**UNDERGRADUATE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE**

**ACADEMIC AFFAIRS CONFERENCE ROOM**

**February 24, 2011**

**Vice Chair Ashley Chance-Fox called the meeting to order at 3:45 P.M.**

**Members present were: Micah Bennett\*, Lauren Bland\*, Ashley Chance-Fox\*, Freida Eggleton, Andy Ernest, Sylvia Gaiko, Dennis George, Heather Johnson\*, Molly Kerby\*, Joan Krenzin, Marge Maxwell\*, Andrew McMichael, Brent Oglesbee\*, Retta Poe, Zubair Mohamed for Bob Reber, Francesca Sunkin\*, Carol Watwood\*, Kate Webb\*, John White\*, Dennis Wilson\*, Maribeth Wilson\*, Mikhail Khenner for Di Wu\*, Doug Smith for Matt Pruitt.**

**\*Indicates voting members**

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Vice Chair Chance-Fox asked if there were any corrections/additions to the minutes of January 27, 2011. They were approved as presented.

**OLD BUSINESS**

**Steering Subcommittee Report**

Molly Kerby reported that the Steering Committee had no report for this meeting.

**Academic Policy Subcommittee Report**

Marge Maxwell reported that the subcommittee met on February 7th and had a subsequent meeting on February 14th. The subcommittee discussed during its meetings the two academic policy revisions that were submitted for approval in New Business section of this meeting as well as the proposal dealing with the waivers of upper level courses. The subcommittee reviewed data and then composed a new policy to bring forward to the UCC, however, Maxwell stated that the subcommittee decided against bringing it forward because it would require only “one” reading and they felt there should be more discussion. The subcommittee decided to bring forward a handout on programs that currently have upper level course waivers in place and to open the floor for discussion. Discussion occurred about the upper level waivers and comments were noted. Maxwell announced that there would be a campus forum to discuss the proposal on waivers for upper level courses on March 22nd at 3:00 pm with location still to be determined. She invited everyone to attend and said that following the campus forum the subcommittee would reconvene and decide the next steps to take.

**NEW BUSINESS**

Freida Eggleton presented proposals to revise two academic policies.

John White moved approval of the following **Academic Policy Revision:**

Identification of proposed policy revision:Cease retention of the incomplete designation (X) on the transcript after the final grade has been issued

Catalog statement of existing policy:The grade “X” will continue to appear as the initial grade on the student’s transcript, along with the revised grade.

Catalog statement of proposed policy:None. (Delete the policy.)

Rationale for proposed policy revision:The current policy, approved in 1997, was initiated by graduate faculty who were concerned students were abusing the option to end the semester with incomplete grades and thus take more time to complete their courses. There was a desire for the transcript to reflect the student did not complete the course on a timely basis; therefore, a student’s course that was initially assigned an incomplete (X) that was subsequently completed now shows on the transcript as X/grade (i.e. X/B). This notation appears on the transcript regardless of the reason for the incomplete, and students with legitimate extenuating circumstances for needing more time to complete their course(s) may inappropriately be viewed as delinquent by prospective employers or graduate/professional school admission staff. A review of the public universities in Kentucky and WKU’s benchmark institutions found that only one other Kentucky university, Kentucky State University, and one benchmark university, Stephen F. Austin University (TX) retained the incomplete grade on the transcript.

Implementation: Spring 2011

The motion was seconded by Dennis Wilson. The motion carried.

John White moved approval of the following **Academic Policy Revision:**

Identification of proposed policy revision**:**

* Increase the number of residence hours from 54 to 60 to qualify for Scholar of the College
* Clarify that the Scholar of the College award is presented to recipients of first baccalaureate degrees only
* Delete reference to “one student”

Catalog statement of existing policy:

Scholar of the College—At commencement, on the basis of the total cumulative overall grade point average and a minimum of 54 semester hours earned in residence at WKU, one student from each undergraduate college is designated “Scholar of the College.”

Catalog statement of proposed policy:

Scholar of the College **–** This award is presented at commencement to the baccalaureate degree recipient in each college with the highest overall cumulative grade point who has earned a minimum of 60 semester hours in residence. The Scholar of the College award is presented to recipients of first baccalaureate degrees only.

Rationale for proposed policy revision:Increasing the number of hours from 54 to 60 places the requirement at half of the minimum number of hours required for a baccalaureate degree. The reference to “one student from each undergraduate college” needs to be deleted since it is not uncommon to have multiple ties for the highest GPA. Clarification is needed that Scholar of the College is awarded to recipients of first baccalaureate degrees only, since second degrees can be earned with a minimum of only 30 hours.

Impact of proposed policy revision on existing academic or non-academic policies:

College Scholars are eligible to apply for the Ogden Foundation Scholar Award. Therefore, the number of residence hours referenced in the Ogden Award policy needs to be changed from 54 to 60.

Implementation:Fall 2011

The motion was seconded by Dennis Wilson. The motion carried.

**REPORT FROM THE COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES CURRICULUM COMMITTEE**

**Consent Agenda**

John White moved approval of the following **Consent Items:**

**Consumer and Family Sciences Department:**

**Revise Catalog Course Listing:**

Course Title: DMT 120 Design Studio I

Current Listing : Introduction to the fundamentals of visual design and techniques of

representation.

Proposed Listing: Introduction to the fundamentals of visual design and techniques of

representation through exploration of the fundamentals of design, research

and conceptual sketching.

Implementation: Fall 2011

**Nursing Department:**

**Program Deletion:**

Program Title: School Nurse Certification

Reference Number: 160

Implementation: Spring 2012

The motion was seconded by Carol Watwood. The motion carried.

**Action Agenda**

Molly Kerby moved approval of the following **program revisions from the Department of Kinesiology, Recreation and Sport:**

Program Title: Minor in Tourism

Reference Number: 445

Identification: In the Required Courses for the Tourism Minor, the only change is a

substitution of REC 493 for REC 490.

In the Restricted Electives for the Tourism Minor, the only change is a

substitution of REC 306 Program Planning for REC 322 Recreation Activity Facilitation.

In the program description, the changes clarify the requirements, list the

new required and restricted electives, and remove old department/program

names. (editorial changes were made in meeting to proposed program

description – change Consumer and Family Sciences to Family and

Consumer Sciences)

Effective Catalog Year: Fall 2011

The motion was seconded by John White. The motion carried.

John White moved approval of the following **program revisions from the Department of Consumer and Family Sciences**

Program Title: Design, Merchandising & Textiles: Interior Design

Reference Number: 536

Identification: Elimination of DMT 110 (note was made during meeting that this was

because of duplication of content), replace AMS 163 with DMT 222,

addition of DMT 427

Effective Catalog Year: Fall 2011

The motion was seconded by Carol Watwood. The motion carried.

**REPORT FROM THE POTTER COLLEGE OF ARTS AND LETTERS CURRICULUM COMMITTEE**

**Consent Agenda**

John White moved approval of the following **Consent Items:**

**Journalism and Broadcasting Department:**

**Revise Course Prerequisites:**

Course Title: BCOM 365 Intermediate Broadcast News

Current Prereq: BCOM 265

Proposed Prereq: BCOM 335

Implementation: Fall 2011

**Revise Catalog Course Listing:**

Course Title: BCOM 480 Advanced Post Production

Current Listing: Utilizing outside production houses, this course surveys the modern post

production process. Computer editing, digital video effects and post audio

processing are all covered in a hands-on environment. (lab free)

Proposed Listing: Advanced instruction in post-production techniques and technologies.

Focuses include non-linear editing, advanced visual effects and

compositing, DVD authoring, encoding for mobile applications, and web

video and animation. (lab fee)

Implementation: Fall 2011

The motion was seconded by Brent Oglesbee. The motion carried.

**Action Agenda**

John White moved approval of the following **new courses from the Department of Journalism and Broadcasting:**

Course Title: JOUR 154 New Media Literacy: Explorations in Participatory Culture

Credit Hours: 3

Prereq/Coreq: None

Listing: Develops a framework to access, analyze, evaluate, create and interact

with messages in a variety of digital forms, including social media.

Restricted to majors/minors outside the School of Journalism &

Broadcasting.

Implementation: Fall 2011

Course Title: JOUR 439 Advanced Studio Lighting Techniques (editorial changes were made in meeting to course number)

Credit Hours: 3

Prereq/Coreq: JOUR 333

Listing: Advanced lighting techniques for studio photography.  Techniques applied

to portrait and still-life assignments. Advanced interviewing techniques

for portrait work. The business of a working studio will be explored. Final

project includes a portfolio and business plan. Off campus travel required.

(lab fee).

Implementation: Spring 2012

The motion was seconded by Brent Oglesbee. The motion carried.

John White moved approval of the following **new courses from the Department of Journalism and Broadcasting:**

Course Title: FILM 369 Introduction to World Cinema

Credit Hours: 3

Prereq/Coreq: FILM 201 or permission of instructor

Listing: Examines cinema in several regions including China, India, Europe,

Middle East, Africa, and Latin America. Viewing of representative films

accompanied by background readings on history/culture.

Implementation: Fall 2011

Course Title: FILM 399 Special Topics in Film

Credit Hours: 3

Prereq/Coreq: None

Listing: A detailed study of special topics in Film.

Implementation: Fall 2011

The motion was seconded by Molly Kerby. The motion carried.

John White moved approval of the following **program revisions from the Department of Journalism and Broadcasting:**

Program Title: Major in Film

Reference Number: 667

Identification: Add elective: BCOM 378 Film Animation; Add elective: FILM 369

Introduction to World Cinema; Add elective: FILM 399 Special Topics in

Film

Effective Catalog Year: Fall 2011(editorial changes were made to eliminate the backdated year)

The motion was seconded by Molly Kerby. The motion carried

Carol Watwood moved approval of the following **program revisions from the Department of Journalism and Broadcasting:**

Program Title: Major in Photojournalism

Reference Number: 750

Identification: Add JOUR 438 Advanced Studio Lighting to the restricted elective course

list

Effective Catalog Year: Fall 2011(editorial changes were made to eliminate the backdated

years)

The motion was seconded by John White. The motion carried.

**REPORT FROM THE GORDON FORD COLLEGE OF BUSINESS CURRICULUM COMMITTEE**

**Consent Agenda**

Maribeth Wilson moved approval of the following **Consent Item:**

**Department of Management:**

**Revise Course Prerequisites:**

Course Title: MGT 316 International Management

Current Prereq: MGT 210

Proposed Prereq: MGT 303 or by instructor’s approval

Implementation: Fall 2011

The motion was seconded by Carol Watwood. The motion carried.

**Action Agenda**

John White moved approval of the following **new course from the Department of Management:**

Course Title: MGT 390 Value Creation in Emerging Markets

Credit Hours: 3

Prereq/Coreq: Junior standing

Listing: Examination of techniques for competing in emerging markets.

Implementation: Fall 2011

The motion was seconded by Maribeth Wilson. The motion carried.

Molly Kerby moved approval of the following **program revisions from the Department of Management:**

Program Title: Major in International Business

Reference Number: 569

Identification: Adding ENT 425, MGT 390, and MKT 491 to the list of approved

International Business electives.

Effective Catalog Year: Fall 2011

The motion was seconded by Carol Watwood. The motion carried.

**REPORT FROM THE OGDEN COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING CURRICULUM COMMITTEE**

**Consent Agenda**

Carol Watwood moved approval of the following **Consent Items:**

**Mathematics and Computer Science Department:**

**Revise Course Number:**

Course Title: CS 230 Introduction to Programming

Proposed Course Number: CS 146

Implementation: Fall 2011

**Revise Course Prerequisites:**

Course Title: CS 181 Computer Science II

Current Prereq: CS 180 with a grade of C or better, and eligibility to enroll in a

calculus course based on criteria developed by the Department of

Mathematics and Computer Science

Proposed Prereq: PHIL 215 and CS 180 with grades of C or better, and eligibility to enroll

in a calculus course based on criteria developed by the Department of Mathematics and Computer Science.

Implementation: Spring 2012

Course Title: CS 270 Introduction to Web Programming

Current Prereq: CS 230 or CS 180

Proposed Prereq: CS 146, or CS 170, or CS 180

Implementation: Fall 2011

Course Title: CS 360 Software Engineering I

Current Prereq: A grade of C or better in CS 181, ENG 307 and either COMM 161 or

COMM 145

Proposed Prereq: A grade of C or better in CS 181

Implementation: Fall 2011

Course Title: CS 396 Intermediate Software Project

Current Prereq: CS 251

Proposed Prereq: A grade of C or better in CS 251, ENG 307, and either COMM 161 or

COMM 145

Implementation: Fall 2011

Course Title: CS 425 Operating Systems I

Current Prereq: CS 325, CS 360

Proposed Prereq: A grade of C or better in CS 325 and CS 382

Implementation: Fall 2011

**Engineering Department:**

**Revise Course Prerequisites:**

Course Title: CE 341 UK-Fluid Thermal Science

Current Prereq: MATH 137 and EM 221 or 222

Proposed Prereq: MATH 137 and EM 221 or 222, and major status in civil engineering

Implementation: Fall 2011

Course Title: CE 342 WKU-Fluid Thermal Science

Current Prereq: MATH 137 and EM 221 or 222

Proposed Prereq: MATH 137 and EM 221 or 222, and major status in civil engineering

Implementation: Fall 2011

The motion was seconded by Molly Kerby. The motion carried.

**Action Agenda**

Carol Watwood moved approval of the following **new program from the Department of Architectural and Manufacturing Sciences:**

Program Title: Certificate in Drinking Water Operations

Required Hours: 24

Special Information: This program is intended for students wishing to pursue a career in

drinking water operations, without completing an associate degree.

Catalog description: This 24-hour Certificate Program in Drinking Water Operations is intended

for students wishing to pursue a career in drinking water operations

without completing an associate degree. The courses needed to fulfill the

requirements for this certificate are WTTI 200, WTTI 210, WTTI 212,

WTTI 220, WTTI 222, WTTI 226, WTTI 230, and AMS 367.

Implementation: Fall 2011

The motion was seconded by John White. The motion carried.

Carol Watwood moved approval of the following **new course from the Department of Agriculture:**

Program Title: AGRI 315 Water in Food Production

Credit Hours: 3

Prereq/Coreq: Junior standing with a minimum of 12 hours of agriculture or other

sciences, or combination thereof. (editorial change made in meeting to add

junior standing)

Listing: A study of the role of water in food production, including

availability and distribution, economics, droughts and floods, pollution,

waste disposal, sustainability, political rights and regulations, and ethics.

Implementation: Fall 2011

The motion was seconded by Maribeth Wilson. The motion carried.

Kate Webb moved approval of the following **multiple** **course revisions from the Department of Biology:**

Program Title: BIOL 485 Field Biology

Credit Hours: 3

Current Listing: An intensive field experience on a specific biological topic, consisting of a

two-week trip to a geographical area of biological interest proceeded by a

four-day introductory session and followed by a one-day evaluation

session (course fee)

Proposed Listing: An intensive field experience on a specific biological or ecological topic.

(course fee)

Current Credit Hours: 3

Proposed Credit Hours: 1-4

Implementation: Fall 2011

The motion was seconded by Maribeth Wilson. The motion carried.

Kate Webb moved approval of the following **multiple** **course revisions from the Department of Mathematics and Computer Science:**

Program Title: CS 442 Data Structures and Algorithm Analysis

Credit Hours: 3

Current Course Number: CS 442

Proposed Course Number: CS 380

Current Prereq: CS 280

Proposed Prereq: A grade of C or better in CS 280 and STAT 301

Implementation: Fall 2011

The motion was seconded by Maribeth Wilson. The motion carried.

John White moved approval of the following **multiple** **course revisions from the Department of Mathematics and Computer Science:**

Program Title: CS 444 Programming Languages

Credit Hours: 3

Current Course Number: CS 444

Proposed Course Number: CS 382

Current Prereq: A grade of C or better in CS 241 or CS 181 and a prerequisite or

corequisite of ENG 307 and a prerequisite or corequisite of COMM 161 or

COMM 145.

Proposed Prereq: A grade of C or better in CS 181.

Current Listing: A survey of procedure-oriented and special-purpose languages.

Emphasis on the syntactic and semantic structures present in these

languages. Introduction to the principles of compilers.

Proposed Listing: A study of principles and common features of imperative and functional

programming languages. Topics include syntax, semantics, names,

binding, type checking, scope, overloading, and data abstraction.

Implementation: Fall 2011

The motion was seconded by Carol Watwood. The motion carried.

Carol Watwood moved approval of the following **program revisions from the Department of Biology:**

Program Title: Minor in Biology

Reference Number: 326

Identification: Limiting the number of credits earned in BIOL 369/399 and in BIOL 485

that can be counted towards this minor.

Current Description: The minor in biology (reference number 326) requires a minimum of 24

semester hours in biology with 12 hours at the 300 or higher level. The

required courses are BIOL 120-121 and BIOL 122-123. Students, with the

aid of their advisor, select additional biology courses to complete the

minor.

Proposed Description: The minor in biology (reference number 326) requires a minimum of 24

semester hours in biology with 12 hours at the 300 or higher level. The

required courses are BIOL 120-121 and BIOL 122-123 Students, with the

aid of their advisor, select additional biology courses to complete the

minor. **Students may** **count up to 3 credit hours of a combination of**

**BIOL 369 and** **399 and up to 4 credit hours of BIOL 485 toward this**

**minor.**

Effective Catalog Year: Fall 2011

The motion was seconded by Maribeth Wilson. The motion carried.

Carol Watwood moved approval of the following **program revisions from the Department of Biology:**

Program Title: Major in Biology (without a minor)

Reference Number: 525

Identification: Addition of new supporting course options in agronomy. Limiting the

number of credits earned in BIOL 485 that can be counted towards this

major.

Current Description: The option for a major in biology (reference number 525) requires a

minimum of 48 hours in biology with 24 hours at the 300 level or higher. No minor is required. Several areas of emphasis are available including ecology and evolutionary biology, molecular and cellular biology, plant biology, animal biology and microbiology. All students are required to complete BIOL 120-121 and BIOL 122-123, and at least one course from each of the following three groups: (A) BIOL 222-223 or BIOL 224-225 or BIOL 226-227 (B) BIOL 319 & 322 or BIOL 327 (C) BIOL 315 or BIOL 430. Students, with the aid of their advisor, select additional 300- and 400-level courses to focus their studies on specific areas within biology. Because an understanding of the principles of mathematics, physics and chemistry is essential to the study of biology, majors are required to complete supporting courses as follows: (1) MATH 116 & 117 or MATH 118 or higher, (2) PHYS 231-232 or 255-256, (3) CHEM 120-121, and (4) two courses from the following list: BIOL 283, CHEM 222-223, CHEM 314 or CHEM 340-341, CHEM 330, CIS 343, CIS 226 or CS 226 or CS 230, GEOG 317, GEOG 328, GEOG 416, GEOG 417, MATH 136, MATH 137, MATH 142, MATH 305, MATH 307, PHYS 332-233 or PHYS 265-266, SOCL 302. Students may count a maximum of 6 credit hours of BIOL 369, 389, or 399 toward this major.

Proposed Description: The option for a major in biology (reference number 525) requires a minimum of 48 hours in biology with 24 hours at the 300 level or higher. No minor is required. Several areas of emphasis are available including ecology and evolutionary biology, molecular and cellular biology, plant biology, animal biology and microbiology. All students are required to complete BIOL 120-121 and BIOL 122-123, and at least one course from each of the following three groups: (A) BIOL 222-223 or BIOL 224-225 or BIOL 226-227 (B) BIOL 319 & 322 or BIOL 327 (C) BIOL 315 or BIOL 430. Students, with the aid of their advisor, select additional 300- and 400-level courses to focus their studies on specific areas within biology. Because an understanding of the principles of mathematics, physics and chemistry is essential to the study of biology, majors are required to complete supporting courses as follows: (1) MATH 116 & 117 or MATH 118 or higher, (2) PHYS 231-232 or 255-256, (3) CHEM 120-121, and (4) two courses from the following list: **AGRO 350 and AGRO 452 or AGRO 454 or AGRO 455/456 or AGRO 457/458,** BIOL 283, CHEM 222-223, CHEM 314 or CHEM 340-341, CHEM 330, CIS 343, CIS 226 or CS 226 or CS 230, GEOG 317, GEOG 328, GEOG 416, GEOG 417,MATH 227, MATH 305, MATH 307, PHYS 332-233. Students may count **up to** 6 credit hours of BIOL 369, 389, or 399 **and up to 6 credit hours of BIOL 485** toward this major.

Effective Catalog Year: Fall 2011

Program Title: Major in Biology (with a minor)

Reference Number: 617

Identification: Addition of new supporting course options in agronomy. Limiting the

number of credits earned in BIOL 485 that can be counted towards this

major.

Current Description: This option for a major in biology (reference number 617) requires a

minimum of 36 hours in biology with 18 hours at the 300 level or higher

plus the requirements of a minor area. The major-minor area must be at

least 54 semester hours. All students are required to complete BIOL 120

121 and BIOL 122-123, and at least one course from each of the following

three groups: (A) BIOL 222-223 or BIOL 224-225 or BIOL 226-227 (B)

BIOL 319 & 322 or BIOL 327 (C) BIOL 315 or BIOL 430. Students with

the aid of their advisor, select additional 300- and 400-level courses to

focus their studies on specific areas within biology. Because an

understanding of the principles of mathematics, physics and chemistry is

essential to the study of biology, majors are required to complete

supporting courses as follows: (1) MATH 116 & 117 or MATH 118 or

higher, (2) PHYS 231-232 or 255-256, (3) CHEM 120-121, and (4) two

courses from the following list: BIOL 283, CHEM 222-223, CHEM 314

or CHEM 340-341, CHEM 330, CIS 343, CIS 226 or CS 226 or CS 230,

GEOG 317, GEOG 328, GEOG 416, GEOG 417, MATH 136, MATH

137, MATH 142, MATH 305, MATH 307, PHYS 332-233 or PHYS 265

266, SOCL 302. Students may count a maximum of 3 credit hours of

BIOL 369, 389, or 399 toward this major.

Proposed Description: This option for a major in biology (reference number 617) requires a

minimum of 36 hours in biology with 18 hours at the 300 level or higher

plus the requirements of a minor area. The major-minor area must be at

least 54 semester hours. All students are required to complete BIOL 120

121 and BIOL 122-123, and at least one course from each of the following

three groups: (A) BIOL 222-223 or BIOL 224-225 or BIOL 226-227 (B)

BIOL 319 & 322 or BIOL 327 (C) BIOL 315 or BIOL 430. Students with

the aid of their advisor, select additional 300- and 400-level courses to

focus their studies on specific areas within biology. Because an

understanding of the principles of mathematics, physics and chemistry is

essential to the study of biology, majors are required to complete

supporting courses as follows: (1) MATH 116 & 117 or MATH 118 or

higher, (2) PHYS 231-232 or 255-256, (3) CHEM 120-121, and (4) two

courses from the following list: **AGRO 350 and AGRO 452 or AGRO**

**454 or AGRO 455/456 or AGRO 457/458,** BIOL 283, CHEM 222-223,

CHEM 314 or CHEM 340-341, CHEM 330, CIS 343, CIS 226 or CS 226

or CS 230, GEOG 317, GEOG 328, GEOG 416, GEOG 417, MATH 136,

MATH 137, MATH 142, MATH 305, MATH 307, PHYS 332-233 or

PHYS 265-266, SOCL 302. Students may count **up to** 3 credit hours of

BIOL 369, 389, or 399 **and up to 4 credit hours of BIOL 485** toward this

major.

Effective Catalog Year: Fall 2011

The motion was seconded by Maribeth Wilson. The motion carried.

John White moved approval of the following **program revisions from the Department of Engineering:**

Program Title: Civil Engineering-Prep

Reference Number: 534P

Identification: Remove the following courses from the pre-major:

**Course Course Title Credit Hours**

CE 175 Freshman Experience 2

HIST 119 or 120 Western Civilization 3

GEOL 111 and 113 The Earth and Lab 3/1

Add the following courses to the pre-major:

**Course Course Title Credit Hours**

CE 176 Civil Engineering Freshman Design 1

EM 221 or 222 Statics 3

Change the following: Students must complete the following courses with a minimum GPA of 2.5 in these courses and a grade of “C” or better. If the GPA is less than 2.5 but greater than 2.25, the student may file an appeal.

**Course Course Title Credit Hours**

CE 175 Freshman Experience 2

AMS 163 Architectural Drafting 3

HIST 119 or 120 Western Civilization 3

GEOL 111 and 113 The Earth and Lab 3

MATH 136 Calculus I 4

MATH 137 Calculus II 4

CE 160 and 161 Principles of Surveying and Lab 3/1

ENG 100 Freshman English 3

PHYS 255 and 256 University Physics I and Lab 4/1

COMM 145 or 161 Public /Bus. & Prof. Speaking 3

CHEM 120 and 121 College Chemistry I and Lab 4/1

**Total hours = 40**

To the following: Students must complete each of the following courses and labs with a grade of “C” or better.

**Course Course Title Credit Hours**

CE 176 Civil Engineering Freshman Design 1

AMS 163 Architectural Drafting 3

MATH 136 Calculus I 4

MATH 137 Calculus II 4

CE 160 and 161 Principles of Surveying and Lab 3/1

ENG 100 Freshman English 3

PHYS 255 and 256 University Physics I and Lab 4/1

EM 221 or 222 Statics 3

COMM 145 or 161 Business or Professional Speaking 3

CHEM 120 and 121 College Chemistry I and Lab 4/1

**Total hours = 35**

Change number of credit hours from 40 to 35.

Effective Catalog Year: Fall 2011

The motion was seconded by Carol Watwood. The motion carried.

*NOTE: Approval to revise a program for the Minor in Computer Science (#341) was postponed until March because the official proposal was not included in the UCC packet.*

John White moved approval of the following **program revisions from the Department of Mathematics and Computer Science:**

Program Title: Major in Computer Science

Reference Number: 629

Identification: Renumbering of CS courses: 230 🡪 146, 338 🡪 280, 442 🡪 380, 444 🡪

382**;** changes in required CS courses and required credit hours in CS:

remove CS 250, 225; add CS 251, 396, 496**;** add STAT 301 and PHIL 215

to list of required courses**;** changes to mathematics and science

requirements in the System/Scientific Option; change in the required

number of elective credit hours

Effective Catalog Year: Fall 2011

The motion was seconded by Carol Watwood. The motion carried.

**REPORT FROM THE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE**

**Consent Agenda**

John White moved approval of the following **Consent Items:**

**Commonwealth School Health Sciences Division:**

**Revise Course Prerequisites**

Course Title: NUR 104C Calculations for Nursing

Credit Hours: 1

Current Prereq: Prerequisites: Admission to the nursing program; Corequisites: NUR

105C, NUR 106C; Pre or Corequisites: PSY 199/PSYC 199C, BIOL

131/BIO 131C

Proposed Prereq: Prerequisites: Admission to the nursing program; Corequisites: None;

Pre or Corequisites: None

Implementation: Fall 2011

Course Title: NUR 105C Fundamentals of Nursing

Credit Hours: 6.5

Current Prereq: Prerequisites: Admission to the nursing program; Corequisites: NUR

104C, NUR 106C; Pre or Corequisites: PSY 199/PSYC 199C, BIOL 131/BIO 131C

Proposed Prereq: Prerequisites: Admission to the nursing program; Corequisites: NUR

106C; Pre or Corequisites: NUR 104C, PSY 199/PSYC 199C, BIOL 131/BIO 131C

Implementation: Fall 2011

Course Title: NUR 106C Fundamentals of Nursing Clinical

Credit Hours: 1.5

Current Prereq: Prerequisites: Admission to the nursing program; Corequisites: NUR

105C; Pre or Corequisites: NUR 104C, PSY 199/PSYC 199C, BIOL

131/BIO 131C

Proposed Prereq: Prerequisites: Admission to the nursing program; Corequisites: (None); Pre or Corequisites: NUR 104C, NUR 105C, PSY 199/PSYC 199C, BIOL 131/BIO 131C

Implementation: Fall 2011

The motion was seconded by Brent Oglesbee. The motion carried.

**Action Agenda**

John White moved approval of the following **course prerequisite revisions from the Honors College:**

Course Title: HON 404 Honors Thesis/Project II

Required Hours: 1-3

Current Prereq: Honors students in the Thesis Option must have a thesis proposal

approved by the Honors College prior to enrolling in HON 403 or 404.

Proposed Prereq: The Honors College proposes that HON 403: Honors Thesis/Project I be a

prerequisite for enrolling in HON 404: Honors Thesis/Project II

Implementation: Fall 2011

The motion was seconded by Carol Watwood. The motion carried.

John White moved approval of the following **program revisions from the Honors College:**

Program Title: Honors College

Reference Number: N/A

Identification: The course HON 251: Citizen and Self will be taught for the first time in

Fall ’11. The Honors College proposes to make HON 251 a required

course for all students enrolling in the Honors College as of Fall 2011 or

after.

Currently, all Honors College students are required to earn three hours of

Honors Colloquium credit (HON 300). HON 300 does not have any

perquisites and serves as a general interdisciplinary course for Honors

students. We propose that HON 251 also satisfy the Honors Colloquium

requirement for all Honors students. Students who are enrolled in the

Honors College prior to Fall 2011 may elect to enroll in HON 251 to

satisfy their Honors Colloquium requirement, but they are not required to

take the course. Equally, students who enroll in the Honors College in

Fall 2011 or after may enroll in an Honors Colloquium to earn upper

division Honors elective credit.

Effective Catalog Year: Fall 2011

The motion was seconded by Carol Watwood. The motion carried.

Brent Oglesbee moved approval of the following **program revisions from the Honors College:**

Program Title: Area of studies in Honors, BS

Reference Number: 310, 512, 513, 610, 611 (editorial changes were made in meeting to add

reference number 310 because it was not on original proposal)

Identification: The Honors College proposes to change the name of the “Area Studies in

Honors” program to “Honors Self-Designed Studies.”

Effective Catalog Year: Fall 2011

The motion was seconded by John White. The motion carried

There being no further business the meeting adjourned at 5:20 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

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Pam Petty, Chair Freida Eggleton, Registrar Sylvia Gaiko,AVPAA

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Alecea Davis Hawkins, Recorder