

Consent Agenda for University Curriculum Committee meeting, November 4, 2009

[please look further on for Items **removed** from Consent Agenda; these will account for gaps in the numbering sequence]

All changes in course titles or numbers, and all amendments to proposals made during committee meetings, are noted in right-hand column. Unless amended, other revisions or changes (such as changes to prerequisites, description, credits, or cycling) are noted in the proposals themselves.

II. Minor Changes

At the request of the Economics Department, Provost Lovitt approved a one-time exception to offer ECON 498 in Spring 2010 for three credits instead of one, pending approval of this as a permanent change by the University Curriculum Committee (agenda item 8b).

III. Unfinished Business

A. Proposed course and program changes

History					Action taken
1a	Course Revision	SSCI	415	Social Studies Methods at the Secondary Level	[EDPS] Approved as proposed. [AS] Approved as proposed.
Management & Organization					
2a	Course Revision	IB	498	Seminar in International Business	[BUS] [May 6 round] Changed course designator and number to MGT 495 Changed prerequisites to: Senior standing or permission of instructor Changed description to: Advanced study of current trends in the global business environment. Emphasis will be on competitive advantage and a critical analysis of contemporary international business issues. Course content will vary from semester to semester. Reconfirmed I designation. [October 7 round] Graduate credit removed. [November 4 round] Approved the full committee's friendly recommendation to the

					department that it change the final sentence of the description to read: "May be taken under different topics for up to 6 credits."
Manufacturing & Construction Management					
3a	Program Revision			<u>Master of Science in Technology Management</u>	<p>[TECH] Approved addition of new technical strand, Computer Networking, to list of strands, with understanding that under Directed Electives, strands will be named without listing of courses, and that a new statement will be included in revised program description, explaining that strands will consist of 4 courses unless capstone Plan B is chosen, in which case there are 5.</p> <p>Approved pending online submission of revised program description. Submitted 10/15/09; link is to revised description.</p> <p>[GS] Approved, with amendment of program description to read [this is identical to revised program description now online]:</p> <p>b. Directed electives. These are graduate courses in technology at the 400 and 500 level, as approved by a faculty advisor. This allows the student flexibility to develop a specialization.</p> <p>Strands</p> <p>Some examples could include, but are not limited to:</p> <p>Lean Manufacturing and Six Sigma</p> <p>Supply Chain and Logistics</p> <p>Environmental and Occupational Safety</p> <p>Computer Networking</p> <p>Students selecting a strand will take four courses in that strand, five if the Plan B capstone is chosen.</p>

IV. New Business

A. Proposed course and program changes

Biology					Action taken
5a	Course Revision	BIO	200	General Biology III	[TECH] Approved with title change to “Integrative Biology.” [AS] Approved with amendment of description to read [removed comma in final sentence]: “Emphasis on integration of genetic concepts with ecology, evolution, and biodiversity. Includes DNA replication, gene expression, viruses, phylogeny, animal behavior, and population dynamics. Laboratories include biotechnology and field ecology research techniques. Three hours of lecture and one three-hour laboratory per week.”
5b	Course Revision	BIO	290	Biology Research Experience I	[AS] Approved as proposed.
5c	Program Revision			Major in Biology, B.S. (Non-Teaching)	[AS] Approved, with correction of credits under Biology Core to 15-20, and amendment of title of BIO 200 to “Integrative Biology” as per agenda item 5a.
5d	Program Revision			Major in Biology, B.S. (Certifiable for teaching grades 7-12)	[EDPS] Approved, with amendment of title of BIO 200 to “Integrative Biology” as per agenda item 5a, and change of credits from 31-34 to 32-34, as result of change in credits of BIO 290 from 1 to 2 as per agenda item 5b. [AS] Approved as passed out of EDPS, with correction of title of MATH 152 to “Calculus I.”
Counseling & Family Therapy					
6b	Program Revision			Master of Science in Counselor Education with specializations in: School Counseling	[GS] Approved as proposed. [EDPS] Approved as proposed (revision replaces ED 598 with CNSL 598).
Criminology &					

Criminal Justice					
7a	Course Revision	CRM	332	Criminal Law	[AS] Approved with change of number to CRM 365, title change to "Criminal Law and Legal Writing," and amendment of description to read: "Sources of criminal law, limitations of criminal laws, the elements of criminal law, criminal law and the Constitution, criminal defense, and criminal offenses. Fundamental principles of legal writing including memoranda and briefs."
7b	Course Addition	CRM	364	Criminal Justice Risk & Resilience	[AS] Approved with amendment of description to read: "Introduction to risk and protective factors related to juvenile crime; factors that encourage or discourage continued involvement in crime as adults (the life-course perspective); and prevention and treatment approaches."
Economics					
8a	Course revision	ECON	398	Topics in Economics [no link available]	[AS] Approved change of credits from 1 to 3, with amendment of prerequisites to read: "ECON 200 and 201, or permission of instructor," and amendment of last sentence of description to read: "Course may be repeated under different topics for up to 6 credits."
English					
9a	Course Revision	ENG	448	Studies in American Literature	[GS] Approved. [AS] Approved with deletion of final sentence of proposed description, so that amended description now reads: "Selected topics in American literature. Students may take this course under different topics for a maximum of 6 credits."
9b	Course Revision	ENG	458	Studies in British Literature	[GS] Approved. [AS] Approved with deletion of final sentence of proposed description, so that amended description now reads: "Selected

					topics in British literature. Students may take this course under different topics for a maximum of 6 credits.”
9c	Course Deletion	ENG	548	Advanced Studies in American Literature	[GS] Approved deletion of course. [AS] Approved deletion of course.
9d	Course Deletion	ENG	558	Advanced Studies in British Literature	[GS] Approved deletion of course. [AS] Approved deletion of course.
9e	Program Revision			BA., Journalism	[AS] Approved pending signature of chair of Communication Dept. [received 10/26/09] and revision of online program description for clarity [link is to this revised description].
Manufacturing & Construction Management					
10a	Course Revision	CM	135	Construction Quantity Take-Off	[TECH] Approved with title change to “Construction Graphics/Quantity Take-Off.”
10b	Course Revision	CM	355	Construction Planning	[TECH] Approved as proposed.
10d	Program Revision			Major in Construction Management, BS (79 credits)	[TECH] Approved as proposed, with amendment of title of CM 135 to “Construction Graphics/Quantity Take-Off” as per agenda item 10a.
Philosophy					
12a	Course Revision	PHIL	311	Global Justice [no link available]	[AS] Approved change of number to PHIL 211. [Correction: The department wishes to retain the International designation; the box was mistakenly left unchecked.]
12b	Program Revision			Major in Philosophy, B.A.	[AS] Approved as proposed (revised to include change in number of PHIL 311 to PHIL 211).
Teacher Education					
13a	Course Addition	EDTE	598	Introduction to Research in Education	[GS] Approved as proposed. [EDPS] Approved, with amendment of description to read: “Examination of basic

					concepts related to quantitative and qualitative research that helps educators develop knowledge and skills for interpreting and analyzing educational research.” [“on” replaced by “for”]
13d	Program Revision			Master of Science in Early Childhood Education [no link available]	[GS] Approved. [EDPS] Approved as proposed (revision replaces ED 598 with EDTE 598 as per agenda item 13a).
13e	Program Revision			Master of Science in Elementary Education [no link available]	[GS] Approved. [EDPS] Approved as proposed (revision replaces ED 598 with EDTE 598 as per agenda item 13a).
13f	Program Revision			Master of Science in Educational Foundations / Policy and Secondary Education Strands [no link available]	[GS] Approved. [EDPS] Approved as proposed (revision replaces ED 598 with EDTE 598 as per agenda item 13a).

Items removed from Consent Agenda

III. Unfinished business

A. Proposed course and program changes

Marketing					
4a	Course Revision	MKT	295	Fundamentals of Marketing	[BUS] Tabled. No department representative was present.

B. Other business [Main meeting]

At the Senate meeting of Monday, October 12, 2009, Senator Karpuk moved that the following resolution concerning discussion of the proposal to establish [d] designated courses, adopted at the October 7, 2009 main meeting of the University Curriculum Committee, be separated from the curriculum committee report and remanded back to the University Curriculum Committee for reconsideration. Senator Karpuk stated his intention to recommend to the committee that it

rescind the resolution, with the proviso that the committee is, clearly, at liberty to make its own decision. This motion to separate and remand the resolution was seconded and approved by majority vote of the Senate.

Resolution moved from the floor, seconded, and approved by the committee

The committee directs the chair to express on the Senate floor its concern about the manner and timing of objections to the proposal.

For specifics refer to minutes of October 7, 2009 main meeting of the University Curriculum Committee:

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IV. New business

A. Proposed course and program changes

Counseling & Family Therapy					
6a	Course Revision	CNSL	563	Medical Aspects of Rehabilitation Counseling [no link available]	[GS] Approved with further amendment of prerequisites to read: "Admission to the graduate program and CNSL 500, or permission of department chair." [EDPS] Approved with amendment of prerequisites to read: "Coreq.: CNSL 500."
Economics					
8b	Course revision	ECON	498	Advanced Topics in Economics [no link available]	[GS] Tabled. [AS] Approved change of credits from 1 to 3, with amendment of prerequisites to read: "ECON 200 and 201, or permission of instructor," and amendment of description to read: "Examination of advanced topics in economics which are not otherwise offered as part of the department's regular courses. Course may be repeated under different topics for up to 6 credits."
Manufacturing & Construction Management					
10c	Course	CM	455	Construction	[TECH] Approved pending

	Revision			Project Management	signature of Graduate Dean [received 10/15/09]. [GS] Approved, with amendment of prerequisites to read: "CM 255 and CM 355, admission to M.S. in Construction Management or Technology Management, or permission of department chair." [unclear if approved with handwritten corrections]
Modern Languages					
11a	Course Revision	ITAL	460	Advanced Written Italian	[GS] Tabled. No department representative was present. [AS] Tabled.
11b	Course Addition	ML	500	Studies in Modern Languages	[GS] Tabled. No department representative was present. [AS] Tabled.
Teacher Education					
13b	Program Deletion			SUMMER THROUGH SUMMER POST-BACCALAUREATE CERTIFICATION PROGRAM IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	[GS] Approved. [EDPS] Approved pending signature of SEPS Dean.
13c	Program Deletion			Summer through Summer Post-Baccalaureate Certification Program in Middle Level Education	[GS] Approved. [EDPS] Approved pending signature of SEPS Dean.

Links to shadow catalogs for reference purposes:

2011-13 Undergraduate Catalog: <http://www.ccsu.edu/page.cfm?p=3772>

2010-12 Graduate Catalog: <http://www.ccsu.edu/page.cfm?p=4378>