Laboratory with a Primary Designation under GELO 7 (Areas of Knowledge/Natural Sciences) and Required Second Designations for Critical Thinking (GELO 3, required) (**unanimous in favor**)
- MICR 130: *General Microbiology* with a Primary Designation under GELO 7 (Areas of Knowledge/Natural Sciences) and Required Second Designations for Critical Thinking (GELO 3, required) (**unanimous in favor**)
- MICR 130L: *General Microbiology Laboratory* with a Primary Designation under GELO 7 (Areas of Knowledge/Natural Sciences) and Required Second Designations for Critical Thinking (GELO 3, required) (**unanimous in favor**)

Original proposals can be found here:

https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/0Bza_HNavUECQ18wTkVQa3FnX0U?usp=sharing

- Respectfully submitted by Co-Chairs Meidor Hu and Michelle Philips