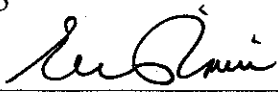


UNIVERSITY CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MINUTES

Date: December 3, 2015

Minutes Approved by:  Date Approved 2/26/2016

TO: Dr. Eric Pani  
Vice President of Academic Affairs

FROM: Dr. Lon Smith, Chair  
University Curriculum Committee

FACULTY MEMBERS PRESENT: E. Ardion, S. Banks, M. Bonner, D. Eichhorn, J. Giles, C. Gissendanner, R. Hensley, C. Michaelides, P. Nelson, J. Noble, S. Powell, L. Smith, R. Stevens, K. Tolson, A. Wiedemeier

FACULTY MEMBERS ABSENT:

FACULTY MEMBERS EXCUSED:

EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS PRESENT: D. Beaver, K. Dawson, C. Robertson, A. Robinson, K. Smith

EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS ABSENT:

EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS EXCUSED:

1. THE SCHOOL OF SCIENCE requests:

Presenter:	M. Talbert
Action:	<b>Create new course BIOL 4115 (Biomedical Ethics)</b>
<b>Description:</b> Analysis of ethical issues in medicine and discussion of major case studies. Topics include euthanasia, reproductive medicine, and resource allocation, among others Prerequisite(s): Junior standing; Biology major or permission of instructor	
Credit Hours:	3
Current Level:	U
Activity Type:	LEC
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	3
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Summer 2016
First Term Offered:	Fall 2016
Last Term Offered:	
Offered Fixed/Variable:	Fixed
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	BIOMEDICAL ETHICS
UCC Decision:	<b>APPROVED</b>
Notes:	

2. THE SCHOOL OF SCIENCE requests:

Presenter:	M. Talbert
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Action:	<b>Change catalog content to add BIOL 4115 to the B. Organismal Biology list on <a href="http://catalog.ulm.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=20&amp;poid=2279&amp;returnto=2481">http://catalog.ulm.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=20&amp;poid=2279&amp;returnto=2481</a></b>
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**Current Content:**

**B. Organismal Biology:**

- BIOL 2004 - Plant Diversity and
- BIOL 2005 - Plant Diversity Laboratory
  
- BIOL 2010 - Animal Diversity
  
- BIOL 2014 - Introductory Microbiology and
- BIOL 2015 - Introductory Microbiology Laboratory
  
- BIOL 2028 - Pathophysiology \*
- BIOL 2030 - Plant and Animal Form and Function
  
- BIOL 2040 - Human Anatomy and
- BIOL 2041 - Human Anatomy Laboratory
  
- BIOL 3010 - Human Physiology and
- BIOL 3013 - Human Physiology Laboratory
  
- BIOL 3016 - Comparative Anatomy
- BIOL 3030 - Invertebrate Zoology
- BIOL 3032 - Vertebrate Zoology
- BIOL 4012 - Plant Physiology
- BIOL 4014 - Animal Physiology
  
- BIOL 4025 - Neurology and
- BIOL 4026 - Neurology Laboratory
  
- BIOL 4034 - Field Botany
- BIOL 4036 - Dendrology
- BIOL 4040 - Taxonomy of Vascular Plants
- BIOL 4051 - Field Biology
  
- BIOL 4072 - Introductory Parasitology and
- BIOL 4073 - Introductory Parasitology Laboratory
  
- BIOL 4078 - Ichthyology
- BIOL 4080 - Herpetology
- BIOL 4082 - Mammalogy
- BIOL 4084 - Ornithology \*
- BIOL 4086 - Game Birds
- BIOL 4088 - Game Mammals and Fur Bearers

**Proposed Content:**

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Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Summer 2016
First Term Offered:	
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Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	<b>APPROVED</b>
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3. THE SCHOOL OF SCIENCE requests:

Presenter:	M. Talbert
Action:	<b>Change catalog content</b> ( <a href="http://catalog.ulm.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=20&amp;poid=2422">http://catalog.ulm.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=20&amp;poid=2422</a> )

## Current Content:

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The minimal course requirements for admission to most medical schools are given below. These courses also prepare a student for the Medical College Admission Test (MCAT). All courses listed must be taken for a grade.

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(one year with laboratory experience)

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[BIOL 1021 - Principles of Biology I Laboratory](#)

[BIOL 2014 - Introductory Microbiology](#) and

[BIOL 2015 - Introductory Microbiology Laboratory](#)

### **The following courses are recommended:**

[BIOL 3016 - Comparative Anatomy](#)

[BIOL 3010 - Human Physiology](#) and

[BIOL 3013 - Human Physiology Laboratory](#)

[BIOL 3005 - Genetics](#) and

[BIOL 3006 - Genetics Laboratory](#)

[BIOL 4022 - Histology](#)

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[BIOL 3006 - Genetics Laboratory](#)

[BIOL 4022 - Histology](#)

[BIOL 4115 - Biomedical Ethics](#)

Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	U

Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Summer 2016
First Term Offered:	
Last Term Offered:	
Offered Fixed/Variable:	
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	<b>APPROVED</b>
Notes:	Items to be corrected marked in yellow and corrected items marked in green

4. THE SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES requests:

Presenter:	B. Kauffman
Action:	<b>Change prerequisites for COMM 2090 (Practicum)</b>
<p><b>Current Description:</b>  COMM 2090 – Practicum  1 cr.</p> <p>Supervised, on-campus application of methods and techniques in an area of mass communications.</p> <p>Prerequisite(s): Completion of 9 credit hours of COMM courses, plus approved practicum proposal.  (Formerly MCOM 3090)</p>	
<p><b>Proposed Description:</b>  COMM 2090 – Practicum  1 cr.</p> <p>Supervised, on-campus application of methods and techniques in an area of mass communications.</p> <p>Prerequisite(s): Completion of COMM 1018, COMM 2010, and COMM 2002 or COMM 2020 or COMM 2052 or COMM 2061, plus approved practicum proposal.  (Formerly MCOM 3090)</p>	
Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	U
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Summer 2016
First Term Offered:	
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Offered Fixed/Variable:	
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	



UCC Decision:	<b>APPROVED</b>
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5. THE SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES requests:

Presenter:	B. Kauffman
Action:	<b>Change prerequisites for COMM 4080 (Digital Cinema)</b>
<b>Current Description:</b>	
COMM 4080 - Digital Cinema 3 cr.	
Theory and techniques of video production from conception to completion, for a variety of mass communications applications. One hour lecture, four hours studio.	
Prerequisite(s): Senior standing, graduate standing, or consent of instructor. (Formerly MCOM 4052)	
<b>Proposed Description:</b>	
COMM 4080 - Digital Cinema 3 cr.	
Theory and techniques of video production from conception to completion, for a variety of mass communications applications. One hour lecture, four hours studio.	
Prerequisite(s): COMM2052, graduate standing, or consent of instructor. (Formerly MCOM 4052)	
Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	U/G
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
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Abbreviated Course Title:	
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6. THE SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES requests:

Presenter:	B. Kauffman
Action:	<b>Close and Remove COMM 4020 (Performance Studies)</b>
Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	U
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	

Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Summer 2016
First Term Offered:	
Last Term Offered:	Fall 2015
Offered Fixed/Variable:	
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	<b>APPROVED</b>
Notes:	

7. THE SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES requests:

Presenter:	B. Kauffman
Action:	<b>Close and Remove COMM 4051 (American Public Address)</b>
Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	U
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Summer 2016
First Term Offered:	
Last Term Offered:	Fall 2015
Offered Fixed/Variable:	
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	<b>APPROVED</b>
Notes:	

8. THE SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES requests:

Presenter:	B. Kauffman
Action:	<b>Close and Remove COMM 4072 (Media Analysis &amp; Criticism)</b>
Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	U/G
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Summer 2016
First Term Offered:	
Last Term Offered:	Fall 2015
Offered Fixed/Variable:	

Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	<b>APPROVED</b>
Notes:	

9. THE SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES requests:

Presenter:	F. Gregory
Action:	<b>Change description of ENGL 4016 (Modern European Fiction)</b>
<b>Current Description:</b> ENGL 4016 - Modern European Fiction 3 cr. Selected English works, as well as continental novels that have been translated into English.	
<b>Proposed Description:</b> ENGL 4016 - Modern European Fiction 3 cr. Selected English works, and/or continental works in translation.	
Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	U
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Summer 2016
First Term Offered:	
Last Term Offered:	
Offered Fixed/Variable:	
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	<b>APPROVED</b>
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10. THE SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES requests:

Presenter:	F. Gregory
Action:	<b>Change description of ENGL 4021 (The Literature of the Bible)</b>
<b>Current Description:</b> ENGL 4021 - The Literature of the Bible 3 cr. Selected books from the Old and New Testaments, with emphasis on their literary value and influence on English and American literature.	

<b>Proposed Description:</b> ENGL 4021 - The Literature of the Bible 3 cr. Selected books from the Old and New Testaments, with emphasis on their literary and cultural value and influence.	
Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	U
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Summer 2016
First Term Offered:	
Last Term Offered:	
Offered Fixed/Variable:	
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	<b>APPROVED</b>
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11. THE SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES requests:

Presenter:	F. Gregory
Action:	<b>Change description of ENGL 4027 (Literature of the South)</b>
<b>Current Description:</b> ENGL 4027 - Literature of the South 3 cr. Representative writers of the myth and reality of The South.	
<b>Proposed Description:</b> ENGL 4027 - Literature of the South 3 cr. Selected writers who exemplify the cultural complexities of The South.	
Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	U
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Summer 2016
First Term Offered:	
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Variable Range:	

Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	<b>APPROVED</b>
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12. THE SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES requests:

Presenter:	F. Gregory
Action:	<b>Change description of ENGL 4036 (Chaucer)</b>
<b>Current Description:</b> ENGL 4036 - Chaucer 3 cr. Studies in The Canterbury Tales and selected other works of Geoffrey Chaucer.	
<b>Proposed Description:</b> ENGL 4036 - Chaucer 3 cr. Studies in the works of Chaucer.	
Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	U
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Summer 2016
First Term Offered:	
Last Term Offered:	
Offered Fixed/Variable:	
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	<b>APPROVED</b>
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13. THE SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES requests:

Presenter:	F. Gregory
Action:	<b>Change description of ENGL 4037 (Shakespeare's Tragedies)</b>
<b>Current Description:</b> ENGL 4037 - Shakespeare's Tragedies 3 cr. Representative tragedies, with emphasis on principles governing the genre.	
<b>Proposed Description:</b> ENGL 4037 - Shakespeare's Tragedies 3 cr. Selected tragedies.	

Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	U
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Summer 2016
First Term Offered:	
Last Term Offered:	
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Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	<b>APPROVED</b>
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14. THE SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES requests:

Presenter:	F. Gregory
Action:	<b>Change description of ENGL 4038 (Shakespeare's Comedies and Histories)</b>
<b>Current Description:</b> ENGL 4038 - Shakespeare's Comedies and Histories 3 cr. Representative comedies and histories, with emphasis on Shakespeare's development as a dramatic artist.	
<b>Proposed Description:</b> ENGL 4038 - Shakespeare's Comedies and Histories 3 cr. Selected comedies and histories.	
Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	U
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Summer 2016
First Term Offered:	
Last Term Offered:	
Offered Fixed/Variable:	
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	<b>APPROVED</b>
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15. THE SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES requests:

Presenter:	F. Gregory
Action:	<b>Change description of ENGL 4039 (Milton)</b>
<b>Current Description:</b> ENGL 4039 - Milton 3 cr. The major poems and selected prose and minor poetry.	
<b>Proposed Description:</b> ENGL 4039 - Milton 3 cr. Selected prose and poetry.	
Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	U
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Summer 2016
First Term Offered:	
Last Term Offered:	
Offered Fixed/Variable:	
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	<b>APPROVED</b>
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16. THE SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES requests:

Presenter:	F. Gregory
Action:	<b>Change description of ENGL 4071 (Medieval Literature)</b>
<b>Current Description:</b> ENGL 4071 - Medieval Literature 3 cr. Selected English or European works before 1500, excluding Chaucer.	
<b>Proposed Description:</b> ENGL 4071 - Medieval Literature 3 cr. Selected English or European works before 1500.	
Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	U
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	

Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Summer 2016
First Term Offered:	
Last Term Offered:	
Offered Fixed/Variable:	
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	<b>APPROVED</b>
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17. THE SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES requests:

Presenter:	F. Gregory
Action:	<b>Change description of ENGL 4074 (Eighteenth Century)</b>
<b>Current Description:</b>	
ENGL 4074 - Eighteenth Century	
3 cr.	
Major English writers of the Augustan and Johnsonian periods.	
<b>Proposed Description:</b>	
ENGL 4074 - Eighteenth Century	
3 cr.	
Selected works of 18 <sup>th</sup> century authors.	
Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	U
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Summer 2016
First Term Offered:	
Last Term Offered:	
Offered Fixed/Variable:	
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	<b>APPROVED</b>
Notes:	Items to be corrected marked in yellow and corrected items marked in green

18. THE SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES requests:

Presenter:	F. Gregory
Action:	<b>Change description of ENGL 4078 (American Literary Studies I)</b>
<b>Current Description:</b>	
ENGL 4078 - American Literary Studies I	



3 cr. Works of major writers to 1850.	
<b>Proposed Description:</b> ENGL 4078 - American Literary Studies I 3 cr. Works of selected writers to 1850.	
Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	U
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Summer 2016
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19. THE SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES requests:

Presenter:	F. Gregory
Action:	<b>Change description of ENGL 4079 (American Literary Studies II)</b>
<b>Current Description:</b> ENGL 4079 - American Literary Studies II 3 cr. Works of major writers from 1850 to the present.	
<b>Proposed Description:</b> ENGL 4079 - American Literary Studies II 3 cr. Works of selected writers from 1850 to the present.	
Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	U
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Summer 2016
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Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	<b>APPROVED</b>
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20. THE SCHOOL OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS requests:

Presenter:	A. Galick
Action:	<b>Create new course MAFT 7053 (Doctoral Internship)</b>
<b>Description:</b>	
MAFT 7053 – Doctoral Internship 3 cr. Supervised full-time internship emphasizing relationally focused practice, research, and/or other approved systemic professional development activities. Prerequisite(s): Completion of all coursework, except 7099.	
Credit Hours:	3
Current Level:	G
Activity Type:	IND
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	12 over 4 semesters
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Summer 2016
First Term Offered:	Fall 2016
Last Term Offered:	
Offered Fixed/Variable:	Fixed
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	DOCTORAL INTERNSHIP
UCC Decision:	<b>APPROVED</b>
Notes:	

21. THE SCHOOL OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS requests:

Presenter:	A. Galick
Action:	<b>Change degree requirements for Marriage and Family Therapy, Ph.D.</b>
<b>Catalog Content:</b>	
<b>Program Requirements</b>	
<p>At the time of admission, the student shall consult with his/her advisory committee to determine what “leveling” course work from their Master’s curriculum (if any) will need to be completed prior to pursuing advanced marriage and family therapy studies.</p>	

The core curriculum (required post master's degree courses) for the Ph.D. in Marriage and Family Therapy includes:

- MAFT 7000 - Family Systems I: Epistemological Issues in Marriage and Family Therapy
- MAFT 7002 - Family Systems II: Foundations of Marriage and Family Therapy
- MAFT 7010 - Family Therapy I
- MAFT 7012 - Family Therapy II
- MAFT 7014 - Couple and Marital Therapy
- MAFT 7020 - Advanced Family Studies and Human Development
- MAFT 7022 - Social Ecology: The Social Context of the Family
- MAFT 7024 - Psychopathology and Assessment
- MAFT 7030 - Supervision of Marriage and Family Therapy
- MAFT 7040 - Issues and Problems in Systemic and Marriage and Family Therapy Research
- MAFT 7042 - Qualitative and Ethnographic Research
- MAFT 7046 - Dissertation Seminar Family Therapy
- MAFT 7051 - Doctoral Practicum
- MAFT 7052 - Internship in MFT I & II (6)
- MAFT 7099 - Dissertation (9)
- EDFN 6091 - Advanced Education Statistics

**Proposed Content:**

**Program Requirements**

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- MAFT 7051 - Doctoral Practicum
- **MAFT 7053 – Doctoral Internship in Marriage and Family Therapy (6)**

### **MAFT 7053 – Doctoral Practicum in Marriage and Family Therapy**

(3 Cr.) – Supervised full-time internship emphasizing relationally focused practice, research, and/or other approved systemic professional development activities. Pre-Requisite: Completion of all coursework, except 7099.

- MAFT 7099 – Dissertation (9)
- EDFN 6091 – Advanced Education Statistics

### **Additional Requirements**

Residence Requirements: Students must enroll full time in the program. Beginning with the initial semester of enrollment, students must be in continuous full-time residency for a minimum of 21 months (completing the first 6 terms of study as defined above).

Comprehensive Examination: The Comprehensive Examination is administered during the last semester of residency. This examination consists of a written as well as an oral examination. Failure to successfully complete any part of this examination will result in a revision of the program of study and an additional examination. Failure to pass all sections of this examination after two attempts will result in termination of the student from the program. After satisfactory completion of this examination, the student may then apply for candidacy status.

The Clinical Experience: The clinical experience shall consist of a minimum of 21 semester hours. These shall be designated as follows:

- Fifteen semester hours of practicum.
- Six semester hours of internship minimum. These internship hours shall be obtained over a continuous nine to 12 month experience and shall consist of not fewer than thirty hours per week. This shall be a supervised full-time experience emphasizing relationally focused practice, research, and/or other professional development activity. All coursework must be completed before the beginning of the internship, with the exception of 7099. Each semester, in which a student is participating in the doctoral internship, she/he is required to enroll in MAFT 7053. Once enrollment in MAFT 7053 has been established, a student must continue to enroll in MAFT 7053 until the completion of the internship. Before graduating from the doctoral program, doctoral students will have completed 500 hours of direct client during the PhD Program (200 during coursework and 300 during internship), plus 500 at the MA level, or the equivalent. Three hundred (300) hours or research and/or other professional development must be also completed during the internship

Dissertation: In addition to the research course requirements, all doctoral students are required to complete a dissertation. Dissertation topics will be related to the field of marriage and family therapy or marriage and family studies. Students are encouraged to pursue the identification of a dissertation topic and the review of the literature prior to the Comprehensive Examination (typically this can be done while taking MAFT 7046). The dissertation proposal must be approved by the student's Dissertation Committee.

The student is expected to enroll continuously for a minimum of three semester hours of dissertation credit each semester until completion of the dissertation. The student must register for a minimum of nine semester hours of dissertation credit during his/her program. Following satisfactory completion of the dissertation as determined by the dissertation committee, an oral defense is required. The dissertation, with recommended changes, will then be submitted to the Graduate School for final approval.

Dissertation Committee: The student's Dissertation Committee shall consist of the Dissertation Chair and a minimum of two additional members who are representative of the general field of study in which the student expects to perform his/her work. The Dissertation Committee Chair must be selected from the ULM Marriage and Family Therapy graduate faculty and hold the credential of "full member" status on the graduate faculty. The student's Dissertation Committee is selected by the student in collaboration with the Dissertation Chair, and must be approved by the College of Education and Human Development Graduate Studies Committee, the Dean of the College of Education and Human Development, and the Dean of the Graduate School. Each member must hold credentials as a member or associate member of the graduate faculty.

Transfer of Credit: A maximum of nine semester hours of graduate credit appropriate to the student's degree program may be transferred from other institutions offering regionally accredited graduate programs. Courses transferred into the ULM doctoral program must have been completed within three years prior to admission. No credits for which a grade of less than a B has been earned may be transferred. Neither internship nor dissertation credit may be transferred into the ULM program.

Time Limit for the Ph.D. in Marriage and Family Therapy: All course work, internships, and the dissertation must be completed within a six-year time period from the date of the first registration in the program. Any appeal for extension beyond the six year requirement must be approved by the Dean of the Graduate School and by the Marriage and Family Therapy Doctoral Faculty.

Policies and Procedures: Policies and procedures for the ULM Marriage and Family Therapy Ph.D. Program are detailed in the program handbook.

Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	G
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22. THE SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT requests:

Presenter:	H. Cole
Action:	<b>Create new course MGMT 4092 (Topics in Management)</b>

<b>Description:</b>	
<b>MGMT 4092 - Topics in Management</b>	
Specialized study of topics in Management. Content varies	
<b>Prerequisites:</b> MGMT 3001 or MGMT 3005, or permission of the Program Coordinator of MGMT	
Credit Hours:	3
Current Level:	U
Activity Type:	LEC
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	3
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Spring 2016
First Term Offered:	Spring 2016
Last Term Offered:	
Offered Fixed/Variable:	FIXED
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	TOPICS IN MGMT
UCC Decision:	<b>APPROVED</b>
Notes:	