Rec. #2017-11-03 UNIVERSITY SENATE RECOMMENDATION TO THE PROVOST The University Senate recommends the two attached revisions (to CHEM 102 and MUS 327) from the Colonnade General Education Committee (CGEC).

## Proposal Date: 04/20/2017

# Ogden College of Science & Engineering Department of Chemistry Proposal to Suspend a Course (Consent Item)

Contact Person: Jeremy B. Maddox, jeremy.maddox@wku.edu, 5-8725

### 1. Identification of course:

- 1.1 Current course prefix (subject area) and number: CHEM 102
- 1.2 Course title: INTRODUCTION TO CHEMISTRY LABORATORY

### 2. Rationale for the course suspension:

The Chemistry Department does not intend to offer this course again. CHEM 101 provides Colonnade NS and NL credit, and enrollments in CHEM 102 are down to 3 to 8 students per semester.

### 3. Effect of course suspension on programs or other departments, if known:

None. Students may take CHEM 101 to satisfy Colonnade NS and NL credit.

### 4. Proposed term for implementation:

First available.

## 5. Dates of prior committee approvals:

Department of Chemistry Ogden College Curriculum Committee Colonnade Committee Undergraduate Curriculum Committee University Senate 05/10/2017

09/07/2017

10/03/2017

Format effective May 2013

# Potter College of Arts and Letters Department of Music Proposal to Revise Course Prerequisites/Corequisites (Consent Item)

Contact Person: Name, email, phone: Mary Wolinski, mary.wolinski@wku.edu, 745-5059

## 1. Identification of course:

- 1.1 Course prefix (subject area) and number: MUS 327
- 1.2 Course title: Music History II

## 2. Current prerequisites/corequisites/special requirements: none

**3. Proposed prerequisites/corequisites/special requirements:** Prerequisite: MUS 120 or instructor permission required

4. Rationale for the revision of prerequisites/corequisites/special requirements: MUS 327 is a Colonnade Connections course that looks in depth at music of the eighteenth through twentieth centuries and presupposes a basic familiarity with classical music. The course has been offered as a Connections Course, without any prerequisites, since spring 2015 and the department has found that students who do not have a foundational background in music and music history are not as successful in the course. MUS 120, which is a Colonnade Explorations course, introduces general students to classical music through a survey of music from early to modern times, active listening development, concert etiquette, and event reviews. Therefore, MUS 120 provides the foundation for successfully completing MUS 327.

## 5. Effect on completion of major/minor sequence: not applicable

## 6. **Proposed term for implementation:** Fall 2017

## 7. Dates of prior committee approvals:

Department/ Unit College Curriculum Committee Professional Education Council (if applicable) General Education Committee (if applicable) Undergraduate Curriculum Committee University Senate <u>March 31, 2017</u> September 8, 2017 October 3, 2017