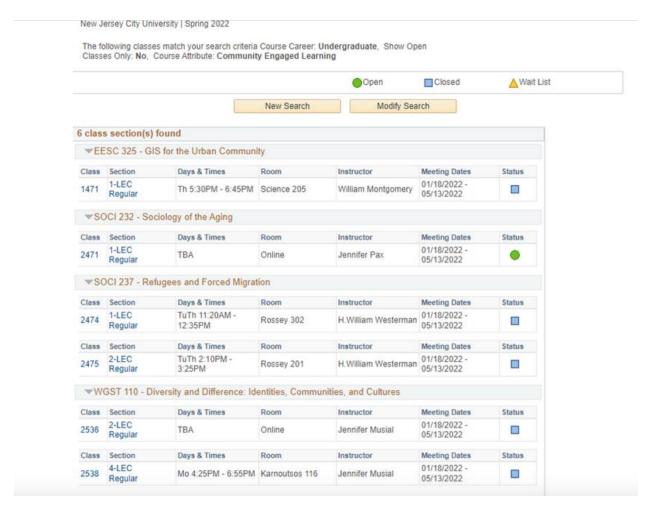
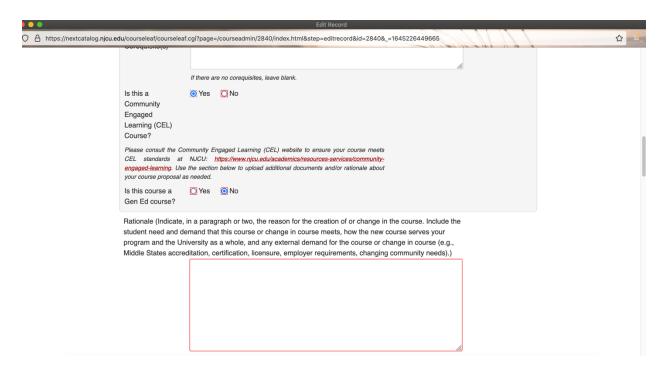
Senate Committee on Community Engaged Learning Report

The Committee met on Thursday February 24th. We continue to revise a rubric that we will use to evaluate Community Engaged Learning (CEL) courses in the future. I am most excited to announce CEL is now in PeopleSoft and CIM! With CEL in PeopleSoft, students can isolate out CEL classes under 'Course Attribute' in their search for courses during enrollment period. See screenshot here (sample from Spring 2022):



CEL was recently added to CIM. This means that faculty can check off a CEL box, which adds our committee to the CIM workflow. When a faculty member check the CEL box, a pop up message appears that reads "please consult the Community

Engaged Learning (CEL) website to ensure your course meets CEL standards at NJCU, which is followed by a link to the CEL webpage. Then faculty are encouraged to upload additional documents as they see fit to fill out course details regarding CEL. The CEL website exists but it needs updating. There will be a "So You Want to Create a CEL course?" section for faculty that houses our committee's rubric and other best practices documents.



These are important steps towards institutionalizing Community Engaged Learning at NJCU. Thank you to Navin Saiboo and Jennifer Fitzgerald for their labour to make this happen.

We plan to have our evaluation rubric drafted by the next Senate meeting. And, we will draft on our bylaws over the next two meetings.

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