

UNDERGRADUATE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE (UCC) ACTION FORM

Report of Undergraduate Curriculum Committee Action

Document(s): #21-22-036

Recommendation: Approve. Date of Action: 5/13/2022

Originated by: Brian Knoth Dept. Communication

Recommended by Undergraduate Curriculum Committee

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Comments: #036 asks to approve the conversion of the cross listed COMM 220/MUS 220 Digital Audio production I course to become a new Arts distribution option in the Gen Ed. program. It will also have a revised description to reflect this and will be offered more frequently. COGE has approved. This will be the first creative option for music in this category as the others are all music appreciation.

APPROVALS

Chair, Undergraduate Curriculum Committee: Susan Abbotson

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Comments: #037-#039 ask to approve the revision of prerequisites of three MATH courses. #037 is MATH 144 Mathematics for Elementary School Teachers II, to add completion of college mathematics competency or appropriate score on the mathematics placement exam to ensure student success. #038 is MATH 300W Bridge to Advanced Mathematics to become MATH 212 rather than MATH 213 (also add "or MATH 300W" to the MATH 300 prerequisite of MATH 315 to fix a catalog error). This is to allow students earlier access as this course is sufficient, and #039 MATH 432 Introduction to Abstract Algebra will add MATH 300 or MATH 300W as necessary to succeed (and to eliminate a potential hidden prerequisite). #040 Asks to approve the Data Science program allowing students to count MATH 248 Business Statistics I as an alternative to MATH 240 Statistical Methods I in the program's requirements to better facilitate students from the School of Business, in particular.

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Originated by: Desirée Ciambrone, Mikaila Arthur and Carse Ramos Dept. Sociology,
Dir. JTSD and Chair SOC.

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Comments: #041 asks to approve revisions to the Justice Studies major and minor programs to add more diversity without raising the overall credits. The core courses for the major are being updated with a new PHIL 208 Introduction to Theories of Justice course (to replace PHIL 206 Ethics), and adding some additional choices from existing PSYC, POL or SOC courses. This revision will also allow for more choice among restricted electives, with several additional courses from a variety of disciplines; ANTH, CSCI, PHIL,

POL, SOC courses are being added to the major and ANTH, CSCI, PHIL, POL, SOC courses to the minor, including another new course SOC 324 Immigration and Justice that is presented in proposal #042 and will also be available for SOC majors. Another course being added is SOC 320 Aging and the Law which also has its own proposal, #043 because it would like to add a credit to bring it in line with other SOC courses. The overall total credits of the JSTD programs will be slightly different, with the major going from 52-55 to 50-56 and the minor from 26-28 to 25-28. [though another proposal from POL that increases one course by a credit will alter those again to become 51-56 and 26-28]. The additional credit on SOC 320 will affect the Gerontology minor for which it is a restricted elective (so will increase their credits from 22-26 to 23-27) and Healthcare Administration BS (does not change totals), as well as the Health and Aging concentration within the Community and Public Health Promotion BS, which will raise their credits from 82-84 to 83-85 total credits (8 credits in this program double count with Gen Ed. do it remains within acceptable limits, as does the Gerontology minor).

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Originated by: Glenn Rawson Dept. Chair PHIL

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Comments: #044 asks to approve a new course that will be required in both the Justice Studies major and minor programs: PHIL 208 Introduction to Theories of Justice course (to replace PHIL 206 Ethics). There will still be students needing PHIL 206 which is used by other programs (BPS, CSCI, HSCI) beyond PHIL, where is also remains a foundational

course. The new PHIL 208 can also be used by students taking the basic PHIL minor, but not the major or more specialized minors.

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Comments: #045 asks to approve a revision to the title and prerequisites of MGT 306 to become Managing a Diverse Workforce with 60 completed credits as the prereq. Also adding a Spring offering. This course is used in the BPS program (and the Workplace Diversity CUS) so they have been notified of the changes.

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Dept. Management/Marketing

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Comments: #046 asks to approve the creation of new course, MGT 427 Principled Leadership for Management programs for use as a restricted elective in two of the Management concentrations.

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Originated by: Thomas Schmeling Dept. POL

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Comments: #047 asks to approve the revision of POL 335 to become POL 330 Jurisprudence and the American Judicial Process, so the prefix is being renumbered to make it clearer when it can be taken, and the description is being revised as well as

adding one more credit (as most POL courses are 4-credit now). The new number is not one that has appeared in the catalog in at least the last ten years As noted in the JSTD proposal, this will affect JSTD major and minor total credits.

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Originated by: Suzanne Conklin Dept. BIOL

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Comments: #048 asks to approve the revision of the BIOL BS program to simplify the restricted electives to allow for more choice. This will also allow the program's total credits to go down from 70-72 to 69-72 as students will have the option of a 3 credit rather than a four-credit course to satisfy one elective.

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Originated by: Alison Shonkwiler Dept. Chair English

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Comments: #049 asks to approve the revision of the Professional Writing concentration in English to also use the ENGL 460 Senior Seminar in the program in place of an additional English literature course at the 200/300-level, this last being moved into a list of required electives to keep the program total the same.

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