

Faculty Senate Curricular Affairs Committee Four Hundred Eighty-Fourth Report

At the December 13, 2010 meeting of the Curricular Affairs Committee and by electronic communication through December 15, 2010, the following matters were considered and are now presented to the Faculty Senate.

S E C T I O N I Informational Matters

Online Courses

The CAC reviewed the online versions of the following courses and notified Enrollment Services that they may be scheduled effective December 13, 2010:

- a. CSC 200 Computer Programming for Scientists & Engineers (Henry)
- b. CSC 212 Data Structures and Abstractions (Henry)
- c. CSC 301 Design and Implementation of Programming Languages (Henry)

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SECTIONII

Curricular Matters Which Require Confirmation by the Faculty Senate

A. College of Arts and Sciences

- 1. Department of English
 - a. DELETE: The following courses:
 - 1) ENG 202 Introduction to Literary Study (3)
 - 2) ENG 351 History of Literary Theory and Criticism (3)
 - 3) ENG 358 Literature and Business (3)
 - 4) ENG 366 Greek and Roman Drama (3)
 - 5) ENG 373 British Literature of the Renaissance (3)
 - 6) ENG 397 The Literary Landscape of Britain (3)
 - ‡b. CHANGE: Credits for all remaining 100-, 200-, and 300-level 3 credit ENG courses to "4"
 - ‡c. CHANGE: Method of instruction for the following courses to "(Lec. 4)":
 - 1) ENG 110 Introduction to Literature
 - 2) ENG 160 (or CLS 160) Introduction to World Literature

‡For detailed explanation of English Department course changes see Appendix A. For a listing of English Department Courses see Appendix B1 and Appendix B2.

- ‡d. CHANGE: Method of instruction for all remaining 200- and 300-level courses to "(Lec. 3, Project 3)
- e. CHANGE: Curricular requirements for the B. A. major in English to read as follows:

Students selecting this field must complete a minimum of 36 credits (maximum 52), 20 of which must be at the 300-level or above. All students must complete ENG 201 (4) The remaining 32 credits must include one course from each of the following five periods (20): pre-1500 (ENG 251, 366, 367, 368, 381, 478); 1500–1660 (ENG 251, 280, 382, 472, 479); 1660–1800 (ENG 241, 251, 345, 346, 374, 480, 482); 19th century (ENG 241, 242, 252, 347, 348, 376, 377, 448, 484, 486); 20th and 21st centuries (ENG 242; ENG/AAF 248; ENG 252, 348; ENG/AAF 362, 363, 364; ENG 317, 378, 379, 383, 387, 446, 447, 448, 469, 485, 488).

The remaining 12 credits may be fulfilled by taking any English course at the 200–400 level that have not been counted toward a period requirement.

2. Department of Modern and Classical Languages and Literatures

ADD: **CHN 320 Chinese News Media (3)**Survey of Chinese language news media including print, television and Internet. (Lec. 3) Pre: 306 or permission of instructor.

B. College of the Environment and Life Sciences

Department of Landscape Architecture

ADD: LAR 246 Digital Design Media for Landscape Architecture (1) Introduction to digital media software with emphasis on principles and practices within the profession of landscape architecture. (Lec. 1, Studio 2) Pre: 243

C. College of Human Science and Services

Department of Kinesiology

DELETE: The following courses:

- 1) KIN 115 Team Sports (0.5) [A-H]
- 2) KIN 130 Beginning Swimming (1)
- 3) KIN 172 Basic First Aid and CPR (0.5)
- 4) KIN 205 Intermediate Elective, Activity I (1)
- 5) KIN 215 Individual Sports (0.5) [E-H]
- 6) KIN 217 Field Experience in Physical Education, Health, and Recreation (1)
- 7) KIN 230 Intermediate Swimming (1)
- 8) KIN 263 Principles of Athletic Coaching (3)
- 9) KIN 342 Techniques of Officiating II (3)

‡For detailed explanation of English Department course changes see Appendix A. For a listing of English Department Courses see Appendix B1.

D. College of Pharmacy

Department of Pharmacy Practice

CHANGE: Credits for PHP 317H (Honors Section of PHP 317 Pharmacy Practice in Contemporary Health Care) to "3" and method of instruction to "(Lec. 1, Rec. 2)

- E. Alan Shawn Feinstein College of Continuing Education
 - **1. CHANGE: Name of the Bachelor of General Studies degree to "Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies."
 - 2. CHANGE: Course code for all BGS courses to "BIS."

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SECTION III

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

At the November 15, and December 13, 2010 meetings of the Curricular Affairs Committee and the December 13 meeting of the Graduate Council, the following matters were considered and are now presented to the Faculty Senate.

A. Informational Matters

- 1. College of Human Science and Services
 - a. School of Education

CHANGE: Prerequisite for the following courses:

- a) EDC 423 to read "Pre: acceptance into a teacher preparation program or teacher certification, and prior or concurrent enrollment in 312 or 512; or permission of instructor."
- b) EDC 485 to read "Pre: concurrent enrollment in 484 or permission of director. Not for graduate credit in education."
- b. Department of Textiles, Fashion Merchandising and Design

CHANGE: Prerequisite for TMD 442 to "Pre: 126, 232 and 332, or permission of the instructor."

^{**}May require approval by the RIBGH.

B. Curricular Matters Which Require Confirmation by the Faculty Senate

College of Arts and Sciences

- a. Department of English
 - *1) DELETE: ENG 499 Senior Seminar (3)
 - *2) CHANGE: Credits, description and method of instruction for ENG 493, 494:

493, 494 Internship in English (4)

Exploration of career goals and job opportunities. Participate in a variety of work situations, supervised by both faculty member and on-site personnel. 156 hours per 4 credits. (Practicum) Pre: 20 credits in English and permission of chairperson. May be taken for a total of 8 credits, only 4 of which may be used as credit toward the English major. Not for graduate credit. S/U only.

- ‡*3) CHANGE: Credits for all remaining 400-level ENG courses to "4", method of instruction to "(Lec. 3, Project 3)", and add "Not for graduate credit" to the description.
- b. Department of Modern and Classical Languages and Literatures

*ADD: The following new courses:

a) CHN 401 Topics on Chinese Culture and Civilization (3)
Students will study various topics on Chinese culture, society and civilization through selected readings and multi-media. (Lec. 3) Pre: 306 or permission of instructor. Not for graduate credit.

b) CHN 421 Modern Chinese Literature I (3)

Advanced literature course focusing on readings and discussions of major modern Chinese writers and their masterpieces from the end of the Imperial Era through the Chinese Civil War in 1949. (Lec. 3) Pre: 306 or permission of instructor. Not for graduate credit.

c) CHN 422 Modern Chinese Literature II (3)

Literary works of famous writers in contemporary China. Students will read and discuss representative literary selections from the start of the New China, through the Cultural Revolution to the present. (Lec. 3) Pre: 421 or permission of instructor. Not for graduate credit.

^{*}No Action by the Graduate Council. Not for graduate credit. ‡For detailed explanation of English Department course changes see Appendix A. For a listing of English Department Courses at the 400-level see Appendix B2.