**Meeting Notes from the OLLI wide curriculum committee 11-16-22**

 Breakout Room Four (Psychology, Religion, Culture)

**Present: Penny Friedberg, John Baumgartner, Margaret Strumpf, Sherilee Selby Marie Friedlander**

**Ways to work together:**

1-Continued meetings with the sub-curriculum groups

2-Contact info for our curriculum colleagues at all sites

**How to collaborate and communicate:**

1-Share suggestions and ideas for courses and hot topics,

2- Share contacts for courses under development (Some of this happened during the session and showed how rich and helpful the process could be.)

**What info needs to go to Core Curriculum for discussion:**

1-Offer courses in the form of “serial webinars,” with different presenters preparing one session on related topics. A way for new facilitators to get their feet wet- not as daunting as preparing a whole course. If it is a course and not a webinar, the facilitator can see the students and the students can ask questions and dialogue is possible.

2- Develop lists of sources for facilitators- not just places to market to. Ex: Denver Interfaith Alliance… and retired professors from local universities.

3 -Continue to clean up the registration process. Get fresh eyes to look at it and see the glitches. For example, on checkout, I was told I had no charges for the courses, and no balance due.  Wondered if it was a perc for being on a committee that I didn’t know about! Then promptly received a receipt email for the charge to my credit card.

4-Possibly create a “semester kit” with all the dates and forms needed for the upcoming semester, just so we know we are using the latest iteration of application forms, due dates, etc.)