CALIFORNIA STATE POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY, POMONA ACADEMIC SENATE

GENERAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE

REPORT TO

THE ACADEMIC SENATE

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HST 2015/EWS 2015 – The Great American Historical Paradox: African and American (GE Area F)

General Education Committee Date: 11/17/2022

Executive Committee

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First Reading 03/08/2023 Second Reading TITLE OF REFERRAL: HST 2015/EWS 2015 – The Great American Historical Paradox: African and American (GE Area F)

BACKGROUND: This is a proposed new cross-listed GE Area F course from the History Department and Ethnic and Women's Studies Department. This course examines the historical experience and contributions of African Americans from African origins to present and pans pre-15th century Western African societies, the development of the Atlantic World and slavery, emancipation, industrialization, migration, and the struggles for racial equality. The course utilizes a variety of assessments, including discussion board posts, primary source analyses, presentations, and a final research paper, to assess satisfaction of GE Area F SLOs.

RESOURCES CONSULTED: N/A

<u>DISCUSSION</u>: The GE Committee reviewed the course ECO to ensure that it satisfied the criteria for a successful GE Area F course, and we concluded that it satisfied these criteria and, thus, is a successful GE Area F course.

<u>RECOMMENDATION</u>: The GE Committee unanimously recommends approval of HST 2015/EWS 2015 – The Great American Historical Paradox: African and American (GE Area F).