

UNIVERSITY CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MINUTES

Date: 3/11/2010

Minutes Approved by: _____ Date Approved 5/18/10

TO: Dr. Stephen P. Richters
Provost



FROM: Dr. Lon Smith, Chair
University Curriculum Committee

FACULTY MEMBERS PRESENT: L. Smith, J. Boulton, J. Burgess, D. Chandler, L. Clark, D. Davis, M. Doherty, J. Evans, C. Grinnell, R. Hanser, D. Luse, H. Rappaport, A. Saydam, R. Stevens, K. Tolson

FACULTY MEMBERS ABSENT:

FACULTY MEMBERS EXCUSED:

EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS PRESENT: J. Perrer, C. Lee, D. Williams

EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS ABSENT:

EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS EXCUSED

1. THE DEPARTMENT OF GEOSCIENCES requests:

Presenter:	C. Hanks
Action:	Change Degree Plan for Bachelors of Science in Atmospheric Science
Current Degree Plan:	
Freshman Year Hrs.	
Core English Composition*	6
Biology 120 _{cnp} , 121	4
Atmospheric Sciences 101, 102, 103, 104	8
Mathematics 113 _{cm} , 131 _{cm}	7
Chemistry 107	3
Core Social Science*	3
UNIV 101	(1)
31	
Sophomore Year	
English 322	3
Physics 207 _{cnp} , 208 _{cnp} , 209, 210	8
Core Humanities*	6
Atmospheric Sciences 205, 303, 304	9
Mathematics 116, 132	7
33	
Junior Year	
Communication Studies 201	3
Computer Science 200	3
Atmospheric Sciences 305, 306, 307, 308, 315	11
Mathematics 301	3
Core Humanities*	3
Core Fine Arts*	3
Core Social Science*	3
Elective	3
32	

Senior Year

Atmospheric Science 401, 402, 407, 415.....12
 Atmospheric Science Elective3
 Electives11
 Atmospheric Sciences 360_{uc}3

29

Total hours for degree, 125.

*Students should see Arts and Sciences Core Curriculum section for requirements.

Proposed Degree Plan:

Freshman Year Hrs.

Core English Composition*6
 Biology 120_{cnp}, 1214
 Atmospheric Sciences 101, 102, 103, 104.....8
 Mathematics 113_{cm}, 131_{cm}7
 Chemistry 1073
 Core Social Science*3
 UNIV 101(1)

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Sophomore Year

English 322.....3
 Physics 207_{cnp}, 208_{cnp}, 209, 2108
 Core Humanities*6
 Atmospheric Sciences 205, 303.....6
 Mathematics 116, 1327

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Junior Year

Communication Studies 2013
 Computer Science 200.....3
 Atmospheric Sciences 305, 306, 307, 308, 315.....11
 Mathematics 3013
 Core Humanities*3
 Core Fine Arts*3
 Core Social Science*3
 Elective.....3

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Senior Year

Atmospheric Science 401, 402, 407, 415.....12
 Atmospheric Science Elective3
 Electives9
 Atmospheric Sciences 360_{uc}3

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Total hours for degree, 120.

*Students should see Arts and Sciences Core Curriculum section for requirements.

Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Fall 2010
First Term Offered:	
Last Term Offered:	

Offered Fixed/Variable:	
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	
Notes:	Reduce on credit hours from 125 to 120

2. THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH STUDIES requests:

Presenter:	A. Tommerdahl
Action:	Creation HLST 2007 (NUTRITION)
Description:	2007. NUTRITION. 3cr. Application of principles of basic nutrition throughout the life cycle. Emphasis is on the relationship of nutrition to health and disease.
Credit Hours:	3
Current Level:	Undergraduate
Activity Type:	Lecture
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	3
Cross-Listed:	N/A
Change Effective:	101
First Term Offered:	Summer I 2010
Last Term Offered:	
Offered Fixed/Variable:	Fixed
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	NUTRITION
UCC Decision:	Approved
Notes:	

3. THE DEPARTMENT OF ART requests:

Presenter:	J. Noble
Action:	Change to pre-requisites for Art 411
Current Description:	411. ART EDUCATION FOR THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL. 3 cr. This course is designed to present art education students with concepts, methods, and experiences used in creating art activities with children at the elementary level. For juniors, seniors and graduates only. Additional course fee \$50.
Proposed Description:	411. ART EDUCATION FOR THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL. 3 cr. This course is designed to present art education students with concepts, methods, and experiences used in creating art activities with children at the elementary level. For second semester sophomores, juniors, seniors and graduate students only.

Prerequisites: Students must be education majors, education related-field majors, art students with 18 credit hours in art, or receive approval from the Art Division Head. Additional course fee \$50.	
Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	Undergraduate/Graduate
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Fall 2010
First Term Offered:	
Last Term Offered:	
Offered Fixed/Variable:	
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	Approved
Notes:	Change will eliminate non-education majors, non-education related majors, and non-art majors from taking this course as an elective.

4. **THE DEPARTMENT OF ART** requests:

Presenter:	J. Noble
Action:	Change to pre-requisites for Art 418
<p>Current Description: 418. INCLUSIVE ART INSTRUCTION. 3 cr. Objectives, methods, and materials used in teaching gifted, talented, and other diverse learners. For juniors, seniors and graduates only. Additional course fee \$50.</p> <p>Proposed Description: 418. INCLUSIVE ART INSTRUCTION. 3 cr. A lecture/discussion/experience course designed to present art and education students with theories, strategies, and experiences in designing and teaching art activities. For juniors, seniors and graduate students only. Prerequisite: Art 411. Additional course fee \$50.</p>	
Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	Undergraduate/Graduate
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Fall 2010
First Term Offered:	
Last Term Offered:	
Offered	

Fixed/Variable:	
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	Approved
Notes:	Students need exposure to the methods, lesson plans, teaching and observation techniques offered in Art 411 prior to taking Art 418.

5. **THE DEPARTMENT OF VAPA** requests:

Presenter:	J. Rinehart
Action:	Change to credit hours for MUSC 201
Current Description:	
<p>201. BASKETBALL PEP BAND. 1 cr. Entertainment ensemble for home basketball games. Group travels to conference tournament and postseason games. Prerequisites: Approval of the director. May be repeated for credit. Total hours allowed vary with each degree program. (Formerly MUSC 321)</p>	
Proposed Description:	
<p>201. BASKETBALL PEP BAND. 0 cr. Entertainment ensemble for home basketball games. Group travels to conference tournament and postseason games. Prerequisites: Approval of the director. May be repeated for credit. (Formerly MUSC 321)</p>	
Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	
Activity Type:	Undergraduate
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Spring 2011
First Term Offered:	
Last Term Offered:	
Offered	
Fixed/Variable:	
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	Tabled
Notes:	

6. **THE DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY** requests:

Presenter:	J. D. Williamson and C. Hutto
Action:	Changes to title and description of PSYC 502

Current Description:	
502. SOCIAL COGNITION. 3 cr. Study of the manner in which people sort, store, and assess information about others. Emphases include causal attributions, social attitudes, person perception, stereotyping, and small group process. Prerequisites: 315, 402, 439.	
Proposed Description:	
502. PERSONALITY AND SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY. 3 cr. A study of the dispositional and situational factors that influence how humans think about and interact with our conspecifics, and how we relate to our species-mates. Prerequisites: Graduate enrollment, and PSYC 402 (Social) or PSYC 407 (Personality) or three upper-division credits from a social science curriculum or permission from the professor.	
Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	Graduate
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Fall 2010
First Term Offered:	
Last Term Offered:	
Offered Fixed/Variable:	
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	SOCIAL PSYCH
UCC Decision:	TABLED
Notes:	New title better reflects course content. Factors related to the person and the situations are both relevant factors in the study of social behavior.

7. **THE DEPARTMENT OF ART** requests:

Presenter:	J. Noble
Action:	Change to pre-requisites for Art 412 (Art Education)
Current Description:	
412. ART EDUCATION. 3 cr. A lecture/discussion/experience course designed to present art education students with theories, strategies, and experiences in designing and teaching art activities. For juniors, seniors, and graduates only. Additional course fee \$50.	
Proposed Description:	
412. ART EDUCATION. 3 cr. A lecture/discussion/experience course designed to present art and education students with theories, strategies, and experiences in designing and teaching art activities. For juniors, seniors, and graduates only. Prerequisite: Art 411. Additional course fee \$50.	
Credit Hours:	

Current Level:	Undergraduate/Graduate
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Fall 2010
First Term Offered:	
Last Term Offered:	
Offered Fixed/Variable:	
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	Approved
Notes:	

8. THE DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE requests:

Presenter:	L. Smith
Action:	Changes in pre-requisites for CSCI 462
Current Description:	
<p>462. DATA COMMUNICATIONS. 3 cr. Technical aspects of data communications. ISO Open Systems Interconnect Model. TCP/IP protocol suite. Internetworking and routing. Prerequisite: CSCI 305.</p>	
Proposed Description:	
<p>462. DATA COMMUNICATIONS. 3 cr. Technical aspects of data communications. ISO Open Systems Interconnect Model. TCP/IP protocol suite. Internetworking and routing. Prerequisite: CSCI 273.</p>	
Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	Undergraduate/Graduate
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Fall 2010
First Term Offered:	
Last Term Offered:	
Offered Fixed/Variable:	
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	Approved
Notes:	

9. **THE DEPARTMENT OF VAPA** requests:

Presenter:	R. Stephens
Action:	Create HUMN 503(Interdisciplinary Arts Abroad)
Description: 503. INTERDISCIPLINARY ARTS ABROAD. 3cr. Maximum 6 cr. An interdisciplinary study of fine arts and culture with study and travel abroad.	
Credit Hours:	3
Current Level:	Graduate
Activity Type:	Lecture
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	6
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	May 2010
First Term Offered:	May 2010
Last Term Offered:	
Offered Fixed/Variable:	Fixed
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	INTRDPLN ARTS ABROAD
UCC Decision:	APPROVE
Notes:	

10. **THE DEPARTMENT OF VAPA** requests:

Presenter:	R. Stephens and S. Humes
Action:	Create HUMN 103 (Interdisciplinary Arts Abroad)
Description: 103. INTERDISCIPLINARY ARTS ABROAD. 6 cr. Maximum 12 cr. An interdisciplinary study of fine arts and culture with study and travel abroad.	
Credit Hours:	6
Current Level:	Undergraduate
Activity Type:	Lecture
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	12
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	May 2010
First Term Offered:	May 2010
Last Term Offered:	
Offered Fixed/Variable:	Fixed
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	Approved
Notes:	

11. THE DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH requests:

Presenter:	S. Hill and E. McNeil
Action:	New course proposal
English 440 is intended to teach students about theory and use of visuals in workplace communication and documentation.	
Credit Hours:	3
Current Level:	Undergraduate and Graduate
Activity Type:	Lecture
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	3
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Fall 2010
First Term Offered:	Fall 2010
Last Term Offered:	
Offered Fixed/Variable:	Fixed
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	Tabled
Notes:	

12. THE DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH requests:

Presenter:	S. Hill
Action:	Proposal to create minor in Professional Writing to be offered online
Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	
Activity Type:	Lecture
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Fall 2010
First Term Offered:	
Last Term Offered:	
Offered Fixed/Variable:	
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	

Title:	
UCC Decision:	Tabled
Notes:	

13. THE DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH requests:

Presenter:	S. Hill
Action:	Course Proposal: English 446: Writing and Communication Skills for the Workplace
Credit Hours:	3
Current Level:	Undergraduate
Activity Type:	Lecture
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Fall 2010
First Term Offered:	Fall 2010
Last Term Offered:	
Offered Fixed/Variable:	Fixed
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	Tabled
Notes:	

14. THE DEPARTMENT OF ATMOSPHERIC SCIENCE requests:

Presenter:	G. String
Action:	Close and Remove ATMS 304 (Introduction to Atmospheric Kinematics and Dynamics)
Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	Undergraduate
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Spring 2010
First Term Offered:	
Last Term Offered:	
Offered	

Fixed/Variable:	
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	Approved
Notes:	

15. **THE DEPARTMENT OF ATMOSPHERIC SCIENCE** requests:

Presenter:	G. String
Action:	Change Prerequisites for ATMS 305-306 (Dynamic Meteorology)
Current Description: 305-306. DYNAMIC METEOROLOGY. 3 cr. each. A study of the dynamic principles governing the structure, movement, and development of weather systems. Introduction to numerical weather prediction. Prerequisite: 304, PHYS 207 and credit or registration in MATH 132.	
Proposed Description: 305-306. DYNAMIC METEOROLOGY. 3 cr. each. A study of the dynamic principles governing the structure, movement, and development of weather systems. Introduction to numerical weather prediction. Prerequisite: PHYS 207 and credit or registration in MATH 132.	
Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	Undergraduate
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Spring 2010
First Term Offered:	
Last Term Offered:	
Offered	
Fixed/Variable:	
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	Approved
Notes:	

16. **THE DEPARTMENT OF ATMOSPHERIC SCIENCE** requests:

Presenter:	G. String
Action:	Change Catalog on Page 156
Current Description: Required for a major: 101, 102, 103, 104, 205, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 315, 360, 401, 402, 407, 415, and 3 additional hours atmospheric sciences electives—	

Total of 46 semester hours.	
Proposed Description:	
Required for a major: 101, 102, 103, 104, 205, 303, 305, 306, 307, 308, 315, 360, 401, 402, 407, 415, and 3 additional hours atmospheric sciences electives— Total of 46 semester hours.	
Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	Undergraduate
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	Fall 2010
First Term Offered:	
Last Term Offered:	
Offered Fixed/Variable:	
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	Approved
Notes:	

17. THE SCHOOL OF VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS, DIVISION OF MUSIC requests:

Presenter:	M. James
Action:	Change Description of MUSC 499 (Classical Era)
Current Description:	
499. THE CLASSIC ERA. 3 cr. Music of the Classic era and its place in the general culture of the period. Prerequisite: MUSC 492 or approval of the head of the Division of Music.	
Proposed Description:	
4099. THE CLASSIC ERA. 3 cr. Upper level course designed for graduate students and advanced undergraduates. Topics include discussion of major composers, styles, and genres from the middle of the 18 th century until the early 19 th century. Composers and their works are situated within a larger cultural and historical context. Emphasis is placed on aural identification and written analysis of representative works. A research paper and accompanying assignments form a significant portion of the course grade. Students will be introduced to electronic resources for music research. Prerequisite: MUSC 4092 or approval of the head of the Division of Music. Sp, even	
Credit Hours:	
Current Level:	Undergraduate
Activity Type:	
Maximum Hours To	

Be Earned:	
Cross-Listed:	
Change Effective:	SPRING 2010
First Term Offered:	
Last Term Offered:	
Offered Fixed/Variable:	
Variable Range:	
Abbreviated Course Title:	
UCC Decision:	Approved
Notes:	This change was approve in May 2009 but was never documented in the minutes.

Appendix:

1. In the Fall of 2009 the Board of Regents approved:
Terminate the following academic programs, effective immediately:
 - a. Bachelor of Business Administration – Economics
 - b. Bachelor of Business Administration – Entrepreneurship
 - c. B.S. in Family and Consumer SciencesThe catalog for 2010-2011 will reflect the changes.

2. The Board of Regents approved the request from University of Louisiana at Monroe to change the name of M.Ed. in Community Counseling to M.Ed. in Clinical Mental Health Counseling.

3. Remove the statement “Credit for this course cannot be used to satisfy the course requirements of any bachelor’s degree” from all OTA courses.