

## Minutes of UOAC Meeting #17 on April 13<sup>th</sup>, 2017

1. The meeting was called to order at 10:03 pm in HL 201 room. In attendance: J. deWinter (chair; secretary), D. Samson, A. Heinricher, D. Olinger, C. Demetry, and A. Donta-Venman (guest)
2. Minutes 15 and 16 were approved on April 6<sup>th</sup>. Meeting was cancelled then due to gas leak.
3. Taskforce membership was discussed.
4. HUA exit questionnaire for the HUA requirement was discussed. HUA is still forming their outcome criteria and measurement and will be reported back. The committee discussed the idea that the more we know about what the students know and learn in HUA, the better we are able to articulate how this project distinguishes us from our competitors. The committee discussed the fact that we use the standard course report for 3900/3910, and that this assessment mechanism is a mismatch for this project. Further, anything that can be done to differentiate the project from other courses would accurately reflect the centrality of this project. HUA questions can be embedded into an alumni survey to assess the long-term impact of liberal arts education. The teaching of inquiry seminars are different from teaching a course, so the assessment should reflect the changes of pedagogical approach and the role of this project. UOAC expressed with willingness to work with HUA to articulate and assess its teaching outcomes vis-a-vis the HUA project.
5. Meeting was adjourned at 10:50.