

**UWM General Education “COMPASS” Project: Learning for the 21st
Century
April 25, 2008
Agenda of General Education Working Group
Zelazo Room 171**

8:00-1:00 pm

[To be followed by a 12:00-1:00 pm luncheon and a 1:00-3:00 pm special workshop - “Who Says You Can’t Change History?” presented by the History Department General Education Working Group].

8:00 am

Welcome by Provost and Vice Chancellor Rita Cheng

8:15-8:45

Summary of UWM general education issues and national trends in general education reform

8:45-12:00

Identify core competencies for UWM GER students
Formulate a set of Student Learning Outcomes tied to core values that are common to all UWM graduates for the campus.

12:00-1:00

Luncheon

Next steps:

- Campus endorsement of Student Learning Outcomes
- Development of discipline specific outcomes for individual majors. Each department/major will want to use above outcomes for their programs.

1:00-3:00

Discussion led by History Department General Education Working Group on progress to date in developing new assessment model. Topic: “Who Says You Can’t Change History?”

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Friday, September 19, 2008
Noon-1:30 pm
Union E240
Agenda**

1. Announcements
2. Discussion of draft outcomes from April 25, 2008 meeting (“[Learning Outcome: General Education](#)”)
3. Discussion of AAC&U Team Report (“[AAC&U General Education Institute – Final Report, June 2008](#)”)
4. Discussion of a proposal for a pilot on writing in the major (“[Advancing Student Writing in the Majors](#)”)
5. Discussion of Potential Organization of the Task Force

**UWM General Education "COMPASS" Project: Learning for the 21st
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February 24, 2009
Agenda**

1. Update on project activities
2. Group organization
3. Formation of working groups
4. Announcement of Summer Institute for Faculty
5. Timeline

**UWM General Education “COMPASS” Project: Learning for the 21st
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March 10, 2009
Agenda**

1. Update on project activities – “Talking Point” powerpoint
2. SAGLA Update
3. IUPUI visit
4. OPID visit
5. SAGLA Update
6. Development of web site
7. Development of definitions used within COMPASS project