MINUTES
UNIVERSITY UNDERGRADUATE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE
Wednesday, June 4th, 2014
3:00 p.m., WH 322

Attending: Baker, Brannon, Broyles, Cherry, Glass, Jayakumar, Joiner, Ligon, Loafman, Morscheck, Oyarce, Raign, Robison, Siebeneck, Vaidyanathan, Wickstrom, Yeatts

Visiting: Dash, Demarest, Flores-Niemann, Griffin, Inn, McCoy, McDaniel, Meek, Rausch, Robertson, Sayler, Williamson

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I. DISCUSSION ITEMS

1. Grad Track Pathway – Information Item
2. New Faculty co-chair for the next academic year – Information Item

II. REQUEST FOR NEW COURSE

College of Arts and Sciences

APPROVED (MINUS TABLED ITEMS)

Department of Biological Sciences

II-1 BIOL 1760 Biology for Science Majors Laboratory (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16) TABLED

II-2 BIOL 1761 Honors Biology for Science Majors Laboratory (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16) TABLED

II-3 BIOL 4510 Animal Physiology Laboratory (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

Department of Communication Studies

II-4 COMM 4540 Rhetorics of Sexuality (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

II-5 COMM 4640 Latin@ Rhetorics (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

II-6 COMM 4740 Landscapes of Public Memory (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)
Department of Dance and Theatre
II-7 THEA 4395 Theatre and the Holocaust (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

Department of Political Science
II-8 PSCI 4300 Topics in Political Research Methodology (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

Department of Psychology
II-9 PSYC 4030 Multicultural Psychology (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

Department of Radio, Television and Film
II-10 RTVF 3465 American Film History (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

Department of World Languages, Literatures and Cultures
II-11 GERM 4320 Topics in German Cinema (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)
II-12 ITAL 3080 Italian Language and Culture through Italian Operas (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

College of Education
APPROVED
Department of Kinesiology, Health Promotion and Recreation
II-13 KINE 4101 Early Field Experience Kinesiology Certification (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

College of Engineering
APPROVED
Department of Biomedical Engineering
II-14 BMEN 2900 Special Problems in Biomedical Engineering (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)
II-15 BMEN 2910 Special Problems in Biomedical Engineering (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)
II-16  BMEN 4900  Special Problems in Biomedical Engineering (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

II-17  BMEN 4910  Special Problems in Biomedical Engineering (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

**Department of Mechanical and Energy Engineering**

II-18  MEEN 2110  Engineering Data Analysis (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

II-19  MEEN 2301  Mechanics I (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

II-20  MEEN 2302  Mechanics II (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

II-21  MEEN 2332  Mechanics III (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

**College of Merchandising, Hospitality and Tourism**

**APPROVED**

**Department of Merchandising and Digital Retailing**

II-22  MDSE 3511  Excel for Merchandising (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

II-23  MDSE 4004  Global Discovery: Europe (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

**College of Visual Arts and Design**

**APPROVED**

**Department of Design**

II-24  ADES 4660  Seminar in Design Management (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

II-25  ADES 4662  Design Management Integrative Capstone (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

**III. REQUEST FOR EXPERIMENTAL COURSE**

**College of Arts and Sciences**

**APPROVED**

**Department of Psychology**

III-1  PSYC 4980  Multicultural Psychology (Effective Fall 2014)

**Department of World Languages, Literatures and Cultures**
III-2  ITAL 4980  Italian Language and Culture through Italian Operas (Effective Spring 2015)

College of Education

APPROVED
Department of Kinesiology, Health Promotion and Recreation

III-3  KINE 4980  Fitness Testing (Effective Spring 2015)

IV.  CHANGE IN EXISTING CORE CURRICULUM COURSE

College of Arts and Sciences

APPROVED
Department of Communication Studies

IV-1  COMM 2140  Rhetoric and Argument – change in course title and short course title
       (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

Department of Linguistics and Technical Communication

IV-2  TECM 2700  Technical Writing – change in prerequisites (Catalog Year Effective 2014-15)

Department of Mathematics

IV-3  MATH 1680  Elementary Probability and Statistics – change in TCCNS number, prerequisites and contact hours (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

College of Engineering

APPROVED
Department of Biomedical Engineering

IV-4  BMEN 1300  Discover Biomedical Engineering – change in prerequisites (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

V.  ADDITION OF COURSE TO CORE CURRICULUM

College of Arts and Sciences
APPROVED
Department of Psychology

V-1  PSYC 3620  Developmental Psychology (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)
        CORE AREA: SOCIAL & BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES

Department of International Studies

V-2  INST 2500  Global Perspectives: Cultural Competency and Citizenship (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)
        CORE AREA: DISCOVERY

College of Visual Arts and Design

APPROVED
Department of Design

V-3  ADES 4625  Interior Design: Professional Practice (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)
        CORE AREA: CAPSTONE

VI.  DELETION OF COURSE FROM CORE CURRICULUM

College of Arts and Sciences

Department of Philosophy and Religion Studies

VI-1  PHIL 4970  (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)  ITEM PULLED BEFORE MEETING

College of Visual Arts and Design

APPROVED
Department of Design

VI-2  ADES 4640  Interior Design: Space Planning V (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

VII.  ADD/DELETE DEGREE/MAJOR/PROFESSIONAL FIELD/CONCENTRATION/OPTION/MINOR/ACADEMIC UNIT

College of Education
APPROVED
Department of Kinesiology, Health Promotion and Recreation

VII-1 Add BS in kinesiology, coaching education option (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

School of Journalism

APPROVED
VII-2 Add BA in journalism w/ concentration in broadcast and digital journalism (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

College of Visual Arts and Design

APPROVED
Department of Art Education and Art History

VII-3 Add BA in interdisciplinary art and design studies w/ concentration in design management (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

Department of Design

VII-4 Add BFA w/ major in interior design, grad track into sustainability (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

VIII. CHANGE IN PROGRAM/ACADEMIC UNIT

College of Arts and Sciences

APPROVED
VIII-1 Change in requirements in Latina/o and Mexican American Studies certificate (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

Department of English

VIII-2 Change in requirements in language arts concentration (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

Department of International Studies

VIII-3 Change in requirements in BA w/ major in international studies, international business and economics concentration (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

VIII-4 Change in requirements in BA w/ major in international studies, international development and humanitarian affairs concentration (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

VIII-5 Change in requirements in BA w/ major in international studies, international security and diplomacy concentration (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)
VIII-6 Change in requirements in BA w/ major in international studies, regional studies concentration (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

Department of Teach North Texas

VIII-7 Change in requirements in mathematics and science secondary teaching minor (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

College of Education

APPROVED
Department of Educational Psychology

VIII-8 Add grad track minor option in development and family studies minor (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

College of Information

APPROVED
Department of Learning Technologies

VIII-9 Change in requirements and advanced hours in BAAS in applied technology and performance improvement (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

College of Merchandising, Hospitality and Tourism

APPROVED
Department of Merchandising and Digital Retailing

VIII-10 Change in requirements in BS in digital retailing (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

College of Public Affairs and Community Service

APPROVED
Department of Community and Professional Programs

VIII-11 Change in requirements in BAAS applied arts and sciences (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

IX. CHANGE IN EXISTING COURSE/COURSE DELETIONS
A. CHANGE IN EXISTING COURSE

College of Arts and Sciences

APPROVED
Department of Biological Sciences
A-1 BIOL 4810 Biocomputing – add cross-listing (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

College of Education

APPROVED
Department of Kinesiology, Health Promotion and Recreation
A-2 KINE 4100 Curriculum and Student Learning in Physical Education – change in course title, course description and semester credit hours (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

College of Engineering

APPROVED
Department of Computer Science and Engineering
A-3 CSCE 1030 Computer Science I – change in prerequisite (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)
A-4 CSCE 4810 Biocomputing – add cross-listing, change in prerequisite (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

Department of Engineering Technology
A-5 ELET 4720 Control Systems – change in course description, prerequisite, semester credit hours and contact hours (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

B. COURSE DELETION

None

X. CONSENT CALENDAR

ITEMS PULLED TO DISCUSS:
D-18 AND E-9 PULLED (APPROVED AT A PREVIOUS MEETING; DO NOT REQUIRE ANOTHER VOTE);
D12;
E-1 THROUGH E-6

REMAINDER OF THE CONSENT CALENDAR APPROVED AS A WHOLE

A. REQUEST FOR EXPERIMENTAL COURSE

None

B. ADD/DELETE DEGREE/MAJOR/PROFESSIONAL FIELD/CONCENTRATION/OPTION/MINOR/ACADEMIC UNIT

None

C. CHANGE IN PROGRAM/ACADEMIC UNIT

College of Arts and Sciences

Department of Dance and Theatre

C-1 BA w/ a major in theatre, concentration in performance – change in requirements and major hours (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

C-2 BA w/ a major in English, concentration in literature – change in requirements (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

C-3 BA w/ a major in English, concentration in writing and rhetoric – change in requirements (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

Department of Linguistics and Technical Communication

C-4 BA w/ a major in professional and technical communication – change in requirements (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

C-5 Technical writing minor – change in requirements (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

Department of Mathematics

C-6 BA w/ a major in mathematics (non-teacher certification) – change in requirements (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

C-7 BA w/ a major in mathematics (teacher certification) – change in requirements (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

C-8 BS in Mathematics (non-teacher certification) – change in requirements (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)
C-9  BS in Mathematics (teacher certification) – change in requirements (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

Department of Radio, Television and Film

C-10  BA w/ a major in radio, television and film – change in requirements (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

C-11  Spanish language media certificate – change in requirements (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

College of Education

Department of Kinesiology, Health Promotion and Recreation

C-12  BS w/ a major in kinesiology (teacher certification) – change in requirements (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

College of Engineering

C-13  College of Engineering admission requirements – change in requirements (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

Department of Biomedical Engineering

C-14  BS w/ a major in biomedical engineering – change in requirements and hours (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

Department of Computer Science and Engineering

C-15  BS w/ a major in computer science – change in requirements (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

C-16  BA w/ a major in information technology – change in requirements (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

Department of Engineering Technology

C-17  BSET in Electrical Engineering Technology – change in requirements (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)
Department of Mechanical and Energy Engineering

C-18  BS w/ a major in mechanical and energy engineering – change in requirements (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

College of Merchandising, Hospitality and Tourism

Department of Merchandising and Digital Retailing

C-19  BS w/ a major in home furnishings merchandising – change in requirements and hours (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

C-20  BS w/ a major in merchandising – change in requirements and hours (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

D.  CHANGE IN EXISTING COURSE

College of Arts and Sciences

Department of Biological Sciences

D-1  BIOL 4220  Neuropsychopharmacology – change in prerequisite (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

D-2  BIOL 4480  Medical Genetics and Genetic Counseling – change in course title and course description (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

D-3  BIOL 4770  Biotechnology – change in course number (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

Department of Communication Studies

D-4  COMM 4240  Rhetoric, Culture and Ideology – change in course title, short course title and course description (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

Department of Linguistics and Technical Communication

D-5  TECM 1200  Developmental Writing – change in prerequisite (Catalog Year Effective 2014-15)

Department of Philosophy and Religion Studies
D-6 PHIL 3680 East Asian Philosophy and Religion – change in course title and short course title (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

Department of Psychology

D-7 PSYC 3620 Developmental Psychology – change in course description and prerequisites (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

Department of Radio, Television and Film

D-8 RTVF 4480 Internship in Radio/Television/Film – change in prerequisites (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

College of Engineering

Department of Computer Science and Engineering

D-9 CSCE 3010 Signals and Systems – change in prerequisites (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

D-10 CSCE 3612 Embedded Systems Design – change in prerequisites (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

D-11 CSCE 4655 Principles of Compiler Optimization – change in prerequisites (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

D-12 CSCE 4730 VLSI Design – change in prerequisites (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

ITEM PULLED AT MEETING

Department of Electrical Engineering

D-13 EENG 4910 Project VII: Senior Design I – change in prerequisites (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

Department of Engineering Technology

D-14 ELET 4300 Embedded System Organization – change in course description and contact hours (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

D-15 ELET 4320 Electronic Communications II – change in course description and contact hours
D-16  ELET 4330  Instrumentation System Design – change in course description and contact hours (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

D-17  ELET 4340  Digital Logic Design Techniques – change in course description and contact hours (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

**Department of Mechanical and Energy Engineering**

D-18  MEEN 3120  Fluid Mechanics – change in prerequisites (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)  **PULLED; DUPLICATE COURSE CHANGE**

D-19  MEEN 3130  Machine Elements – change in prerequisites (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

D-20  MEEN 3230  System Dynamics and Control – change in prerequisites (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

D-21  MEEN 3240  Mechanical and Energy Engineering Laboratory I – change in prerequisites (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

D-22  MEEN 3250  Analytical Methods – change in prerequisites (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

**Mayborn School of Journalism**

D-23  JOUR 3020  Advertising Concepts – change in course title, short course title, course description (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

D-24  JOUR 3050  Advertising Creative – change in prerequisites (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

D-25  JOUR 3055  Visual Strategy – change in prerequisites (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

**College of Merchandising, Hospitality and Tourism**

**Department of Merchandising and Digital Retailing**

D-26  DRTL 4090  Virtual Merchandising – change in prerequisites (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

D-27  MDSE 3510  Profit-centered Merchandising – change in prerequisites and contact hours (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

D-28  MDSE 3790  Pre-Internship Seminar in Merchandising – change in prerequisites (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)
D-29  CMHT 4790  Internship in Merchandising and Hospitality Management – change in prerequisites (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

College of Public Affairs and Community Service

Department of Speech and Hearing Sciences

D-30  SPHS 4055  Clinical Methods in Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology – change in course number and prerequisites (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

D-31  SPHS 4060  Clinical Practicum I – change in course description and prerequisites (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

D-32  SPHS 4065  Clinical Practicum in Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology II – change in course description (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

E.  COURSE DELETION

College of Arts and Sciences

Department of Biological Sciences

ITEMS E-1 THROUGH E-4 TABLED FOR DISCUSSION

E-1  BIOL 1730  Biology for Science Majors I Laboratory (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

E-2  BIOL 1733  Honors Biology for Science Majors I Laboratory (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

E-3  BIOL 1740  Biology for Science Majors II Laboratory (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

E-4  BIOL 1744  Honors Biology for Science Majors II Laboratory (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

ITEMS E-5 AND E-6 TABLED FOR A LATER MEETING

E-5  BIOL 3810  Animal Physiology Laboratory (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

E-6  BIOL 4506  Comparative Animal Physiology Laboratory (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)

College of Engineering

Department of Engineering Technology

E-7  ELET 3720  Electronics I (Catalog Year Effective 2015-16)
XI. ADDITIONAL ITEMS

XI-1 OCCC Memo – Approved courses for the 2015 core (3) and 2014 Core Curriculum Update. No action required.

XI-2 JOUR 3070 and JOUR 4980 – Discussed at the May UCC meeting that it would be a good idea to have JOUR consult with the College of Business for this course. Courses were both approved, but documentation of a consultation has now been submitted as well. No action required.

XI-3 The form voted on at the May UCC meeting to reduce the minimum number of advanced hours was updated with correct, current catalog information (as discussed when the form was approved). No action required.

XI-4 Three grad track options from the College of Engineering (approved at the February 2014 UCC meeting) contained minor technical errors, and have now been fixed. No action required.

MINUTES APPROVED