

UNIVERSITY CURRICULUM COMMITTEE
ANNUAL REPORT FOR 2007-2008
(through April 25, 2008)

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The University Curriculum Committee (UCC) reported its actions periodically through the minutes approved by the Faculty Council. Copies of the UCC minutes and minor curriculum changes are posted on the UCC web site (<http://www.colostate.edu/Orgs/ucc>). In addition to the usual curricular items in the form of course and program proposals, the Committee:

1) Transmitted to the Faculty Council as special action items:

- a) Add a new graduate interdisciplinary studies program in extreme ultraviolet and optical science and technology.
- b) Add a minimum grade requirement in psychology.
- c) Drop the community youth development graduate interdisciplinary studies program.
- d) Drop the youth program management and evaluation graduate interdisciplinary studies program.
- e) Request to rename the major in speech communication (B.A.) to communication studies.
- f) Drop review course statement for the parks and protected area management concentration in the major in natural resource recreation and tourism (B.S.).
- g) Add a minor in applied statistics.
- h) Rename of the Department of Speech Communication to Communication Studies.
- i) Rename the major in speech communication (M.A.) to communication studies.
- j) Rename of the major in technical journalism (B.A.) to journalism and technical communication.
- k) Rename of the major in technical communication (M.S.) to public communication and technology.
- l) Change the minimum grade requirement for HDFS prefix courses in the major in human development and family studies.
- m) Change the minimum grade requirement for the major in biochemistry.
- n) Change the responsible department for the major in fire and emergency services administration from Construction Management to the School of Education.
- o) Drop geospatial science graduate interdisciplinary studies program.
- p) Establish Plan B programs in the specializations of family and developmental studies and marriage and family therapy, in the major in human development and family studies (M.S.).
- q) Establish a major in ethnic studies (M.A.) in the proposed Department of Ethnic Studies.
- r) Change the minimum grade requirement for physics majors in the freshman and sophomore years.
- s) Change the minimum grade requirement for the accounting concentration.
- t) Drop the biomedical engineering graduate interdisciplinary studies program.
- u) Rename the degree in social work (B.A.) to Bachelor of Social Work (B.S.W.).
- v) Establish a major in applied developmental science (Ph.D. degree) in the Department of Human Development and Family Studies.
- w) Create a Bachelor of Arts and Sciences (B.A.S.) designation for students who have completed multiple majors that include a minimum of one major that is a B.A. degree and a minimum of one major that is a B.S. degree.
- x) Revised the *Major Requirements, Second Major Requirements, and Second Bachelor's Degree* sections in the General Catalog.

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- y) Revised the *AUCC Category 2B, Advanced Writing criteria* to the *All-University Core Curriculum* section in the General Catalog.

2) Other major actions submitted to Faculty Council through the minutes:

- a) Revision to the *Colorado State University Academic Core Curriculum Report on Objectives and Criteria*.
- b) Rename the specialization in educational leadership to educational leadership, renewal, and change in the M.Ed. and Ph.D. degree programs in education and human resource studies.
- c) Drop the concentrations in communication studies, media studies, and rhetorical studies in the renamed major in communication studies.
- d) Add a specialization in agricultural extension education (Plan C) to the master of agriculture program (M. Agr.).
- e) Rename the Project Promise option in the educational leadership, renewal, and change specialization in the M.Ed. in education and human resource studies.
- f) Drop the TEAM option in the educational leadership, renewal, and change specialization in the M.Ed. in education and human resource studies.
- g) Add concentrations in general psychology and mind, brain, and behavior to the major in psychology (B.S.).
- h) Add the dietetics option (online) in the major in food science and nutrition (M.S.).
- i) Add a computing and human factors concentration in the applied computer technology major (B.S.).
- j) Drop the minor in construction management.
- k) Drop the commercial real estate option, real estate finance option, and residential real estate option in the real estate concentration in the major in business administration (B.S.).
- l) Add a separate section in the Curricular Policies and Procedures Handbook to delineate the new procedures for course changes already placed in the gtPathways curriculum.

3) Processed the following course revisions:

a) New courses:	147
b) Major course changes	140
c) Minor course changes	243
d) Dropped courses	54
Total courses	584

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- 4) Approved additions of or changes (major and minor) to 135 programs of study.** (through April 25, 2008)

- 5) Approved for inclusion, removal or moved between categories in the All-University Core Curriculum: 4 courses in category 3, 7 courses in category 4.**

Attendance: (through April 25, 2008)

Marshall Frasier, Agricultural Sciences (22 meetings)
Carole Makela, Applied Human Sciences, Chair (25 meetings)
David Gilliland, Business (24 meetings)
Patrick Fitzhorn, Engineering (24 meetings)
Donna Rouner, Liberal Arts (24 meetings)
John Ridley, Natural Resources (24 meetings)
Steven Strauss, Natural Sciences (21 meetings)
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Cathy Cranston, University Libraries (25 meetings)
Trena Anastasia, Graduate Student Representative (21 meetings)
Andy Shank, Undergraduate Student Representative (17 meetings)
Alan Lamborn (ex officio), Vice Provost for Undergraduate Studies (14 meetings)