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FS 13/14-116/GE/GRPC/EX GENERAL EDUCATION AREA C LEARNING OUTCOMES, REVISIONS TO

The Faculty Senate recommends revising the “General Education Area C Learning Goals and Outcomes” <http://www.csus.edu/acaf/Portfolios/GE/geareaC1.stm>;
<http://www.csus.edu/acaf/Portfolios/GE/geareaC2.stm>;
<http://www.csus.edu/acaf/Portfolios/GE/geareaC3.stm>;
<http://www.csus.edu/acaf/Portfolios/GE/geareaC4.stm> as follows:

Area C Learning Outcomes

C1 Arts: Arts, Cinema, Dance, Music, Theater

C2 Humanities: Literature, Philosophy, Languages Other than English

C1 Arts. The learning objectives associated with C1 should focus on artistic processes and how works of art reflect the cultural contexts in which they were produced.

Specifically, students completing the C1 requirements should be able to:

- A. Think conceptually and critically about medium, performance or presentation, and production for at least one art form.
- B. Demonstrate knowledge of artistic production, aesthetic properties, and the way creative work is shaped by artistic and cultural forces.
- C. Have an acquaintance with a broad understanding of artistic forms, genres, and cultural sources.
- D. Be able to develop and defend informed judgments about creative work.
- E. Demonstrate knowledge of the conventions of at least one of the disciplines in the arts.

C2 Humanities. The learning objectives associated with C2 should focus on the human condition. Specifically, students completing C2 requirements should be able to:

- A. Demonstrate knowledge of the conventions and methods of the study of the humanities.
- B. Investigate, describe, and analyze the roles and effects of human culture and understanding in the development of human societies.
- C. Compare and analyze various conceptions of humankind.
- D. Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the historical development of cultures and civilizations, including their animating ideas and values.

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