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SOAC Report to College Academic Senate

1. SOAC agreed to establish an ad hoc committee to revisit the philosophy upon which the GE Distribution List was developed and secondarily we will assess whether those courses listed on the GE Distribution List are still appropriate.
2. SOAC proposed to discontinue the annual Essay Prompt given that CSL has stated it will no longer provide the necessary support for its continuation and given that a significant infra-structure/resources are required to continue the program.
3. SOAC will immediately begin planning the next Faculty Assessment Day taking into consideration the feedback regarding this recent one.
4. SOAC is considering the comments some of the faculty made at the last Assessment Day meeting regarding when is it appropriate for there to be less than two common course outcomes per credit hour – if at all.
5. SOAC is looking for two additional members so as to have a full complement. More specifically, we need one more member from AH and one more from OR.