## ICC Agenda for Tuesday March 5, 2013 NHE 106

## 1. Approval of Minutes

Old minutes from Joan More recent minutes from Mark

2. Consent Calendar

Nothing this week

3. First Year Experience Course - review of an initial draft (conversation will go no longer than 10:00)

4. GEAR –

Brief report

5. APC: Course Numbering Proposals

## 6. AMP

Continuing Discussion on Definition of a Course

The Current version of our proposed Policy:

1) All new courses to be approved must support HSU and/or program student learning outcomes and thus must count towards a degree as either a GEAR course or a requirement or elective that will count towards a specific degree program.

2) We recommend moving towards a centrally-administered Supplemental Instruction program where paid student facilitators are centrally trained in SI techniques. (We also recommend that student facilitators would still consult frequently with faculty teaching the course about specific SI exercises/lesson plans.) As part of the transition to only offering SI classes through the Learning Center, we also recommend that SI courses cease to be offered for credit.

Rationale: Eliminating credit for SI classes will allow students to benefit from SI without accumulating additional expensive units. Many Universities (including Oregon State, University of New Mexico, and Clemson) offer highly successful SI programs that follow this centrally-organized, non-creditbearing model.

Adjourn to subcommittees if we get done early...

## Next week: Subcommittees.