



Faculty Senate

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Faculty Senate Curricular Affairs Committee Four Hundred Fifty-First Report

At the March 26, 2007 meeting of the Curricular Affairs Committee the following matters were considered and are now presented to the Faculty Senate.

SECTION I

Informational Matters

A. College of Arts and Sciences

1. Department of Communication Studies

CHANGE: Prerequisite for COM 316 to "Pre: 202 and 208 or 209 or 210."

2. Department of Sociology and Anthropology

CHANGE: Title for APG 202 to "Introduction to Archaeology" and description to read as follows:

Archaeological perspectives on the major developments in humanity's past, from the evolution of the earliest humans to the emergence of agriculture and the earliest urban civilizations.

3. Women's Studies Program

CHANGE: Prerequisite for WMS 315 to "Pre: 150 or permission of instructor."

B. College of Human Science and Services

Department of Textiles, Fashion Merchandising and Design

CHANGE: Prerequisites for the following courses:

- a. TMD 226 to "Pre: ART 101 or 207 or ARH 120 or 251 or 252."
- b. TMD 326 to "Pre: 103 and 226."

C. Online Courses

The CAC has reviewed the online versions of the following courses and has notified Enrollment Services that they may be scheduled for summer 2007 and thereafter:

AAF 202 Introduction to Afro-American Culture (Barber)
COM 310 Topic: The Rhetoric of War Veterans Returning to America in Modern Cinema (L. McClure)
COM 316A Communication Criticism: Rhetorical Criticism - (K. McLure)
COM 441 Race, Politics and Media - (R. Smith)
CSC 485 Computer Forensics - (Fay-Wolfe/Dickerman)
ENG 205 Topic: Poetry (Hotchkiss)
ENG 205 Topic: Fiction (May)
ENG 499 Topic: Creative Writing and Publishing (Ansel)
ITR 304 Colloquium (Washor)
MUS 111 Basic Musicianship (Takasawa)
PSY 399 (or AAF 399) Introduction to Multicultural Psychology (Harris)
WMS 150 Introduction to Women's Studies (all instructors)
WMS 350 Topic: Women and Health (Salgado)
WMS 402 Campaigns and Services for Victims of Trafficking and Slavery (Hughes)
WMS 490 Topic: Campaigns and Services for Victims of Trafficking and Slavery (Hughes)
WRT 302 Writing Culture (Schwegler)

D. Methods of Instruction

The CAC has adopted the following definitions of methods of instruction:

Definitions for Methods of Instruction

Revision of definitions in the CAC's Three Hundred and Seventh Report (October 13, 1993)

Lecture: A course in which the primary method is presentation and students are expected to participate in a variety of ways, such as small-group discussions, questions and answers, writing-exercises, etc.

Laboratory: In-class applied course work, generally involving experimentation or observation, typically using special equipment (including computers and specialized software).

Recitation: Separate sections of a lecture course regularly scheduled for discussion.

Studio: In-class, supervised work with an emphasis on performance and creativity in which faculty instruct, assist, and critique.

Seminar: Course offered to a small group (usually no more than 20* students) where participants actively exchange ideas and findings based on readings or research.

Independent Study: One-on-one instruction in which the student enters into an agreement with the instructor that defines the focus of inquiry and nature of activities. Includes tutorials, directed readings, special projects.

Practicum: Structured experiences where the primary aim is to connect theory with practice. Includes clinics, internships, externships, student teaching, field experiences. May include regular class meetings.

Workshop: Similar to a seminar, with emphasis on applied rather than theoretical learning, but not offered for degree-program credit.

Online: A course that is delivered entirely online. (CAC policy includes possibility of a required organizational session, etc.)

S E C T I O N II

Curricular Matters Which Require Confirmation by the Faculty Senate

A. College of Arts and Sciences

1. Department of Computer Science and Statistics

- a. **CHANGE:** List of courses for the B.S. degree in Computer Science to read as follows:

"Students in the B.S. curriculum must complete a minimum of 56 credits as follows: CSC 110 (4), 211 (4), 212 (4), 301 (4), 305 (4), 340 (4), 411 (4), 412 (4), 440 (4), 499 (8); at least one of CSC 350 (4) and 445 (4); any two additional CSC courses at the 300-level or above, except CSC 491, CSC 492 may be used with prior departmental approval."

- b. **CHANGE:** List of courses for the B.A. in Computer Science to read as follows:

"Students in the B.A. curriculum must complete a minimum of 36 credits (maximum 51) as follows: CSC 110 (4), 211 (4), 212 (4), 301 (4), 305 (4), 320 (4); one of 411 or 412 (4); two additional courses at the 300-level or above, except CSC 491 and CSC 499, CAC 492 may be used with prior departmental approval."

2. Department of Modern and Classical Languages and Literatures

ADD: The following courses:

CHN 205, 206 Composition and Conversation (3 each)

Development of facility in spoken and written Chinese using contemporary topics; emphasis on general classroom discussion. (Lec. 3) Pre (for 205): 104 or permission of instructor. Pre (for 206): 205 or permission of instructor.

3. Department of Military Science

* a. CHANGE: Name of Department to "Military Science and Leadership."

b. CHANGE: Name of minor to "Military Science and Leadership."

c. CHANGE: Description of Military Science Program to read as follows:

Military Science and Leadership (Army ROTC)

The Department of Military Science and Leadership (Army ROTC) conducts the Reserve Officer Training Corps (ROTC) program for students desiring to earn commissions as officers in the U.S. Army. Students typically complete the equivalent of eight semesters of military science subjects (exceptions can apply). Completion of 18 credits of MSL course work qualifies students to petition their academic college for a minor in Military Science and Leadership. Participation in the program during the first two years (freshman and sophomore) or enrolling in any 100- or 200-level courses is without obligation to the military unless a freshman, sophomore or junior year, and in some cases as graduate students.

Juniors/graduate students (with two years remaining) entering the commissioning program (300-400 level course) will incur an obligation to the Army upon graduation. After completing University degree requirements, students eligible to be commissioned as Second Lieutenants in either the Active Army, Army Reserves, or National Guard.

B. College of Business Administration

* 1. CHANGE: Name of "Production Operation Management" major to "Supply Chain Management."

2. ADD: **BUS 360 Introduction to Logistics (3)**

Provides the background to understanding the strategic possibilities and goals of logistics. Specifically addressing the design, operation, and control of logistics systems for firms. (Lec. 3) Pre: Junior standing in a degree granting college.

*May require action by the Board of Governors.

3. CHANGE: Requirements for the Junior and Senior years for the Major in "Supply Chain Management" as follows:

Supply Chain Major:

Junior Year

First Semester:

BUS 315 (3), 320 (3), 340 (3), 355 (3) and one liberal elective (3).

Second Semester:

BUS 345 (3), 360 (3), 365(3), one Supply Chain Elective (3) and one free elective (3).

Senior Year

First Semester:

BUS 460 (3), two Supply Chain Electives(6), one professional elective (3) and one free elective (3).

Second Semester:

BUS 445 (3), two professional electives, one liberal elective (3), one free elective (3).

C. College of Human Science and Services

Department of Communicative Disorders

CHANGE: Admissions requirements to the undergraduate major in communicative disorders by requiring a minimum grade of "C" in CMD 260 and CMD 261.

S E C T I O N III

Joint Report of the Curricular Affairs Committee and Graduate Council
on 400-Level courses

At the March 26, 2007 meeting of the Curricular Affairs Committee and the March 2, and March 30, 2007 meetings of the Graduate Council the following matters were considered and are now presented to the Faculty Senate.

A. Informational Matters

1. College of Arts and Sciences

a. Department of Computer Science and Statistics

CHANGE: Prerequisite for CSC 411 and 412 to "Pre: 212 and 301, and either junior standing or permission of the instructor."

b. Department of Psychology

- 1) CHANGE: Description and prerequisite for PSY 489 as follows:

PSY 489 Problems in Psychology (3)

Advanced work in psychology. Course will be conducted as seminar or as supervised individual project. Pre: permission of instructor.

- 2) CHANGE: Prerequisite for PSY 499 to "Pre: permission of instructor."

c. Department of Sociology and Anthropology

CHANGE: Description of the major in Anthropology by deleting "APG 427 is the program's capstone course."

B. Curricular Matters Which Require Confirmation by the Faculty Senate

College of Human Science and Services

a. School of Education

CHANGE: Credits, description and method of instruction for the following courses:

a) **EDC 400 Middle School Curriculum Assessment and Methods (4)**

Contemporary middle school curriculum, assessment, methods and research-based models are emphasized through coursework and a practicum. Focus is on adolescents; teaming; thematic integrated, interdisciplinary standards-based instruction; differentiated instruction; and multiple intelligences. (Lec. 3 and 30 hours of field experience). [No change in prerequisite]

b) **EDC 415 Adolescents and Classroom Management (4)**

Seminar and practicum addressing issues of adolescent development manifested in the classroom emphasizing management strategies for learning and adolescent developmental needs are addressed. (Seminar and 30 hours of field experience). [No change in prerequisite]

b. Department of Kinesiology

ADD: KIN 478 Sport, Cultural Politics and Media (3)

Critical examination of social issues and cultural politics mediated through print, film, television, Internet and video games related to sports, fitness, and physical activity. (Lec. 3)
Pre: SOC 100 or WMS 150 or JOR 110 or KIN 278 or permission of instructor.