

**Degrees and Certificates Minutes**  
**May 9, 2012**  
**Online Meeting**  
**2pm to 4pm**

**Old Business:**

Review April 11<sup>th</sup>, 2012 Minutes

***Postponed to June***

**Discussion Items:**

**EAC Chair Report**

**Related Instruction in AAS Degrees (Continued from October)**

Northwest has questioned PCC's practice of allowing GEN ED to serve as proxy for Related Instruction because a student could potentially apply courses that do not clearly align with their intended professional degree and/or the focus area. The college has provided a written response to this concern. However, as various PCC groups have discussed this practice, there appears to be an interest to revisit the relationship between gen ed courses, AAS, and RI and determine if any changes need to be made.

**New Business:**

**2:30 Revision: Renewable Energy Technology AAS CGCC: Susan Lewis:** Increase credit total,

increase credits of two courses, increase elective credits, adding two courses, removing one course, removing social science Gen Ed, revise electives list.

*Unanimous approval by committee via Email. APPROVED.*

**Revision: Renewable Energy Technology Certificate CGCC: Susan Lewis:**

Increasing credit

total, increase credits of two courses, removing two courses, removing social science Gen Ed, adding three courses, changing related instruction.

*Unanimous approval by committee via Email. APPROVED.*

**Consent Agenda:**

**Paralegal AAS:** Modifying language for Electives list footnote.

*Unanimous approval by committee via Email. APPROVED.*