

# Santa Monica College Global Citizenship Committee

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## Meeting Minutes

**Date & Time:** March 24, 2022 12:45 pm – 2:05 pm

**Location:** Zoom Conference Meeting

**Chair:** Delphine Broccard, Chair

**Attendees:** Delphine Broccard, Denise Kinsella, Heather Bennett, Carol Davis, Mitch Heskell, Brandon Reilly, Kaelyn Rodriguez, Catherine Weir, Janet Wolf

**I. Call to Order:** 12:47 pm.

### **II. Public Comments and Announcements**

Public Comments: None. Announcements: Carol Davis shared that she landed a contract for her latest poetry book, *Below zero*.

### **III. Approval of Minutes: March 10, 2022**

Motion to approve: Heather Bennett. Second: Kaelyn Rodriguez. Approved: Delphine Broccard, Heather Bennett, Carol Davis, Kaelyn Rodriguez, Catherine Weir. Abstained: Denise Kinsella, Mitch Heskell, Brandon Reilly

### **IV. Standing Business**

a. Question of the Day: What is your favorite mode of transportation?

b. Global Grants Process

The Committee discussed some of the revamping efforts of the Global Grants. Global Grants should relate to the true mission of Global Citizenship. The Committee reviewed application edits, which included asking applicants to provide specific examples of how their grant relates to Global Citizenship and/or the theme and why they sought out the funds of the GC Committee. The Committee also discussed deliverables of GC-sponsored events (i.e., photos, recordings, etc.) and reviews of the events (surveys, student feedback, etc.).

c. Global Citizenship Symposium

The GC Symposium is to be held on May 5<sup>th</sup>. The deadline for submissions was extended to Friday April 1<sup>st</sup> at noon.

Suggestions for advertising included: promoting the event in faculty classes, speaking about the Symposium at meetings and events that faculty/staff attend and suggesting to other faculty that they offer extra credit to students who apply.

The judging timeline is that GC judges return their results between April 8<sup>th</sup> and April 18<sup>th</sup>. Delphine will meet with Dr Jeffery on April 25<sup>th</sup>.

The committee discussed the possibility of making the GC Symposium a hybrid event. However, Committee members expressed preference for keeping it fully online. Instead, they are considering doing an on-ground “launch party” to promote upcoming GC theme. That is still yet to be determined.

d. **Spotlighting Student Work**

GC members were sent samples of student work to review. After discussion the members decided to post three entries on the “Spotlighting Student Work” webpage.

**V. Future Business**

The Committee will discuss the GC theme for 2022-2024 at the next meeting before opening it up to campus community for suggestions.

**VI. Adjournment**

Motion to Adjourn: Mitch Hesel. Second: Denise Kinsella. Approved: Delphine Broccard, Denise Kinsella, Heather Bennett, Carol Davis, Mitch Hesel, Brandon Reilly, Kaelyn Rodriguez, Catherine Weir  
2:08 pm

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**Next scheduled meeting: Thursday, April 7, 2022**