

Liaison Reports for GEC Meeting, September 24, 2008

1. W-Board Liaison Report

W-Board meeting, September 18, 2008

The issue of Bus 301, as a W course was revisited. A new suggestion was made that I do not believe was previously proposed. Instead of allowing Business to continue to use this as their only W course, taught by non-faculty members, it was suggested that Business faculty member should submit their own courses for W foci.

The remainder of the meeting discussed courses that were submitted for W focus proposals.

George Wong

2. Contemporary Ethical Issues Focus Board

The E Board has met three times since the semester started. Members include Ned Bertz, Dian Dooley, Spencer Leineweber (Chair), Ilan Noy, and Jonathan Okamura (currently on Study Abroad for Fall 2008).

The board has agreed upon some standard procedures for reviewing proposals. Initial review and voting will use Laulima, but discussions of and final voting on all proposals will be held in face-to-face meetings.

To date, the board has approved 6 new Focus applications, and 10 renewal applications.

Susan Johnson