

Governance Actions

November 2009 - January 2010

The Curriculum

Program actions:

Anthropology - change requirements for the minor by deleting HUB 102 Intro to Human Biology and BIO 309 Evolutionary Biology and adding ANTHRO 214 Intro to Physical Anthropology and ANTHRO 307 Anthropological Theory, approved by SCD chair, Dean, AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

Art - ART 304 Figure Drawing replaces ART 373 in the Studio Art area of emphasis and is added to elective courses for the Art major and minor, approved by AVD chair, Dean, AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

Art - AVD/WOST 372 Women, Art and Image added to list of upper-level electives for Art History major and minor, approved by AVD chair, WOST chair, Dean, GEC (writing emphasis and Fine Arts), AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

Business Administration - change in requirements for International Business minor adding three Spanish courses (358 Latin American Culture, 360 Spain Today, and 361 Cultures of Spain) to a list of options for the language/culture requirement, approved by BUA chair, Modern Languages Executive Committee, Dean, AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

Environmental Policy and Planning - add PEA 324 Transitioning to Sustainable Communities to list of upper-level elective courses for the EPP minor, approved by PEA chair, Dean, AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

Environmental Science - add three courses (ENV SCI 301 Radioactivity, ENV SCI 499 Travel Course - Costa Rica, and ENV SCI 499 Travel Course - Panama) to electives list for major and minor, approved by NAS chair, Dean, AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

Global Studies - change requirements for the minor by adding SCD 351 Global Governance and Citizenship to the Global Democracy theme, ANTHRO 303 Political, Economic and Environmental Anthropology to the Global Human Security theme, and 3 courses (GEO 370 Geography of South America, HUS 360 Globalization and Cultural Conflict, and POL SCI 353 Politics of Developing Areas) to the Global Peoples theme, approved by Global Studies chair, Political Science chair, URS chair, HUS chair, SCD chair, Dean, AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

Human Development - changes in major requirements, approved by HUD, HUB, SCD chairs, Dean, AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010:

Required courses: HUD 210, 302, one of (Math 360 or Comm Sci 205), one of (Psych 417, 429, 438), one of (Anthro 304, 320, 340, Socio 302, 303, 308, 315), one of

(HUD 350, HUB 205, 206, 217, 324, NUT SCI 242, 250, 300, 302), HUD 331, 332, 343, one of (HUD 353, 345 or course in Personal Relationships if developed), one of (HUD 336, 342, 345, 346), one of (HUD 344, 350, 424, 443, 450, 497), and one elective.

Humanistic Studies - elimination of Linguistics/Teaching English as a Second Language area of emphasis, approved by HUS chair, AAC, and Dean, effective Fall 2010.

Humanistic Studies - change requirements for the Culture and Values area of emphasis in the minor, approved by HUS chair, ENG COMP director, Dean, AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010. Changes are: elimination of HUS 480 Humanities Seminar; addition of ENG COMP 105 Expository Writing; and reorganization of other requirements into three categories (early western perspectives, later western perspective, and non-western perspectives).

Humanistic Studies - change requirements in the Western Cultures area of emphasis so that only 3 credits of HUS 497 Internship may be used in fulfilling the requirements for the major and none for fulfilling requirements for the minor, approved by HUS chair, Dean, AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

Interdisciplinary Studies - establish Environmental Policy Studies as an area of emphasis for both the BA (53-54 credits) and BAS majors (29 credits), approved by IST chair, NAS chair, Dean, AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

Mathematics - change of requirements for major and minor eliminating MATH 355 Applied Mathematical Optimization from the available electives, approved by NAS chair, Dean, AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

Music - AVD 329 World Music is added to the upper-level requirements for the B.M. in Music Education for all certifications, approved by AVD chair, Dean, AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

Philosophy - change in supporting course requirements of major and minor to require either PHILOS 213 or 214 plus any two other lower level philosophy courses; identify upper level courses as either history or issues courses; change requirement in the major to two history courses, two issues courses, and four other courses of either type; change requirements in the minor to one history course, one issues course, and two other courses of either type - approved by HUS chair, AAC, Dean, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

Political Science - two courses (POL SCI 349 American Political Thought and POL SCI 406 State and Local Government) are added to the list of upper level options for the minor, approved by Political Science chair, SCD chair, Dean, AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

Psychology - add HUD 302 Developmental Research Methods to list of upper-level electives in the minor, approved by HUD chair, Dean, AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

Public Administration - add PEA 425 Fundraising and Marketing for Nonprofit Organizations to upper-level electives in PA minor, approved by PEA chair, Dean, AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

Urban and Regional Studies - change requirements for major and minor by eliminating COMM SCI 301 from the core and GEOG 342 from the list of electives, approved by URS chair, AAC, Dean, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

Women's and Gender Studies - add AVD/WOST 372 Women, Art and Image to list of upper level electives in the minor, approved by AVD chair, WOST chair, Dean, GEC (writing emphasis and Fine Arts), AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

Women's and Gender Studies - add WOST/FNS 360 Women and Gender in First Nations Communities is added to list of elective options in the minor, approved by WOST chair, HUS chair, Dean, AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

Course actions:

ANTHRO 307 Anthropological Theory - new course, approved by SCD chair, GEC (for writing emphasis and SS I), Dean, AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

ANTHRO 214 Introduction to Physical Anthropology - new course, approved by SCD chair, GEC (for SS II), Dean, AAC, and PRovost, effective Fall 2010.

ART 304 Figure Drawing - new course, approved by AVD chair, Dean, AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

ART 490 Contemporary Art - minor change in prerequisites, supported by chairs of HUS and WOST and approved by AVD chair and Dean, effective 2009.

AVD/WOST 372 Women, Art and Image - new course, approved by AVD chair, WOST chair, Dean, GEC (writing emphasis and Fine Arts), AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010

BIO 490 Biology Seminar - new course approved by Biology chair, Dean, AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010

ECON 305 Natural Resources Economics Policy - minor change in periodicity, approved by PEA chair and Dean.

ECON 402 Environmental and Resource Economics - minor change in periodicity, approved by PEA chair and Dean.

ENV SCI 467 Ecological and Environmental Methods - minor change in periodicity, approved by NAS chair and Dean, effective Spring 2010.

HIST 207 Roots of Black America - minor change in title to Introduction to African American History, approved by HUS chair and Dean.

HMONG 283X Intermediate Hmong Language - experimental course, approved by URS chair and Dean for Spring 2010.

HUS 360 Globalization and Cultural Conflict - a new course, approved by Global Studies chair, HUS chair, GEC (for writing emphasis and World Culture), Dean, AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

MATH 285 Geometry - minor change making course inactive, approved by NAS chair and Dean, effective Spring 2010.

MATH 450/650 Theory of Algorithms - minor change making course inactive, approved by NAS chair and Dean, effective Spring 2010 (does not affect cross-listed COM SCI 450/650).

MUSIC 353 Music History I - new course approved, approved by AVD chair, Dean, GEC (for writing emphasis), AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

MUSIC 354 Music History II - new course approved, approved by AVD chair, Dean, GEC (for writing emphasis), AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

NURSING 341 Theoretical Foundations in Nursing - minor change designating the course as writing emphasis, approved by NURSING chair, GEC, and LAS Dean.

PEA 390 Colloquium in Environmental Sustainability and Business - new 1 credit course (required by the Environmental Sustainability and Business Certificate), approved by PEA chair, LAS Dean, AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

PHIL 208 Science and Human Values - minor change in title to Biomedical Ethics, approved by HUS chair and Dean, effective Spring 2010.

PHIL 210 Philosophy of Culture - course is deleted, approved by HUS chair and Dean.

PHIL 214 Modern Philosophy - minor change in title to Early Modern Philosophy, approved by HUS chair and Dean.

PHIL 220 Environmental Ethics - a new course, approved by HUS chair, GEC (for Humanities III), Dean, AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

PHIL 323 Nineteenth Century Philosophy - minor change of title to Modern Philosophy, approved by HUS chair and Dean.

PHIL 301 Applied Theoretical Ethics - minor change of title to Ethical Theory, approved by HUS chair and Dean, effective Spring 2010.

PHIL 322 Aesthetics - course is deleted, approved by HUS chair and Dean, effective Spring 2010.

PHIL 483X Metaphysics - experimental course, approved by HUS chair, GEC (for writing emphasis), and Dean for offering Spring 2010.

PHIL 420 Metaphysics - new course, approved by HUS chair, GEC (for writing emphasis), Dean, AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

SCD 198 (Freshman Seminar) Reading the Times - new course, approved by SCD chair, GEC (for writing emphasis and SS I), Dean, AAC, and Provost, effective Fall 2010.

SOCW 250 You and Your Future: Living and Working in an Aging Society - new course, approved by SOCW chair, Dean, GEC (Soc Sci II), AAC, and Provost, effective Summer 2010.

WOST 372 Women, Art and Image (see AVD 372).

Personnel Practices

Code changes to chapter 3 and chapter 51 removing redundancies so that chapter 3 refers only to faculty personnel procedures and chapter 51 refers only to instructional academic staff personnel procedures, approved by Faculty Senate and awaiting further approvals. (This is a revision of changes approved by the Faculty Senate last year that did not receive all needed approvals.)

Governance Structures and Policies

no changes