

Armstrong

MEMORANDUM

To: University Curriculum Committee
From: Phyllis Fulton
Catalog Editor and Committee Secretary
Date: September 24, 2014
Re: Agenda – October 1, 2014

The University Curriculum Committee will meet at 3:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 2, 2014 in University Hall 282.

A G E N D A

CALL TO ORDER

David Lake

APPROVAL OF MINUTES – September 3, 2014

ITEMS

I. College of Education (no items)

II. College of Health Professions

A. Diagnostic and Therapeutic Sciences (no items)

B. Health Sciences

1. Create the following course:

HSCC 4005 Interprofessional Patient Advocacy Internship

1-2-3

Prerequisite: None

Description: A service learning course which targets health and wellness.

Students practice patient advocacy skills in community health care delivery settings.

Rationale: Social determinants play a significant role in an individual's health status. Students need this knowledge as well as skills to effectively intervene on the patient's behalf. This course is designed to help students build their knowledge and skills in patient advocacy and community collaboration in health care delivery settings.

Effective Term: Summer 2015

CURCAT:

Major Department – Health Sciences

Can course be repeated for additional credit? Yes

Maximum number of credits: 9

Grading Mode: Normal

Instruction Type: Code H – Directed Study

Course Equivalent: None

2. Modify the program of study for the Bachelor of Health Science degree,

Track One: Health Services Administration

C. Related Field Courses 48 hours

HSCP 2000 Ethical Theories/Moral Issues in Health

HSCC 3130 Health Policy Issues

HSCA 3600 Financial Management for Health-Related Organizations

HSCA 4201 Health Care Marketing

HSCA 4600 Principles of Human Resources Management

HSCA 4610 Health Care Economics

HSCA 4620 Principles of Management in Health Services Organizations

HSCA 4630 Health Information Systems

HSCA 4655 Principles of Health Insurance and Reimbursement

HSCA 4660 Survey of Health Outcomes

GERO 5500U Survey of Gerontology

~~MHSA 5500U Managing Health Professionals~~

MHSA 5800U Comparative Health Care Systems

Students must take 12 hours from this list

HSCP 2050 Introduction to the Disease Continuum

HSCP 4000 Independent Study in Health Sciences

HSCC 4005 Interprofessional Patient Advocacy Internship

HSCC 4950 Practicum

GERO 5510U Healthy Aging

PUBH 5560U Introduction to International Health

PUBH 5570U Women and Minority Health Issues

PSYC 5150U Conflict Resolution

PSYC 5300U Leadership and Group Dynamics

SPAN 1001 Elementary Spanish I

SPAN 1002 Elementary Spanish II

HSCF 3710 Worksite Wellness and Safety

ECON 2105 Macroeconomics

ECON 2106 Microeconomics

Rationale: HSCA 4630, an existing course, has been updated and brings needed content into the Health Services Administration Track. Select content from MHSA 5500U can be effectively incorporated into HSCA 4600 and HSCA 4620 which are required courses in the Health Services Administration Track.

Effective Date: Summer 2015

- C. Nursing (no items)
- D. Rehabilitation Sciences (no items)

III. College of Liberal Arts

A. Art, Music, and Theatre

1. Delete the following course:

MUSC 4220 Post Tonal Music Theory

Rationale: When the music theory curriculum was altered for 2013, there was concern that post-tonal theory concepts (mandated by accreditation) would be left out. MUSC 4220 was conceived to fill this void. However, experience has shown that post-tonal theory can still be addressed in MUSC 2100, and the professor who requested the post-tonal class is no longer at Armstrong. Therefore this class, while useful, is not ultimately needed to meet accreditation guidelines. The description for MUSC 2100 needs to mention post-tonal content. Also, the statement regarding the minimum grade was omitted from the original course description, but it is standard for all lower-level theory classes.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

2. Modify the following course:

MUSC 2100 Chromatic Music Theory

3-0-3

Prerequisites: MUSC 1500, MUSC 1510, and MUSC 1530; or permission of instructor or department.

Co-requisites: MUSC 2110

Focuses on the principles of chromatic harmony, its implications for modulation and structural design. **Includes an introduction to post-tonal theory. Must be completed with a C or better in order to progress to 3000+ level theory courses.**

Rationale: See rationale for Item 1, above.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

2. Modify the following program of study:

PROGRAM FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN MUSIC

Liberal Arts Option

B. Major Field Courses20 hours

- MUSC 1000 Recital Attendance (7 semesters)
- MUSC 2130 Keyboard Harmony III
- MUSC 2400 (2 semesters) Applied Music
- MUSC 2810 Conducting
- MUSC 3120 Form & Analysis
- MUSC 3540 (four semesters) University Chorale or MUSC 3560 (four semesters) Wind Ensemble
- MUSC 3710 Music History I
- MUSC 3720 Music History II
- One course selected from:
 - MUSC 3610 Orchestration & Arranging
 - MUSC 4110 Composition (2 credits)
 - MUSC 4120 Counterpoint
 - MUSC 4200 Piano Literature I
 - MUSC 4210 Piano Literature II
 - ~~MUSC 4220 Post-Tonal Theory~~
 - MUSC 4290 Art Song
 - MUSC 4320 Symphonic Literature
 - MUSC 5430U Technology in Music

Performance/Composition Options

B. Major Field Courses~~34~~32 hours

- MUSC 1000 Recital Attendance (7 semesters)
- MUSC 2130 Keyboard Harmony III
- MUSC 2400 (2 semesters) Applied Music
- MUSC 2810 Conducting
- MUSC 3120 Form & Analysis
- MUSC 3400 Applied Music (2 semesters)
- MUSC 3450 Half Recital
- MUSC 3540 (8 semesters) University Chorale or MUSC 3560 (8 semesters) Wind Ensemble
- MUSC 3710 Music History I
- MUSC 3720 Music History II
- MUSC 3610 Orchestration & Arranging
- MUSC 4120 Counterpoint
- ~~MUSC 4220 Post-Tonal Theory~~
- MUSC 5430U Technology in Music

C. Concentration Electives~~26~~28 hours

Select one of the following track options:

Keyboard Performance

MUSC 4400 (2 semesters) Applied Music
 MUSC 4450 Full Recital
 MUSC 4850 Senior Project
 MUSC 2580 Keyboard Accompanying
 MUSC 4200 Piano Literature I
 MUSC 4210 Piano Literature II
 MUSC 4250 Keyboard Pedagogy
~~10~~12 hours of music electives

Vocal Performance

MUSC 4400 (2 semesters) Applied Music
 MUSC 4450 Full Recital
 MUSC 4850 Senior Project
 MUSC 2171 Lyric Diction I
 MUSC 2172 Lyric Diction II
 Foreign Language 1002
 Foreign Language 2001
 MUSC 4270 Vocal pedagogy
~~6~~8 hours of music electives, with at least ~~three~~one hours at 3000 level or above.

Winds, Strings or Percussion Performance

MUSC 4160 Instrumental Pedagogy and Repertoire
 MUSC 4350 Band Repertoire and Advanced Instrumental Conducting
 MUSC 4400 (2 semesters) Applied Music
 MUSC 4450 Full Recital
 MUSC 4850 Senior Project
 One course appropriate to major instrument selected from:
 MUSC 2360 Brass Methods
 MUSC 2370 Woodwind Methods
 MUSC 2380 Percussion Methods
 MUSC 2390 String Methods

~~Elective Ensembles~~ 8 hours of elective ensembles from the following list:

MUSC 3550, 3510, 3520, 3530, 3540, 3570, 3580, 4890 or other approved ensembles.

~~4~~6 hours of music electives.

Composition

MUSC 2270 Class Voice
 MUSC 2360 Brass Methods
 MUSC 2370 Woodwind Methods
 MUSC 2380 Percussion Methods
 MUSC 2390 String Methods
 MUSC 4110 (8 semester hours) Composition
 MUSC 4460 Composition Portfolio

~~13~~11 hours of music electives, with at least ~~three~~one hours at the 3000 level or above.

Rationale: The following changes are proposed in order to eliminate options that no longer exist in the catalogue.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

3. Modify the following program of study:

PROGRAM FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF MUSIC EDUCATION

B. Major Field Courses35 hours

- MUSC 1000 (7 semesters) Recital Attendance
- MUSC 2130 Keyboard Harmony III
- MUSC 2360 Brass Methods
- MUSC 2370 Woodwind Methods
- MUSC 2380 Percussion Methods
- MUSC 2390 String Methods
- MUSC 2400 (2 semesters) Applied Music
- MUSC 2810 Conducting
- MUSC 3120 Form and Analysis
- MUSC 3400 (2 semesters) Applied Music
- MUSC 3450 Half Recital
- MUSC 3540 (6 semesters) University Chorale or MUSC 3560 (6 semesters) Wind Ensemble (in addition to Area F requirements)
- Select one of the following:
 - MUSC 3610 Orchestration and Arranging
 - MUSC 4120 Counterpoint
 - ~~MUSC 4220 Post-Tonal Theory~~
- MUSC 3710 Music History I
- MUSC 3720 Music History II
- MUSC 5300U Curriculum and Methods in General Music
- MUSC 5430U Technology in Music

- E. ~~GACE Basic Skills Assessment, admission to candidacy in the Department of Art, Music and Theatre, education teaching portfolio, admission to Internship II, successful completion of GACE content area examinations, criminal background check, piano proficiency exam, half recital.~~ Georgia Assessment for the Certification of Educators (GACE) Program Assessments or exemption scores; admission to candidacy in the Department of Art, Music and Theatre; evidence of professional tort liability insurance valid for a period no less than three (3) years from the date of admission to candidacy or exemption; GACE content area examinations passed; admission to Internship II; criminal background check or exemption; content pedagogy assessment; piano proficiency exam, half-recital.**

Rationale: The following changes are proposed in order to eliminate options that no longer exist in the catalogue and bring other requirements in line with the College of Education degrees.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

B. Criminal Justice, Social, and Political Science

1. Modify the following course:

CRJU 4800 INTERNSHIP I

~~0-40-12~~ 0-20-6

Prerequisite: permission of instructor or department head

Rationale: The modification allows students to take a 20 hour a week internship for graded course credit, thus accommodating agencies who may not offer full-time internships. This also allows students expanded opportunities to take upper level electives.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

CURCAT:

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 6 ~~12~~

2. Create the following course:

CRJU 4810 Internship II

0-20-6

Prerequisite/Co requisite: CRJU 4800 Internship I and permission of instructor or department head.

Description: Application of academic knowledge in criminal justice setting. Joint supervision by faculty internship coordinator and agency officials. Requires a substantial research paper.

Rationale: The creation of this course permits the department to be more flexible in internship offerings, thus better accommodating student and agency needs. Students will be able to complete a 20-hour a week internship in CRJU 4800, but if they and the field agency prefer a 40-hour a week internship, they can accomplish that by adding CRJU 4810. Further, students will have the option to take two internships, CRJU 4800 in one semester and CRJU 4810 in the next semester.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

CURCAT:

Major Department: Criminal Justice, Social and Political Science

Can Course be repeated for additional credit? No

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 6

Grading Mode: Normal

Instruction Type: Internship

Course equivalent: None

3. Modify the following program of study:

**PROGRAM FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN
CRIMINAL JUSTICE**

Track I: General Criminal Justice

B. Major Field Courses33 hours

CRJU 3100 Research Methods

CRJU 3170 Criminal Justice Administration

CRJU 3300 Criminology

CRJU 3500 Criminal Evidence and Procedure

*CRJU 4800 Internship I (~~twelve~~-six credit hours)

***CRJU 4810 Internship II (six credit hours)**

CRJU 5300U Juvenile Delinquency

CRJU 5500U Law and Legal Process

Capstone course (one course selected from):

CRJU 4900 Directed Research in Criminal Justice

CRJU 4910 Seminar in Criminal Justice

**Students for whom ~~this~~-these courses ~~are~~-is inappropriate may petition to substitute 12 advisor-approved upper division credits appropriate to the Major. If a student takes only CRJU 4800, then he or she must substitute six hours of advisor-approved upper division credits.*

Rationale: See Items 1 and 2, above.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

4. Create the following course:

POLS 5550U/G Insurgency and Counterinsurgency 3-0-3

Undergraduate Prerequisite: POLS 1150 or POLS 2290 or POLS 2100 or HIST 1112

Graduate Prerequisite: None

Description: An examination of the forms of organized movement aimed at the overthrow of a government through the use of violence and the measurements taken by a government to defeat insurgency.

Rationale: This new course will be added to the International Relations section of our B.A in Political Science. It will serve our political science students as well as our ROTC students in addressing an important issue in world politics in the post-cold war international system. It is a continuation of instructor's research project. Students taking this course as Graduates are required to do additional research to earn credit for the course.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

CURCAT:**Major Department: Criminal Justice, Social & Political Science****Can Course be repeated for additional credit? No****Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3****Grading Mode: Normal****Instruction Type: Lecture****Course Equivalent: N/A****5. Create the following course:****POLS 5580U/G Violent Non-State Actors (VNSAs) 3-0-3****Undergraduate Prerequisite: POLS 1150 or POLS 2290 or POLS 2100 or HIST 1112****Graduate Prerequisite: None****Description: An examination of the different types of VNSAs and how they challenge the nation-state.**

Rationale: This new course will be added to the International Relations section of our B.A in Political Science. It will serve our political science students as well as our ROTC students in addressing an important issue in world politics in the post-cold war international system. Students taking this course as Graduates are required to do additional research to earn credit for the course.

Effective Term: Fall 2015**CURCAT:****Major Department: Criminal Justice, Social & Political Science****Can Course be repeated for additional credit? No****Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3****Grading Mode: Normal****Instruction Type: Lecture****Course Equivalent: None****6. Delete the following course:****POLS 5260U/G - Media and Politics in Latin America Major Field Course 3-0-3**Rationale: This course is no longer offered.**Effective Term: Fall 2015****7. Delete the following course:****POLS 3190 – American Military Law 3-0-3**Rationale: Department does not plan to offer, former instructor retired.**Effective Term: Fall 2015**

8. Delete the following course:

POLS 5110U/G – The Politics of Defense and National Security Policy 3-0-3

Rationale: Department does not plan to offer, former instructor retired.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

9. Modify the following program of study:

PROGRAM FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN POLITICAL SCIENCE

B. Major Field Courses33 hours

POLS 2100 Introduction to Political Science

Ten courses from the following with at least one course from each area:

American Political Institutions

POLS 3150 American Supreme Court

POLS 3160 Judicial Politics and Strategies

~~POLS 3190 Military Law~~

POLS 3980 African Americans & the American Political System

POLS 3990 Special Topics in Political Science

POLS 4100 Independent Study in American Government

POLS 4110 American Presidency

POLS 4160 American Congress

POLS 4170 Constitutional Law and the Federal System

POLS 4171 Constitutional Civil Liberties

POLS 4190 Environmental Laws and Regulations

POLS 4210 Politics of Public Policy

POLS/SOCI 4220 Politics of Economic Inequality

CRJU/POLS 5500U Law and Legal Process

Political Theory

POLS 3320 American Political Thought

POLS 3340 Politics and Ideology in Contemporary Europe

POLS 3350 Classics of Political Thought

POLS 3360/SOCI 3360 Social Theory

POLS 3990 Special Topics in Political Science

POLS 4300 Religion and Political Thought

POLS 4330 Liberalism and the Modern State

POLS 5100U Politics and the Visual Arts

POLS 5300U Marxism, Socialism, and Democracy

International Relations

POLS 3990 Special Topics in Political Science

POLS 4200 Independent Study in International Relations

POLS 4540 International Political Economy

~~POLS 5110U The Politics of Defense and National Security Policy~~

~~CRJU/POLS 5130U Political Terrorism~~

POLS 5140U Asian Regional Security

POLS 5210U International Law
 POLS 5220U Theory of International Relations
 POLS 5250U International Organizations
 POLS 5270U Intelligence and National Security Policy
 POLS 5280U Seminar in Global Politics
 POLS 5290U American Foreign Policy
 POLS 5291U Constitutional Law of Foreign Policy
 POLS 5570U Politics & Security in Southwest Asia
 POLS 5510U Third World National Security
 POLS 5530U Global Environmental Politics
~~CRJU/POLS 5130U Political Terrorism~~
 POLS 5550U Insurgency and Counterinsurgency
 POLS 5580U Violent Non-State Actors (VNSAs)

Comparative Politics

POLS 3990 Special Topics in Political Science
 POLS 4400 Independent Study in Comparative Government
~~POLS 5260U Media and Politics in Latin America~~
 POLS 5280U Seminar in Global Politics
 POLS 5410U Asia and the United States
 POLS 5420U Politics of the Middle East
 POLS 5430U African Politics
 POLS 5440U Latin American Politics
 SOCI/POLS 5450U Political Sociology of Nationalism
 POLS 5460U Politics of East Asia
 POLS 5490U Political Transformation of the Former Soviet Union
 CRJU/POLS 5520U Comparative Judicial System
 POLS 5560U Comparative Foreign Policy

Rationale: See Items 4-8, above.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

10. Create the following course:

SOCI 2000 GLOBAL SOCIOLOGY

3-0-3

Prerequisite: None

Description: Exploring the global world through a sociological lens. Topics include: globalization, global inequalities, international conflict, social institutions, and world-wide environmental crises.

Rationale: Sociology currently has no core offerings in Area B. The topics of these classes align well with the discipline of sociology, and can be instructed by any sociology faculty. This course provide students with additional options consistent with Armstrong's core B rubrics. Additionally, these are important foundational courses for the newly implemented sociology track in Liberal Studies.

Effective Term: Spring 2015

CURCAT:**Major Department: Criminal Justice, Social & Political Science****Can Course be repeated for additional credit? No****Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3****Grading Mode: Normal****Instruction Type: Lecture****Course Equivalent: None****11. Create the following course:****SOCI 2500 ETHICS, VALUES, AND THE SOCIAL WORLD****3-0-3****Prerequisite: None****Description: Critically examines theoretical and practical ethical issues and controversies in our social world. Includes the social construction of ethics, social justice, and ethical dilemmas in sociological research.**

Rationale: Sociology currently has no core offerings in Area B. The topics of these classes align well with the discipline of sociology, and can be instructed by any sociology faculty. This course provides students with additional options consistent with Armstrong's core B rubrics. Additionally, these are important foundational courses for the newly implemented sociology track in Liberal Studies.

Effective Term: Fall 2015**CURCAT:****Major Department: Criminal Justice, Social & Political Science****Can Course be repeated for additional credit? No****Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3****Grading Mode: Normal****Instruction Type: Lecture****Course Equivalent: None****C. Economics****1. Modify the following course:****ACCT 2101 PRINCIPLES OF FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING****3-0-3****Prerequisites: Eligibility for MATH 1111**

Rationale: Prior completion of college algebra is not necessary for success in this course.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

2. **Modify the following course:**
 MKTG 3210 MARKETING 3-0-3
 Prerequisite: ~~ACCT 2101~~ and ECON 2106

Rationale: Prior knowledge of accounting is not necessary for success in this course.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

3. **Modify the following course:**
 MGMT 3111 **BUSINESS SKILLS IN ENTREPRENEURSHIP** 3-0-3

Effective Term: Fall 2015

4. **Modify the following course:**
 ECON 3230 FINANCE 3-0-3
 Prerequisite: ~~ACCT 2101~~ and ~~ECON 2106~~ **ECON 2105**

Rationale: Course content relies on prior knowledge of macroeconomic concepts. Prior knowledge of microeconomics and accounting is not necessary for successful completion.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

5. **Create (reinstate) and crosslist the following course:**
 ECON 3220 MANAGEMENT 3-0-3
 Prerequisite: ECON 2106

Management of organizations with an emphasis on the fundamentals of organizational behavior. Topics include organizational structure, leadership, communication, motivation, group dynamics, decision -making, planning and controlling. Business ethics and the roles and functions of managers are integrated throughout all these topics.

Rationale: ECON 3220 had previously been replaced by MGMT 3220, but a re-evaluation of faculty who may teach the course suggests a cross-listing of the two courses is more appropriate.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

CURCAT:

Major Department: Economics

Can course be repeated for additional credit? No

Maximum number of credits: 3

Grading Mode: Normal

Instruction Type: Lecture

Course Equivalent: MGMT 3220

- 6. Crosslist the following course:**
MGMT 3220 MANAGEMENT **3-0-3**

Rationale: ECON 3220 had previously been replaced by MGMT 3220, but a re-evaluation of faculty who may teach the course suggests a cross-listing of the two courses is more appropriate.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

CURCAT:

Course Equivalent: ECON 3220

- 7. Create (reinstate) and crosslist the following course:**
ECON 3800 QUANTITATIVE MARKETING RESEARCH **3-0-3**

Prerequisite: ECON 2106 and MATH 2200

Research design, data sources and collection, project and client management, data analysis, and reporting/presentation of empirical results pertaining to quantitative studies of consumer behavior. Requires use of computers for statistical analysis and presentations.

Rationale: ECON 3800 had previously been replaced by MKTG 3800, but a re-evaluation of faculty who may teach the course suggests a cross-listing of the two courses is more appropriate.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

CURCAT:

Major Department: Economics

Can course be repeated for additional credit? No

Maximum number of credits: 3

Grading Mode: Normal

Instruction Type: Lecture

Course Equivalent: MKTG 3800

- 8. Crosslist the following course:**
MKTG 3800 QUANTITATIVE MARKETING RESEARCH **3-0-3**

Rationale: ECON 3800 had previously been replaced by MKTG 3800, but a re-evaluation of faculty who may teach the course suggests a cross-listing of the two courses is more appropriate.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

CURCAT:

Course Equivalent: ECON 3800

9. Create (reinstate) and crosslist the following course**ECON 3210 MARKETING****3-0-3**

Prerequisite: ECON 2106

Marketing functions, the activities of producers, wholesalers, retailers and other intermediaries, the channels of distribution, integration of the marketing functions, price policies and government regulation.

Rationale: ECON 3210 had previously been replaced by MKTG 3210, but a re-evaluation of faculty who may teach the course suggests a cross-listing of the two courses is more appropriate.

Effective Term: Fall 2015**CURCAT:****Major Department: Economics****Can course be repeated for additional credit? No****Maximum number of credits: 3****Grading Mode: Normal****Instruction Type: Lecture****Course Equivalent: MKTG 3210****10. Crosslist the following course:****MKTG 3210 MARKETING****3-0-3**

Rationale: ECON 3210 had previously been replaced by MKTG 3210, but a re-evaluation of faculty who may teach the course suggests a cross-listing of the two courses is more appropriate.

Effective Term: Fall 2015**CURCAT:****Course Equivalent: ECON 3210****11. Delete the following certificate program**

Certificate in Financial Economics

18 hours

Rationale: Unsuccessful program, low enrollment.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

12. Modify the Associate of Science Business Track

PROGRAM FOR THE DEGREE OF ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE

Business Track

A. General Requirements (Core Areas A, B, C, ~~D.II~~ D.I, and E) 42 hours

MATH 2200 Elementary Statistics required in area ~~D.3~~D.I.3

Physical Education.....3 hours

First-Year Seminar 1 hour

B. Additional Requirements18 hours

Choose 18 hours from:

ACCT 2101 Principles of Financial Accounting

ACCT 2102 Principles of Managerial Accounting

BUSA 2106 Environment of Business

COMM 2280 Speech Communication

ECON 2105 Principles of Macroeconomics

ECON 2106 Principles of Microeconomics

ITEC 1050 Introduction to Computer Concepts and Applications

MATH 1950 Applied Math for Non-Science Majors or MATH 1161 Calculus I

Rationale: BUSA 2106 is a common course in business degrees, and gives more options for the students in this program.

Change in Area D requirement: Using core D.II.a is not necessary. We may still require statistics as part of core D.I requirements. The additional required lab science in D.II.a is not necessary for the learning outcomes of this degree. Advantages of this change include more streamlined program completion of the degree, lessening the strain on the lab sciences, easing the transition for transfer students with varied science courses, and availing our students of a variety of non-lab science courses designed for non-majors.

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13. Modify the economics minor

Economics15 hours

ECON 2105 or 2106

Twelve credit hours of upper division economics courses, 3000 and above, except for ECON 5150U.

May not be awarded with a B.S. in Business Economics

Rationale: The restriction on combining the economics minor with the business economics major is more easily done in this manner, and facilitates the offering of more complementary minors.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

14. Modify the business minor

Business..... 15-18 hours

ECON 2105 required if not taken in the core curriculum.

ECON 2106, ACCT 2101, and 9 credits from ECON 3230, MGMT 3111, MGMT 3220, MKTG 3210

ECON 3230, MGMT 3220, and MKTG 3210 may not be used to meet both major and minor requirements.

Rationale: MGMT 3111 has content that is complementary to the upper level courses in the business minor. It is not academically necessary for all three other upper division courses to be completed.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

15. Create the finance minor

Finance.....18 hours

ACCT 2101, ECON 2105, and 12 credits from ECON 3230, ECON 3300, ECON 4100, ECON 4150, ECON 4310

ECON 4100, 4150, and 4310 may not be used to meet both major and minor requirements.

Rationale: Finance is a common minor available at institutions that have sufficient course offerings. The minor is expected to be more attractive than the certificate deleted above. The finance minor is an attractive complement to the BS in Business Economics with restrictions placed on double-dipping of upper level courses.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

16. Modify the BS in Business Economics

PROGRAM FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN BUSINESS ECONOMICS

A. General Requirements

Core Areas A, B, C, D.IA, and E.....42 hours

MATH 2200 Elementary Statistics required in area **D.IA.2 D.I.3**

Area F.....18 hours

ACCT 2101 Principles of Financial Accounting

ACCT 2102 Principles of Managerial Accounting

BUSA 2106 Environment of Business

ECON 2105 Principles of Macroeconomics

ECON 2106 Principles of Microeconomics

ITEC 1050 Computer Concepts and Applications

Physical Education.....3 hours

First-Year Seminar 1 hour

B. Major Field Courses30 hours

ECON 3230 Finance

ECON 3700 Econometrics or ECON 3800 Quantitative Marketing Research

MGMT 3220 Management

MGMT 4111 Entrepreneurship or ECON 4900 Economic Methods and Senior Thesis

MKTG 3210 Marketing

Six credits selected from:

ECON 3050 Intermediate Macroeconomics and ECON 3060 Intermediate Microeconomics

ECON 3050 Intermediate Macroeconomics and ECON 3500 Managerial Economics

ECON 3060 Intermediate Microeconomics and ECON 3300 Money and Banking

Nine hours selected from:

ECON 3200 International Trade

ECON 3300 Money and Banking

ECON 3400 Economics of Labor

ECON 3450 Environmental Economics

ECON 3460 Economics of Immigration

ECON 3470 Economics of Health

ECON 3500 Managerial Economics

ECON 3800 Marketing Research

ECON 4100 Financial Economics: Portfolio Analysis

ECON 4150 Money and Capital Markets

ECON 4310 International Finance

ECON 4410 Regional Economics

ECON 4450 Comparative Economics

ECON 4451 Industrial Organization

ECON 4500 Public Finance

ECON 4520 Internship

[MGMT 3111 Skills in Entrepreneurship](#)

C. Related Field Courses.....15 hours

COMM 2280 Speech Communication

ENGL 3720 Business and Technical Communication

MATH 1161 Calculus I or Math 1950 Applied Math for Non-Science Majors (if not taken in the core)

PHIL 2030 Introduction to Ethics and Moral Issues

Three credits from:

COMM 3060 Public Relations

COMM 5050U Interpersonal Communication in the Workplace

COMM 5500U Communication Between the Genders

ENGL 5710U Writing for the Non-Profit Sector

ENGL 5740U Technical Editing

ENGL 5750U Publication Design

D. Electives15 hours

Students must complete a set of courses that would qualify for an academic minor ~~outside the economics department~~. The student may choose to forgo formal awarding of the minor if courses are used in the core curriculum.

Rationale: MGMT 3111 has been reconfigured as a course for non-majors.

Change in Area D requirement: Using core D.II.a is not necessary. We may still require statistics as part of core D.I requirements. The additional required lab science in D.II.a is not necessary for the learning outcomes of this degree. Advantages of this change include more streamlined program completion of the degree, lessening the strain on the lab sciences, easing the transition for transfer students with varied science courses, and availing our students of a variety of non-lab science courses designed for non-majors.

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17. Modify the BA in Economics

PROGRAM FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN ECONOMICS

A. General Requirements

Core Areas A, B, C, D.I, and E42 hours

Area F18 hours

ECON 2105 Principles of Macroeconomics

ECON 2106 Principles of Microeconomics

MATH 2200 Elementary Statistics

MATH 1950 Applied Math or MATH 1161 Calculus I

Six credit hours from one of the following areas:

Accounting (~~required for business economics track~~)

ACCT 2101 Principles of Financial Accounting

ACCT 2102 Principles of Managerial Accounting

Foreign language sequence (1002 and 2001) (required for international track)

Mathematics

MATH 2072 Calculus II

MATH 2083 Calculus III

Information Technology

CSCI 1150 Fundamentals of the Internet and World Wide Web

ITEC 1310 Programming for Information Technology

Physical Education3 hours

First-Year Seminar..... 1 hour

Track I: General Economics

B. Major Field Courses33 hours

ECON 3050 Intermediate Macroeconomics

ECON 3060 Intermediate Microeconomics

ECON 3700 Econometrics

ECON 4900 Economic Methods and Senior Thesis

Twenty one credit hours drawn from at least three of the following categories:

Global

ECON 3100 Multinational Economic Enterprises

ECON 3200 International Trade

ECON 4310 International Finance

ECON 4400 Seminar in Third World Economic Development

ECON 4450 Comparative Economics

Quantitative

ECON 3600 Mathematical Economics

MKTG 3800 Quantitative Marketing Research

Applied

ECON 3400 Economics of Labor

ECON 3470 Economics of Health

ECON 3500 Managerial Economics

ECON 4451 Industrial Organization

ECON 4460 Economic Analysis of the Law

Financial

ECON 3230 Finance

ECON 3300 Money and Banking

ECON 4100 Financial Economics: Portfolio Analysis

ECON 4150 Money and Capital Markets

Public Policy and Economic History

ECON 3450 Environmental Economics

ECON 3460 Economics of Immigration

ECON 3630 Economic History of the United States

ECON 4410 Regional Economics

ECON 4500 Public Finance

ECON 4550 Public Choice

[ECON 5630U Economic History of the US](#)

Internships and Specialized Courses

ECON 3950 Research in Economics

ECON 3960 Research in International Economics

ECON 4010, 4020, 5030U Special Topics in Economics

ECON 4520 Internship (with permission of department head)(maximum of three credits may count toward Major Field Courses)

C. Related Field Courses9 hours

ITEC 1050 Introduction to Computer Concepts and Applications

Six credit hours of upper division courses from the following fields:

anthropology, communication, economics, English (3720, 5710, 5740, 5750 only), geography, information technology, management, marketing, mathematics, philosophy, political science, psychology, or sociology.

D. Electives18 hours

Rationale: Addition of new courses into the program of study and removal of outdated information.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

D. Gender and Women's Studies

1. Modify the following program name:

GENDER ~~AND WOMEN'S~~ STUDIES

Rationale: There are two primary reasons for this request.

1) Gender and Women's studies has its roots in the student, civil rights, and women's movements of the 1960s and 70s. Today the gender and women's studies field of interrogation of identity, power, and privilege go far beyond the category "woman." Gender studies makes the conceptual claims and theoretical practices of *intersectionality*, which examines how categories of identity (e.g., race, class, gender, age, ability, sexuality, etc.) and structures of inequality are mutually constituted and must continually be understood in relationship to one another, and *transnationalism*, which focuses on cultures, structures and relationships that are formed as a result of the flows of people and resources across geopolitical borders, foundations of the discipline. National academic trends increasingly use "gender studies" to include queer theory, masculinities studies, and theories of power in globalization. To stay academically current, Armstrong needs to make this change.

2) "Gender Studies" will attract more students because it is more inclusive. For several decades, Women's Studies has not exclusively examined women's experiences, but rather the way that gender, race, and class inform individuals and cultures. The appellation 'Gender Studies' will open up the program to students who may otherwise misunderstand the actual scope of "Gender & Women's Studies".

Effective Term: Fall 2015

2. Delete the following courses:

GWST 1101 INTRODUCTION TO GENDER AND WOMEN'S STUDIES	3-0-3
GWST 2101 ETHICS, VALUES, AND GENDER	3-0-3
GWST 2200 GENDER IN GLOBAL CONTEXTS	3-0-3
GWST 3510 GENDER, VIOLENCE AND SOCIETY	3-0-3
GWST 4700 GENDER AND WOMEN'S STUDIES INTERNSHIP	0-V-3
GWST 4900 GENDER AND WOMEN'S STUDIES JUNIOR/SENIOR SEMINAR	2-3-3
GWST 5000U TOPICS IN GENDER AND WOMEN'S STUDIES	3-0-3
GWST 5500U TOPICS IN WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP	3-0-3
GWST 5600U SOCIOLOGY OF GENDER	3-0-3
GWST 5700U PERSPECTIVES IN FEMINIST THEORY	3-0-3

Rationale: These courses are being replaced with GNST courses.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

3. Create the following courses:

a. GNST 1101 INTRODUCTION TO GENDER STUDIES 3-0-3

Prerequisite: eligibility for ENGL 1101

Introduction to the major issues and problems in the field of women's studies. Investigation and analysis of women's roles in society, theoretical and practical aspects of equality and gender difference, and the constructions of sex and gender as understood from socio-historical, multi-cultural, and interdisciplinary perspectives. The dynamics and working of gender in such areas as family, work, education, imagery in popular culture, law, technology, environmentalism, sexuality, health, and access to information on reproductive options.

CURCAT:

Major Department: College of Liberal Arts

Can Course be repeated for additional credit? No

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3

Grading Mode: Normal

Instruction Type: Lecture

Course Equivalent: GWST 1101

b. GNST 2101 ETHICS, VALUES, AND GENDER 3-0-3

Prerequisite: ENGL 1101

An introduction to value theory and ethics focusing on issues of gender and the experience of women. Topics addressed may include equality and difference, free speech and censorship, marriage and the family, reproduction and abortion, love, sex, and friendship, health and medicine, education and learning, feminism and professional ethics, and the challenges of moral relativism.

CURCAT:

Major Department: College of Liberal Arts

Can Course be repeated for additional credit? No

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3

Grading Mode: Normal

Instruction Type: Lecture

Course Equivalent: GWST 2101

c. GNST 2200 GENDER IN GLOBAL CONTEXTS 3-0-3

Prerequisite: ENGL 1101

Interdisciplinary examination of worldwide cultural differences through the lens of gender.

CURCAT:

Major Department: College of Liberal Arts
Can Course be repeated for additional credit? No
Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3
Grading Mode: Normal
Instruction Type: Lecture
Course Equivalent: GWST 2200

d. GNST 3510 Gender, Violence and Society 3-0-3

Prerequisite: SOCI 1101 or GWST 1101

An overview of gender-based violence domestically and internationally. Students will analyze the political and cultural structures that perpetuate gendered violence, and explore how gendered violence intersects with race, class, and sexuality. Crosslisted with SOCI 3510.

CURCAT:

Major Department: College of Liberal Arts
Can Course be repeated for additional credit? No
Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3
Grading Mode: Normal
Instruction Type: Lecture
Course Equivalent: GWST 3510, SOCI 3510

e. GNST 4700 Gender Studies Internship 0-V-3

Prerequisite: English 2100, GNST 1101, and either GNST 2101 or GNST 2200

Individually designed project involving off campus study and research with an appropriate agency. Project may be completed in one semester, during which time the student will be under joint supervision of the sponsoring agency and the faculty supervisor. Upon completion of the internship the student will present a formal written report to the sponsoring faculty supervisor and the GNST program coordinator. Limited to GNST majors.

CURCAT:

Major Department: College of Liberal Arts
Can Course be repeated for additional credit? No
Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 6
Grading Mode: Normal
Instruction Type: Lecture
Course Equivalent: GWST 4700

f. GNST 4900 GENDER STUDIES JUNIOR/SENIOR SEMINAR 2-3-3

Prerequisite: ENGL 2100 and GNST 1101 and either GNST 2101 or GNST 2200

Course required for GNST majors. Advanced critical analysis and reflection on their course of study. Experience during four-week service-learning component to be integrated into final research project.

CURCAT:

Major Department: College of Liberal Arts
Can Course be repeated for additional credit? No
Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3
Grading Mode: Normal
Instruction Type: Lecture
Course Equivalent: GWST 4900

- g. GNST 5000U/G TOPICS IN GENDER STUDIES** **3-0-3**
 Special topics in Gender Studies. Will be cross listed with selected upper-level courses in the university curriculum when content of those courses addresses issues related to Gender Studies. May be repeated for credit with different topics.

CURCAT:

Major Department: College of Liberal Arts
Can Course be repeated for additional credit? Yes
Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 9
Grading Mode: Normal
Instruction Type: Lecture
Undergraduate Course Equivalent: GWST 5000U
Graduate Course Equivalent: GWST 5000G

- h. GNST 5500U/G TOPICS IN WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP** **3-0-3**
 Undergraduate Prerequisite: ENGL 2100 and GNST 1101 or GNST 2101
 Graduate Prerequisite: None
 Examination of the basic themes of leadership through the lens of gender studies. The course will address alternative styles of leadership, globalization and women's roles, under representation, the gender gap, and the perseverance of women in traditionally male-dominated careers, professions, and public offices.

CURCAT:

Major Department: College of Liberal Arts
Can Course be repeated for additional credit? No
Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3
Grading Mode: Normal
Instruction Type: Lecture
Undergraduate Course Equivalent: GWST 5500U
Graduate Course Equivalent: GWST 5500G

- i. GNST 5600U/G Sociology of Gender** **3-0-3**
 Undergraduate Prerequisite: SOCI 1101 or POLS 1150 or GNST 1101
 Graduate Prerequisite: None
 Examines the social construction of gender and gender inequality in society. Cross-listed with SOCI 5600U/G.

CURCAT:

Major Department: College of Liberal Arts
Can Course be repeated for additional credit? No

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3
Grading Mode: Normal
Instruction Type: Lecture
Undergraduate Course Equivalents: GWST 5600U, SOCI 5600U
Graduate Course Equivalents: GWST 5600G, SOCI 5600G

j. GNST 5700U/G PERSPECTIVES IN FEMINIST THEORY 3-0-3

Undergraduate Prerequisite: ENGL 2100 or permission of instructor

Graduate Prerequisite: None

An in-depth look at Feminist Theory. This course may be taught from the perspective of a particular discipline. Cross-listed with POLS 5700U/G.

CURCAT:

Major Department: College of Liberal Arts

Can Course be repeated for additional credit? No

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3

Grading Mode: Normal

Instruction Type: Lecture

Undergraduate Course Equivalent: GWST 5700U, POLS 5700U

Graduate Course Equivalent: GWST 5700G, POLS 5700G

Rationale: Courses need to be created to reflect the Prefix for the change in name from Gender and Women Studies to Gender Studies. In the 5000-level classes, students taking the course at the graduate level are required to do additional primary research to earn credit for the course.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

4. Modify the following minor:

Minor

Gender ~~and Women's~~ Studies15 hours

Note: At least nine semester hours must be from courses numbered 3000 or higher.

Select from the following:

Three to six hours selected from GWST 1101, GWST 2101

Nine to twelve hours selected from: CRJU/SOCI/~~GWST~~GNST 3510, ENGL 5340U, ENGL 5355U, FILM 5025U, FILM 5040U, ~~GWST~~GNST 2200, ~~GWST~~GNST 5000U, ~~GWST~~GNST 5500U, ~~GWST~~GNST/SOCI 5600U, ~~GWST~~GNST 5700U, HIST 3740, HIST 5660U, HIST 5670U, NURS 3355, PSYC 3100, PUBH 5570U, PUBH 5575U, SOCI 3150, SOCI 3300, SOCI 3800

Effective Term: Fall 2015

5. Modify the following program of study:

**PROGRAM FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN GENDER
AND WOMEN'S STUDIES**

A. General Requirements

Core Areas A, B, C, D.I, and E42 hours

Area F18 hours

~~GWST~~GNST 1101 Introduction to Gender ~~and Women's~~ Studies

~~GWST~~GNST 2101 Gender and Ethics

~~GWST~~GNST 2200 Gender in Global Contexts

Foreign language 1002 (3 credit hours)

Foreign language 2001 (3 credit hours)

ENGL 2100 Literature and Humanities

Physical Education3 hours

First-Year Seminar 1 hour

B. Major Field Courses

Minimum of 39 hours at 3000 level or above

Required Courses in the Major Field15 hours

~~GWST~~GNST 5700U Feminist Theory

~~GWST~~GNST 4900 Junior/Senior Seminar

~~GWST~~GNST/SOCI 5600U Sociology of Gender

FILM 5040U Women and Film

HIST 3740 History of American Women

Additional Major Field Courses

List A: Arts and Humanities (3000 or above)6 hours

Choose from:

ENGL 5340U Literature by Women

ENGL 5355U Black Women Writers

FILM 5025U Popular Culture Theory and Criticism

~~GWST~~GNST 4700 Gender ~~and Women's~~ Studies Internship

~~GWST~~GNST 5000U Topics in Gender and Women's Studies

~~GWST~~GNST 5500U Topics in Women's Leadership

HIST 5660U Topics in the History of Women and Gender in America

HIST 5670U Topics in the History of Women and Gender in Europe

List B: Social/Behavioral Sciences and Health Professions (3000 or above) 6 hours

Choose from:

~~GWST~~GNST 4700 Gender and Women's Studies Internship

NURS 3355 Women's Health

COMM 5500U Communication between the Genders

PSYC 3100 Human Sexuality

PUBH 5570U Women and Minority Health Issues

PUBH 5575U Health and Sexuality Education

SOCI 3150 Sociology of the Family

SOCI 3300 Social Stratification

SOCI/~~GWST~~GNST 3510 Gender, Violence and Society

SOCI 3800 Sociology of Sexuality

C. Minor 15-18 hours

A university-approved minor in another area of study.

D. Electives 15-18 hours

Total Semester Hours 124 hours

E. Exit Exam

Effective Term: Fall 2015

6. Request a blanket change of GWST to GNST in the undergraduate and graduate catalogs.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

E. History

1. Modify the following course:

HIST 5720U/G HISTORICAL ARCHAEOLOGY

3-0-3

Undergraduate Prerequisite: HIST 3500 or ANTH 3820

Graduate Prerequisite: None

Examination of ~~es how~~ archaeological artifacts, methods, and theories, **emphasizing the use of** ~~are employed in interpreting the past. Emphasizes using~~ archaeological evidence consistent with the disciplinary standards of history. Chronological and regional focus **varies with instructor's area of expertise.** ~~depends on the expertise of the instructor.~~ May be repeated as topics vary.

Rationale: The revised description allows for faculty with expertise beyond the colonial Americas to teach the course.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

F. Languages, Literature, & Philosophy

1. Create the following course:

FREN 3001 French Conversation

3-0-3

Prerequisite: FREN 2001 or Permission of Instructor

Description: A study of conversational techniques, integrating grammatical structures and appropriate vocabulary. Emphasis is given to practicing spoken French and to using audio programs to increase listening comprehension. Attention is also given to pronunciations and phonetics.

Rationale: The creation of this course permits the department to offer courses required for an e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

CURCAT:**Major Department: Languages, Literature, and Philosophy****Can Course be repeated for additional credit? NO****Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3****Grading Mode: Normal****Instruction Type: Lecture****Course Equivalent: None****2. Delete the following course:****FREN 3025 FRENCH CINEMA FOR CONVERSATION AND
COMPOSITION****3-0-3**

Rationale: The creation of FREN 3002 covers the curriculum previously taught in this course. Students are required access to FREN 3002 per the new French e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015**3. Create the following course:****FREN 3002 French Composition****3-0-3****Prerequisite: FREN 2002 or Permission of Instructor**

Description: A thorough review and expansion of the main grammatical concepts, rules and applications studied in FREN 1001, 1002, 2001, and 2002 courses. A practical application of grammar study through translations (English to French), formal/informal writing, listening and speaking, and refinement of self-editing skills.

Rationale: The creation of this course permits the department to offer courses required for an e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015**CURCAT:****Major Department: Languages, Literature, and Philosophy****Can Course be repeated for additional credit? NO****Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3****Grading Mode: Normal****Instruction Type: Lecture****Course Equivalent: FREN 3025****4. Create the following course:****FREN 3150 French Culture and Civilization****3-0-3****Prerequisite: FREN 2002 or Permission of Instructor**

Description: A survey of the historical, sociological, philosophical, literary, and artistic developments of France and neighboring French-speaking European countries up to modern times.

Rationale:The creation of this course permits the department to offer courses required for an e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

CURCAT:

Major Department: Languages, Literature, and Philosophy

Can Course be repeated for additional credit? NO

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3

Grading Mode: Normal

Instruction Type: Lecture

Course Equivalent: None

5. Delete the following course:

FREN 3110 FRENCH CIVILIZATION II

3-0-3

Rationale: The creation of FREN 3160 covers the curriculum previously taught in this course. Students are required access to FREN 3160 per the new French e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

6. Create the following course:

FREN 3160 Francophone Cultures and Civilization

3-0-3

Prerequisite: FREN 2002 or Permission of Instructor

Description: A survey of the historical, sociological, philosophical, literary, and artistic developments of the Francophone world.

Rationale: The creation of this course permits the department to offer courses required for an e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

CURCAT:

Major Department: Languages, Literature, and Philosophy

Can Course be repeated for additional credit? NO

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3

Grading Mode: Normal

Instruction Type: Lecture

Course Equivalent: FREN 3110

7. Delete the following course:

**FREN 3020 FRENCH CONVERSATION AND COMPOSITION II:
LITERATURE**

3-0-3

Rationale: The creation of FREN 3200 replaces the curriculum taught in this course. Students are required access to FREN 3200 per the new French e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

8. Create the following course:

FREN 3201 Approaches to Literature

Prerequisite: FREN 2002 or Permission of Instructor

Description: The development of students' reading and writing skills along with knowledge of the major literary genres and literary thought. Texts are from traditional and contemporary sources (selections of prose, poetry, and theater).

Rationale: The creation of this course permits the department to offer courses required for an e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

CURCAT:

Major Department: Languages, Literature, and Philosophy

Can Course be repeated for additional credit? NO

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3

Grading Mode: Normal

Instruction Type: Lecture

Course Equivalent: FREN 3020

9. Create the following course:

FREN 3250 Survey of French Literature (Middle Ages to Present)

3-0-3

Prerequisite: FREN 2002 or Permission of Instructor

Description: Selected major literary works, authors, and literary movements of France from the Middle Ages to the present.

Rationale: The creation of this course permits the department to offer courses required for an e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

CURCAT:

Major Department: Languages, Literature, and Philosophy

Can Course be repeated for additional credit? NO

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3

Grading Mode: Normal

Instruction Type: Lecture

Course Equivalent: None

10. Delete the following course:

**FREN 3010 FRENCH CONVERSATION AND COMPOSITION I:
CULTURE**

3-0-3

Rationale: The creation of FREN 3260 covers the curriculum previously taught in this course. Students are required access to FREN 3260 per the new French e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

11. Create the following course:

FREN 3260 Survey of Francophone Literature

3-0-3

Prerequisite: FREN 2002 or Permission of Instructor

Description: Selected major literary works, authors, and literary movements of the Francophone world.

Rationale: The creation of this course permits the department to offer courses required for an e-major.

Effective Term: Spring 2015

CURCAT:

Major Department: Languages, Literature, and Philosophy

Can Course be repeated for additional credit? NO

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3

Grading Mode: Normal

Instruction Type: Lecture

Course Equivalent: FREN 3010

12. Create the following course:

FREN 3300 French Phonetics and Phonology

3-0-3

Prerequisite: FREN 2002 or Permission of Instructor

Description: Study of phonetic principles and their applications.

Rationale: The creation of this course permits the department to offer courses required for an e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

CURCAT:

Major Department: Languages, Literature, and Philosophy

Can Course be repeated for additional credit? NO

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3

Grading Mode: Normal

Instruction Type: Lecture

Course Equivalent: None

13. Delete the following course:**FREN 3040 BUSINESS FRENCH****3-0-3**

Rationale: Course number should be changed from 3040 to 4210 to coincide with the course numbering for the e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

14. Create the following course:**FREN 4210 BUSINESS FRENCH****3-0-3**

Prerequisite: FREN 2002 or Permission of Instructor

French used in business settings and commercial correspondence, along with procedures generally applicable to international commerce. Course taught in French.

Rationale: Course number should be changed from 3040 to 4210 to coincide with the course numbering for the e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

CURCAT:

Major Department: Languages, Literature, and Philosophy

Can Course be repeated for additional credit? NO

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3

Grading Mode: Normal

Instruction Type: Lecture

Course Equivalent: FREN 3040

15. Create the following course:**FREN 3400 Culture, Business, and Society in the French-Speaking World 3-0-3**

Prerequisite: FREN 2002 or Permission of Instructor

Description: A study of culture as it relates to business practices in the French speaking world. A variety of authentic media sources will be used. Emphasis will be put on listening comprehension and translation as well as on business correspondence.

Rationale: The creation of this course permits the department to offer courses required for an e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

CURCAT:

Major Department: Languages, Literature, and Philosophy

Can Course be repeated for additional credit? NO

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3

Grading Mode: Normal

Instruction Type: Lecture
Course Equivalent: None

16. Create the following course:

FREN 4001 Advanced French Conversation

Prerequisite: FREN 2002 or Permission of Instructor

Description: An advanced study of spoken and written French, with emphasis on oral and written communication strategies, including the interpersonal and presentational modes, for communication in Francophone contexts. Attention is given to the grammatical structure of language.

Rationale: The creation of this course permits the department to offer courses required for an e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

CURCAT:

Major Department: Languages, Literature, and Philosophy

Can Course be repeated for additional credit? NO

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3

Grading Mode: Normal

Instruction Type: Lecture

Course Equivalent: None

17. Deletion of the following course:

FREN 3030 ADVANCED GRAMMAR AND SYNTAX

3-0-3

Rationale: The creation of FREN 4002 covers the curriculum previously taught in this course. Students are required access to FREN 4002 per the new French e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

18. Create the following course:

FREN 4002 Advanced French Composition

Prerequisite: FREN 2002 or Permission of Instructor

Description: An advanced study of grammar, syntax, and vocabulary with refinement of writing skills through composition.

Rationale: The creation of this course permits the department to offer courses required for an e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

CURCAT:

Major Department: Languages, Literature, and Philosophy

Can Course be repeated for additional credit? NO

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3

Grading Mode: Normal

Instruction Type: Lecture

Course Equivalent: FREN 3030

19. Delete the following course:

FREN 3200 SPECIAL TOPICS IN FRENCH LITERATURE 3-0-3

Rationale: The creation of FREN 4800 covers the curriculum previously taught in this course. Students are required access to FREN 4800 per the new French e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

20. Create the following course:

FREN 4800 Special Topics 3-0-3

Prerequisite: NONE

Description: Special topics in French and Francophone language, literature, civilization, or culture. May be repeated up to a maximum of 9 hours if topics are different.

Rationale: The creation of this course permits the department to offer courses required for an e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

CURCAT:

Major Department: Languages, Literature, and Philosophy

Can Course be repeated for additional credit? YES

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 9

Grading Mode: Normal

Instruction Type: Lecture

Course Equivalent: FREN 3200

21. Delete the following course:

FREN 4900 INDEPENDENT STUDY 1-0-1

Rationale: Course number should be changed to 4950 to coincide with the course numbering for the e-major

Effective Term: Fall 2015

22. Create the following course:

FREN 4950 INDEPENDENT STUDY 1-0-1

Prerequisite: FREN 3201

Study in an area or topic of Francophone literature or the French language not normally found in established courses offered by the department. The work is done under the supervision of a professor.

Rationale: Course number should be changed from 4900 to 4950 to coincide with the course numbering for the e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

CURCAT:

Major Department: Languages, Literature, and Philosophy

Can Course be repeated for additional credit? NO

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3

Grading Mode: Normal

Instruction Type: Lecture

Course Equivalent: FREN 4900

- 23. Delete the following course(s)**
FREN 3510, 3520, 3530 STUDY ABROAD

Rationale: Course numbers should be changed from 3510-20,30 to 4960 to coincide with the course numbering for the e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

- 24. Create the following course:**
FREN 4960 STUDY ABROAD **3-0-3**
Prerequisite: FREN 1002 or permission of the instructor
A term abroad of French study in conjunction with the University System of Georgia. Intensive instruction complemented by excursions. May be repeated for a maximum of 9 hours if topics are different.

Rationale: Course number change to coincide with the course numbering for the e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

CURCAT:

Major Department: Languages, Literature, and Philosophy

Can Course be repeated for additional credit? YES

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 9

Grading Mode: Normal

Instructional Type: Lecture

Course Equivalent: FREN 3510, 3520, 3530

25. Delete the following course:**FREN 4990 LANGUAGE INTERNSHIP****V-V-1**

Rationale: Course number should be changed from 4990 to 4980 to coincide with the course numbering for the e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

26. Create the following course:**FREN 4980 LANGUAGE INTERNSHIP****V-V-1**

Prerequisite: permission of instructor or department

Graded “Satisfactory” or “Unsatisfactory.” A practical application of students’ skills in French. Students will either tutor students enrolled in public or private schools or complete a research project that requires extensive use of all language skills. This course may be repeated for up to 9 credit hours. Course is elective and will be graded S/U.

Rationale: Course numbers should be changed from 4990 to 4980 to coincide with the course numbering for the e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

CURCAT:

Major Department: Languages, Literature, and Philosophy

Can Course be repeated for additional credit? Yes

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 9

Grading Mode: Normal

Instructional Type: Lecture

Course Equivalent: FREN 4990

27. Create the following course:**FREN 4991 Senior Seminar****3-0-3**

Prerequisite: Senior Standing

Description: An all-inclusive communication skills course. This course focuses on the four basic skills: reading, listening, speaking and writing. It is designed to access and reinforce the skills the student has acquired as a French major.

Required of all French majors.

Rationale: The creation of this course permits the department to offer courses required for an e-major.

Effective Term: Spring 2015

CURCAT:

Major Department: Languages, Literature, and Philosophy

Can Course be repeated for additional credit? NO

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3

Grading Mode: Normal

Instruction Type: Lecture

Course Equivalent: None

28. Create the following course:

FREN 2010 Intermediate Conversation

3-0-3

A study of conversational techniques, integrating grammatical structures and appropriate vocabulary. Emphasis is given to practicing spoken French and to using audio programs to increase listening comprehension. Attention is also given to pronunciation and phonetics.

Rationale: The creation of this course permits the department to offer courses required for an e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

CURCAT:

Major Department: Languages, Literature, and Philosophy

Can Course be repeated for additional credit? NO

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3

Grading Mode: Normal

Instruction Type: Lecture

Course Equivalent: None

29. Create the following course:

ESOL 4010 Applied Linguistics for ESOL Teachers

3-0-3

A study of the nature, structure, and diversity of language, emphasizing the phonological, morphological, syntactic, and semantic patterns of English in comparison and contrast with features of other selected languages. Prospective teachers will explore the principles of linguistic systems and major theorists and schools of linguistic thought. Language acquisition theories as related to language development and learning and their implications for instruction will also be examined within the cultural framework of working with communities of non-native English speakers.

Rationale: The creation of this course permits the department to offer courses required for an e-major.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

CURCAT:

Major Department: Languages, Literature, and Philosophy

Can Course be repeated for additional credit? NO

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3

Grading Mode: Normal

Instruction Type: Lecture
Course Equivalent: None

30. Create the following program of study for the B.A. Degree in French:

World Languages and Cultures – eMajor Description (For Information Purposes Only, Not for Catalog Entry)

The tracks in World Languages and Cultures offer students the opportunity to combine two or more world languages in a program of study that will impart the basic knowledge necessary to participate in international and intercultural settings. The track emphasizes knowledge of modern foreign cultures and enables students to focus on one modern language while achieving speaking facility in one or two others. These tracks are foundational to advanced studies in Humanities disciplines such as modern Languages, History, Art History, Philosophy, or Political Science. When combined with business courses and/or the Certificate in Spanish for Professionals, these degrees can open up international corporate and medical services opportunities.

Majors in World Languages and Cultures may find employment in business, government, education, media, travel and social services depending upon their skills and experiences. Majors can seek out employment opportunities in which language skills are required in the workplace. Such positions include translating, interpreting, the travel industry (airlines, international hotel chains, etc.), and teaching foreign languages within a corporate context. World Languages and Cultures majors also pursue careers in social services capacities.

Additionally, completion of the Certificate in Teaching English as a Second Language as part of these degrees will prepare majors to teach English to speakers of other languages throughout the world. Internships, practicum placements, and study abroad are highly recommended as study components in this major.

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE B.A. DEGREE IN FRENCH: WORLD LANGUAGES AND CULTURES

Georgia Core curriculum.....	60 hours
Core Areas A-E (see Core Curriculum)	42 hours
Core Area F	18 hours
FREN 1001 and 1002 (as needed).....	0-6 hours
FREN 2001 and 2002 (as needed).....	0-6 hours
SPAN or GRMN or LATN 1001 and 1002 or other foreign language (as needed)....	0-6 hours
SPAN or GRMN or LATN 2001 AND 2002 or other foreign language (as needed)...	0-6 hours
Other Electives from Area C and E Courses	0-18 hours

Students must achieve a grade of “C” or better in all courses taken in Area F.

Senior- College Curriculum.....	60 hours
Upper-level courses in French and Linguistics	33 hours
FREN 2010	3 hours
FREN 3010	3 hours
FREN 3150 or 3160	3 hours
FREN 3201	3 hours
FREN 3250 or 3260	3 hours
FREN 4010	3 hours
FREN 4400	3 hours

Electives:

FREN 3000/4000-level courses 9 hours

Supporting course: ESOL 4010 3 hours**Related Electives** **27 hours**

A second or third foreign language may be taken in the major as needed under the Elective hours.

For the degree, a minimum of 39 hours in total must be taken at the 3000/4000 level.

Suggested Elective Sequences: Minor in Spanish or German, Certificate in Teaching English to Speakers of other Languages, Certificate in Spanish for Professionals.

Total hours required for the degree.....**120 semester hours**

Rationale: See item 28 below

Effective Term: Spring 2015**31. Create the following minor:****MINOR IN FRENCH** **Total Hours 18****Core curriculum courses** **0-6 hours****FREN 2001 (if needed)****0-3 hours****FREN 2002 (if needed)****0-3 hours****Other French Courses****12-18 hours****FREN 2010****3 hours****French courses numbered 3000 and above****9-15 hours**Rationale:

The creation of an eMajor in French at Armstrong, through an affiliation with Valdosta State University and Clayton State University, is opening the doors to a new major that we do not currently offer and is affirming our commitment to international education. This initiative is completely and totally faculty-initiated and is being sponsored by our foreign language faculty. In this time of program cuts and discussions about viability of smaller programs, it is important to know that if Armstrong agrees to participate in the affiliation, and all courses are approved at the curriculum-level, we, as an Institution, will not have to present a new major individually to the Board of Regents. Rather, it will be presented as a product of a consortium by the eMajor administration out of Valdosta State and Jon Sizemore, the Foreign Language contact at the Board of Regents.

It is our hope to finally offer a Major in French at Armstrong. All students enrolled at Armstrong through the eMajor will be Armstrong graduates; furthermore, Armstrong faculty have been involved in the development and review of the courses and curriculum. There will be a rotation among affiliated institutions in terms of course offerings and professors.

Effective Term: Spring 2015

G. Liberal Studies (no items)

H. Honors Program (no items)

IV. College of Science and Technology

A. Biology

1. Create the following course:

BIOL 4520 Epigenetics 3-0-3

Prerequisites: BIOL 3000 (minimum grade of C), BIOL 3030 (minimum grade of C), and BIOL 3700 (minimum grade of C)

Description: The molecular mechanisms that change gene expression without changing DNA sequence will be explored. Emphasis will be placed on the effect of histone modification and DNA methylation on phenotype and genome function. The ramifications of molecular epigenetic mechanisms on ecology, evolution, and human health will be discussed.

Rationale: Epigenetics is an important and rapidly evolving field of genetics. We now have expertise in the department in this field and want to offer an upper-level elective in this area. Students will require experience in, and knowledge of the fields of cell biology, genetics, and evolution to succeed in this course.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

CURCAT:

Major Department: Biology

Can Course be repeated for additional credit? No

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3

Grading Mode: Normal

Instruction Type: Lecture

Course Equivalent: NONE

2. Modify the following course:

BIOL 3700 Genetics 3-3-4

Prerequisite: BIOL 2400 (minimum grade of C)

Molecular genetics, with emphasis on regulation of gene expression, genomics, genome structure and function, and modern technological advances in genetics. Topics discussed will include Mendelian, molecular, population, and evolutionary genetics. Laboratory emphasis will be on molecular genetic techniques, genetic research design, and data analysis. ~~Classical, sex-associated, linkage and mapping, chromosomal, cytoplasmic, quantitative, population, and basic genetics of microorganisms and viruses. Lab emphasis on drosophila, plants, and the ascomycetes.~~

Rationale: Course content has changed for two reasons. First, we have a new faculty member teaching the course. Second, and more importantly, we are now

requiring BIOL 3700 as prerequisite courses to many upper-level electives, which has caused us to consider the content of the course.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

3. Modify the following course:

BIOL 4000 CANCER BIOLOGY 3-0-3
Prerequisite: BIOL 3000 (minimum grade of C) and **BIOL 3700 (minimum grade of C)**

Rationale: Several topics covered in genetics (i.e., epigenetics, mutation, and chromosome structure) are necessary for student success in the course.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

4. Modify the following course:

BIOL 4100 CELL AND MOLECULAR BIOLOGY LABORATORY 0-6-2
Prerequisite: BIOL 3000 (minimum grade of C) and **BIOL 3700 (minimum grade of C)** and CHEM 2101

Laboratory research techniques in cell and molecular biology, with emphasis on **inquiry-based projects**, data analysis, **and** written and oral presentation.

Rationale: Since the students engage in projects that require an understanding of gene structure, promoter function, and other genetic topics it is felt that BIOL 3700 (Genetics) should be a prerequisite course. In addition, the student's exposure to PCR in the laboratory would prepare them for the course as well.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

5. Modify the following course:

BIOL 4510 MOLECULAR DEVELOPMENT 3-0-3
Prerequisites: BIOL 3000 (minimum grade of C) and **BIOL 3700 (minimum grade of C)**

The Biology of cellular ~~Cellular~~ and molecular ~~level~~ signals which guide differentiation and morphogenesis.

Rationale: Several topics covered in genetics (i.e., epigenetics, mutation, and chromosome structure) are necessary for student success in the course. Alterations to the description make it more understandable.

Effective Term: Fall 2015

. Modify the following program of study:

PROGRAM FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN BIOLOGY

Track I: General Biology**B. Major Field Courses****32-39 hours**

Required Courses (15 hours)

BIOL 2020 Plant Biology

BIOL 3000 Cell Biology

BIOL 3050 General Ecology

BIOL 3700 Genetics

Elective Courses (18-24 hours)

Choose one of the following:

BIOL 4150 Plant Physiology

BIOL 4200 Mammalian Physiology

BIOL 4210 Comparative Physiology

Choose one of the following:

BIOL 3250 Limnology

BIOL 3470 Environmental Restoration

BIOL 3600 Salt Marsh Ecology

BIOL 4320 Environmental Microbiology

BIOL 4460 Phytoplankton Ecology

BIOL 4750 Tropical Field Biology

Choose two of the following:

BIOL ~~4010~~-3030 Evolution

BIOL 3520 Medical Microbiology

BIOL 4000 Cancer Biology

BIOL 4100 Cell and Molecular Biology Laboratory

BIOL 4220 Endocrinology

BIOL 4230 Neurophysiology and Disease

BIOL 4310 Applied Microbiology

BIOL 4400 Virology

BIOL 4500 Bioinformatics and Biotechnology

BIOL 4510 Molecular Development

BIOL 4520 Epigenetics

BIOL 4650 Immunology

Choose two of the following:

BIOL 3020 Vertebrate Zoology

BIOL 3150 Horticulture

BIOL 3200 Plant Taxonomy

BIOL 3300 Entomology

BIOL 3310 Invertebrate Zoology

BIOL 3750 Natural History of Vertebrate Animals

BIOL 3770 Developmental and Comparative Anatomy of the Vertebrates

BIOL 3800 Mycology

BIOL 3920 Parasitology

BIOL 3950 Human Embryology

BIOL 4470 Sea Turtle Biology

BIOL 4550 Biology of Marine Organisms

BIOL 4600 Ichthyology

Track II: Marine Biology**B. Major Field Courses****32-35 hours**

Required Courses (19 hours)

BIOL 2020 Plant Biology

BIOL 3000 Cell Biology

BIOL 3050 General Ecology

BIOL 3700 Genetics

BIOL 4550 Biology of Marine Organisms

Elective Courses (13-16 hours)

Choose one of the following:

BIOL 4150 Plant Physiology

BIOL 4200 Mammalian Physiology

BIOL 4210 Comparative Physiology

Choose one of the following:

BIOL 3020 Vertebrate Zoology

BIOL 3310 Invertebrate Zoology

BIOL 3750 Natural History of Vertebrate Animals

Choose two of the following:

BIOL 3030 Evolution

BIOL 3200 Plant Taxonomy

BIOL 3250 Limnology

BIOL 4320 Environmental Microbiology

BIOL 4460 Phytoplankton Ecology

BIOL 4470 Sea Turtle Biology

BIOL 4600 Ichthyology

BIOL 4750 Tropical Field Biology

Track III: Cell and Molecular Biology**B. Major Field Courses****25-28 hours**

Required Courses (12 hours)

BIOL 3000 Cell Biology

BIOL 3700 Genetics

BIOL 4100 Cell and Molecular Biology Laboratory

BIOL 4500 Bioinformatics and Biotechnology

Elective Courses (13-16 hours)

Choose one of the following:

BIOL 4150 Plant Physiology

BIOL 4200 Mammalian Physiology

BIOL 4210 Comparative Physiology

Choose one of the following:

BIOL 3020 Vertebrate Zoology

BIOL ~~3030~~⁴⁰¹⁰ Evolution

BIOL 3300 Entomology

BIOL 3310 Invertebrate Zoology

BIOL 3750 Natural History of Vertebrate Animals

BIOL 3800 Mycology

BIOL 3920 Parasitology

Choose two of the following:

BIOL 3520 Medical Microbiology

BIOL 3950 Human Embryology

BIOL 4000 Cancer Biology

BIOL 4220 Endocrinology

BIOL 4230 Neurophysiology and Disease

BIOL 4310 Applied Microbiology

BIOL 4320 Environmental Microbiology

BIOL 4400 Virology

BIOL 4510 Molecular Development

BIOL 4520 Epigenetics

BIOL 4650 Immunology

B. Chemistry and Physics (no items)

C. Computer Science and Information Technology (no items)

D. Engineering Studies (no items)

E. Mathematics (no items)

F. Psychology (no items)

OTHER BUSINESS

A. Old Business: January meetings

David Lake

ADJOURNMENT