

Arts & Sciences Curriculum Committee Meeting
Report for the Arts & Sciences Curriculum Committee Meeting
Friday, October 21, 2005

The meeting was called to order at 12:15 P.M., in Solms 205. The names of the members present are shown in bold; guests/substitutes are in italic:

Stephen Primatic, *Art, Music, & Theatre;*
Judy Awong-Taylor, *Biology;*
Leon Jaynes, *Chemistry & Physics;*
Corie Hammers, *Criminal Justice, Social, & Political Science;*
Richard McGrath, *Economics;*
Dick Nordquist, *General Studies;*
Jim Todesca, *History;*
Ellen Blossman, *Languages, Literature, & Philosophy;*
Greg Knofczynski *Mathematics;*
James Handley, *Military Science;*
Jonathan Roberts, *Psychology;*
Zaphon Wilson, Criminal Justice, Social, & Political Science;
Todd Hizer, Chemistry & Physics.

The minutes of September 23, 2005 were approved.

- I. College of Arts and Sciences
 - A. General Studies
 - B. Art, Music, & Theatre
 - C. Biology
 - D. **Chemistry & Physics**
 - 1. **A motion was made, seconded, and approved to accept the following:
Create the following major program of study:**

PROGRAM FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN CHEMISTRY

A. General Requirements

Core Areas A, B, C, D and E.....42 hours
Chemistry majors are required to take MATH 1113 in Core Area A and
MATH 1161 in Core Area D.

Area F.....18 hours
CHEM 1211/1211L, 1212/1212L-Principles of Chemistry I,II (unless taken
to satisfy Area D, in which case replace with 8 hours of lower division
electives)

Choose one sequence from:

PHYS 1111/1111L Introductory Physics I and
PHYS 1112/1112L Introductory Physics II or
PHYS 2211/2211L Principles of Physics I and
PHYS 2212/2212L Principles of Physics II

One hour excess for MATH 1161 from Core Area D

One hour lower division approved elective

Physical Education.....3 hours

B. Major Field Courses.....33 hours

Required (20 hours)

CHEM 2101/2101L Organic Chemistry I
CHEM 2102/2102L Organic Chemistry II
CHEM 2300 Principles of Chemical Analysis
CHEM 3200 Inorganic Chemistry
CHEM 3401 Physical Chemistry I

Approved upper-division electives in the major from (13 hours):

CHEM 3300 Instrumental Analysis
CHEM 3402 Physical Chemistry II
CHEM 3801 Biochemistry
CHEM 3802 Biochemistry II
CHEM 3900 Chemical Research
CHEM 4100 Advanced Organic Chemistry
CHEM 4200 Advanced Inorganic Chemistry
CHEM 4300 Advanced Analytical Chemistry
CHEM 4940 Special Topics in Chemistry
CHEM 4950 Special Lecture Topics in Chemistry
CHEM 4960 Internship
CHEM 4991 Advanced Chemical Research

Transfer credit for similar courses

C. Electives.....27 hours

18 hours of upper-division courses from within the College of Arts and Sciences
9 hours of free electives

2. **A motion was made, seconded, and approved to accept the following:**

Change the pre- and co-requisite of the following:

CHEM 3300 Instrumental Analysis 3-0-3

Prerequisite: CHEM 2102/2102L and CHEM 2300 and either
PHYS 1112/1112L or PHYS 2212/2212L

Prerequisite or Corequisite: PHYS 1112/1112L or PHYS
2212/2212L

CHEM 3401 Physical Chemistry I 3-0-3

Prerequisite: CHEM 2300 and MATH 1161 and either PHYS
1112/1112L or PHYS 2212/2212L

Prerequisite of Corequisite: PHYS 1112/1112L or PHYS
2212/2212L

Rationale: These changes facilitate completion of the B.A. in
Chemistry in a timely manner.

3. **A motion was made, seconded, and approved to accept the following:**

Modify the following Program of Study:

Program for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Chemistry
with Teacher Certification:

C. Teacher Education Courses.....26 hours

EEXE 5100U—Educating Students With Disabilities
CEUG 1010 Human Growth and Development

CEUG 2100	Teaching Students With Disabilities
MGSE 2000	The Professional Educator (one hour applied to core area F)
MGSE 2150	Adolescent Growth and Development
MGSE 3050	Secondary Curriculum and Methods
MGSE 4090	Classroom Management
MGSE 4500	Science Curriculum and Methods
MGSE 4750	Student Teaching and Seminar - 9 hours

Rationale: Brings the Department requirements in line with State of Georgia and College of Education requirements.

E. **Criminal Justice, Social, & Political Science**

1. **A motion was made, seconded, and approved to accept the following:**

Delete the following courses:

- ~~POLS 3300—Political Philosophy: Ancient and Medieval~~
- ~~POLS 3310—Modern Political Philosophy~~
- ~~POLS 3330—Contemporary Political Thought~~
- ~~POLS 3470—Governments of the European Union~~
- ~~POLS 5533U—Contemporary Political Thought~~
- ~~POLS 5533G—Contemporary Political Thought~~

Rationale: The theory courses can be combined into one single course that will serve the needs of the political science major. The POLS 3470 is being deleted to align the Political Science curriculum to national programs and with the MALPS program.

Effective Term: Spring 2006

2. **A motion was made, seconded, and approved to accept the following:**

Create the following courses:

- A. **POLS 3300 Classics of Political Thought 3-0-3**
Prerequisites: POLS 1200 or POLS 2100 or HIST 1111 or HIST 1112 or POLS 1150
Description: Selected texts in political theory, ancient and modern.

Rationale: Replaces three deleted courses, POLS 3300, 3310, and 3330 with a single course that will serve the needs of political science major.

CURCAT:

Major Department: Criminal Justice, Social, and Political Science
Can course be repeated for additional credit? no
Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3
Cross-listed courses: none

Grading Mode: normal
Instruction Type: Lecture

B. POLS 3340 POLITICS AND IDEOLOGY IN CONTEMPORARY EUROPE 3-0-3

Prerequisites: POLS 1150 or POLS 1200 or POLS 2100 or HIST 1111 or HIST 1112

Description: Interaction between political institutions and ideas in contemporary Europe.

Rationale: Effectively replaces POLS 3470 with a course that aligns curriculum with national norms in field of comparative politics. Supports Certificate in European Union Studies.

CURCAT:

Major Department: Criminal Justice, Social, and Political Science

Can course be repeated for additional credit? no

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3

Cross-listed courses: none

Grading Mode: normal

Instruction Type: Lecture

C. POLS 4300 RELIGION AND POLITICAL THOUGHT 3-0-3

Prerequisite: POLS 2100 or permission of instructor

Description: Religious traditions of Judaism, Christianity, and Islam as sources of political ideas.

Rationale: Address a vital topic currently not covered within existing political science curriculum. Religion is covered in basic political theory courses but advanced treatment is justified.

CURCAT:

Major Department: Criminal Justice, Social, and Political Science

Can course be repeated for additional credit? no

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3

Cross-listed courses: none

Grading Mode: normal

Instruction Type: Lecture

D. POLS 5270U/G Politics and the Visual Arts 3-0-3

Prerequisite for 5270U: POLS 1100 or HIST 1100 or POLS 1200 or POLS 1150 or HIST 1111 or HIST 1112

Prerequisite for 5270G: POLS 2100 or permission of instructor.

Description: Uses of visual media and representation to convey political meanings and messages.

Rationale: Address a vital topic currently not covered within existing political science curriculum. Propaganda and the politics of visual arts are covered in basic political theory courses, but advanced treatment is justified. POLS 5270G will include the study of critical social theory of art and representation.

CURCAT:

Major Department: Criminal Justice, Social, and Political Science

Can course be repeated for additional credit? no

Maximum Number of Credit Hours: 3

Cross-listed courses: none

Grading Mode: normal

Instruction Type: Lecture

3. A motion was made, seconded, and approved to accept the following:
Modify the Program of Study for the B.A. in Political Science as follows:

B. Major Field Courses..... 36 hours

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

American Political Institutions

POLS 3160 - Judicial Politics and Strategies

POLS 3170 - Constitutional Law and the Federal System

POLS 3180 - Constitutional Civil Liberties

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 4150 - American Supreme Court

POLS 4160 - American Congress

POLS 4180 - Administrative Law

CRJU/POLS 5500U - Law and Legal Process

CRJU 3100 - Research Methods

Political Theory

~~POLS 3300 - Political Philosophy: Ancient and Medieval~~

POLS 3300 - Classics of Political Thought

~~POLS 3310 - Modern Political Philosophy~~

POLS 3320 - American Political Thought

~~POLS 3330 - Contemporary Political Thought~~

POLS 3340 - Politics and Ideology in Contemporary Europe

POLS 4300 - Religion and Political Thought

POLS 5270U - Politics and the Visual Arts

~~POLS 5533U - Contemporary Political Thought~~

POLS 5535U - Public Leadership and Ethics in Theory and Practice

F. Economics

- G. History
- H. Languages, Literature, & Philosophy
- I. Mathematics
- J. Psychology
- K. Honors Program
- L. Women's Studies