

## **Governance Actions January - March 2009**

### **The Curriculum**

#### **Program actions:**

Economics - change major requirements by adding six Business Administration courses (BUS ADM 347 Financial Markets and Institutions, 442 Principles of Investment, 445 International Financial Management, 446 Advanced Corporation Finance, 447 Advanced Investments, and 450 Bank Administration) to the elective list and specifying that students may count up to three of these courses; same change to the minor with the specification that students may count only one of the BUS ADM courses; approved by the chairs of Economics and Business Administration and LAS Dean

English - changes in requirements for track in English Education so that students who do not take ENG 338 World Literatures may take either ENG 218 World Literatures I or ENG 219 World Literatures II plus an additional three credits upper-level elective course, approved by HUS chair, Dean, AAC, and Provost

Environmental Policy and Planning - change in major requirements eliminating COMM SCI 301 Foundation for Social Research Methods, approved by PEA chair, Dean, AAC, and Provost

Human Development - change to add HUD 302 (formerly 400) Developmental Research Methods to requirements for major, approved by HUD chair, Dean, AAC, and Provost

Interdisciplinary Studies (BA and BAS) - changes in program requirements (add IST 106 Adult Learning Seminar as a 2 credit supporting course; BUS ADM 215 and MATH 260 to satisfy the Math requirement; and ECON 307, PHILOS 301, and PHILOS 401 to satisfy the Critical Thinking requirement), approved by chairs of HUS, NAS, SCD, BUA, IST, Dean, and Provost

Interdisciplinary Studies (BAS) - change capstone requirement (IST 400 Capstone: Synthesis and Assessment of Learning) from 2 to 3 credits, approved by IST chair, Dean, AAC, and Provost

Philosophy - change major requirements by adding PHIL 401 Plato and Aristotle and dropping PHIL 406 Philosophical Problems in Cognitive Science, approved by HUS chair and Dean

Political Science - change in major requirements eliminating COMM SCI 301 Foundation for Social Research Methods, approved by PEA chair, Dean, AAC, and Provost

Public Administration - change in major requirements eliminating COMM SCI 301 Foundation for Social Research Methods, approved by PEA chair, Dean, AAC, and Provost

Urban and Regional Studies - change in supporting courses for major track in Community Development to replace ECON 202 Macro Economic Theory with ECON 203 Micro Economic Theory, approved by URS chair, Dean, AAC, and Provost

Women's Studies - change in the name of the minor to Women's and Gender Studies, approved by Women's Studies chair, Dean, AAC, and Provost

**Course actions:**

AVD 141 Introduction to theatre Arts - minor change adding a lab fee and extra meeting time, approved by AVD chair and Dean

BIO 202 Principles of Biology - minor change in prerequisites (score of at least 24 on ACT Science or grade of at least C in HUB 102 or BIO 203), approved by HUB chair, and Dean

BUS ADM 472 Seminar in Leadership - minor change setting enrollment limit at 20, approved by chair of Business and Dean

BUS ADM 483X International Human Resource Management - experimental course approved by chair of Business and Dean

COMM 390 Scientific and Technical Communication - minor change in title to ICS 390 Technical Communication, approved by ICS chair and Dean

COMM 483X Communication and Conflict Management Strategies - experimental course, approved by ICS chair and Dean.

HIST 337 Rise of Islamic Civilization - added to category 3 of History requirements for major/minor, approved by History chair and Dean

HIST 450 War and Civilization - added to category 2 of History requirements for major/minor, approved by History chair and Dean

HUB Human Genetics - minor change in prerequisites and course description, approved by HUB chair and Dean

HUD 400 Developmental Research Methods - minor change to renumber the course as HUD 302, approved by HUD chair, Dean, and AAC

HUS 483X Society, Politics and Economy in Spain - experimental summer travel course, approved by HUS chair and Dean

MUSIC 151 Materials and Values in Music I - minor change in title to Theory I, approved by AVD chair and Dean

MUSIC 152 Materials and Values in Music II - minor change in title to Theory II, approved by AVD chair and Dean

PHILOS 321 Professional Ethics and Problem Solving - minor change to inactive status, approved by HUS chair and Dean

PHILOS 483X Issues in Modern Thought - experimental course approved by HUS chair, GEC (for writing emphasis and HS III), and Dean

PHYS 404 Electricity and Magnetism - change in periodicity, approved by NAS chair and Dean

PHYS 417 Nuclear Physics and Radiochemistry - change in periodicity, approved by NAS chair and Dean

PHYS 418 Nuclear Physics and Radiochemistry Lab - course made inactive, approved by NAS chair and Dean

PHYS 420 Advanced Lab - change in periodicity, approved by NAS chair and Dean

POL SCI 198 Shifting Grounds: Russian and Eastern Europe Yesterday, Today, and Tomorrow - an experimental first-year seminar, approved by PEA chair and Dean

PSYCH 425 Advanced Physiological Psychology - moved to inactive status, approved by HUD chair and Dean

PSYCH 425 Psychology of Emotion - new course approved by HUD chair, Dean, AAC, and Provost

PSYCH 483X Psychology and Culture - experimental course, approved by HUD chair, GEC (for Other Culture credit), and Dean

SCD 198X Sex and the Supreme Court - experimental first-year seminar, approved by SCD chair, GEC (for SSII), and Dean

SCD/POL SCI 320 Constitutional Law - minor change in periodicity approved by chairs of Political Science and SCD and Dean

SCD/WOST 241 Introduction to Women's Studies - minor change in title (Introduction to Women's and Gender Studies) and course description, approved by SCD chair and Dean

## **Personnel Practices**

The Faculty Senate voted to eliminate UWGB Chapter 51 and combine its content with UWGB Chapter 3 with appropriate editing for redundancies and renumbering. The change was designed to make the Code clearer and more accessible without changing any policy or procedure.

## **Governance Structures and Policies**

No changes.