Global Awareness Subcommittee Report

Date: November 1, 2018

To: General Studies Council

From: Global Awareness Subcommittee
Charlotte Armbruster, Chair
Members: Kristen Parrish, Martha Cocchiarella

Re: Recommendations for Course Proposals (G - designation)

Recommend for Approval

From ASU:
ARB 101    Elementary Arabic I (new)
ARB 102    Elementary Arabic II (new)
GER 194    From Autobahn to Zeppelin: Germany from A-Z (new)

From MCCCD: (none)

Recommendation to Deny/Resubmit

From ASU:
HST 280    The History of Science, Ideas, and Innovation (new)
   Based on the information provided, the course focus is on historical perspective of science, ideas, and innovation and there is no clear exploration of the contemporary cultural aspects. Recommendation to resubmit with more emphasis on how the course compares/contrasts scientific thought then and now.

SCN 302    Environmental Education: A Global Perspective (new)
   The information provided is limited and does not allow an evaluation of how much of the content and time is allocated to the environmental issues and policies within the U.S. and outside of the
U.S.. Reviewing the syllabus and the tables of contents, the non-U.S. perspective is not clear e.g., Costa Rica is mentioned in the table, but it does not appear in the syllabus. Recommendation to resubmit and providing more details on the non-U.S. focus.