

**UNIVERSITY CURRICULUM COMMITTEE AGENDA**  
**Friday, October 30, 2020 at 2:00 p.m.**  
**106 Administration, Provost Conference Room**



If you are unable to attend or will be sending a substitute, please notify UCC Chair Brad Goetz (1-7690) or [Curriculum@colostate.edu](mailto:Curriculum@colostate.edu) (1-2816) prior to the meeting.

**Please note:** Proposed curriculum changes are summarized below. Additional details may be viewed in the Curriculum Management (CIM) system by clicking on the [hyperlinked](#) course number or program title.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Upcoming curriculum [deadlines](#) – proposals must be approved out of the college or SAU workflow in CIM by the dates below:

- **11/13/20:**
  - Experimental courses for **Spring 2021**
- **12/11/20:**
  - New courses for **Summer 2021**
  - Changing or deactivating existing courses for **Fall 2021**
  - Changes to existing program requirements (UG and GR) for **Fall 2021**
  - Adding/deactivating Concentrations/Specializations, Minors, UG Certificates, or GISPs for **Fall 2021**
  - Changes to program titles or components thereof (UG and GR) for **Fall 2021**

**MINUTES**

The minutes of October 23, 2020.

**OTHER BUSINESS**

<b>Discussion Items</b>	
<b>Topic</b>	<b>Notes</b>
<b>Instructional Format</b>	<p>“The University Curriculum Committee supports – All approved courses <u>MAY</u> be offered in any instructional format (Face-to-face, Online, Mixed Face-to-Face + Online), consistent with HLC standards and unit priorities.”</p> <p>The special action approved by Faculty Council <b>4/7/20</b> stated, “The UCC supports approving the addition of all instructional formats (Face-to-Face, Mixed Face-to-Face, Online/Distance) for all courses previously approved in any format. This would apply to all forthcoming course proposals from Spring 2020 to Spring 2021.”</p>
Multi-level courses	<p><a href="#">UCC Handbook</a> &gt; Courses Taught at More Than One Level (page 6):  <u><b>All courses must be taught as approved by the curriculum process and must meet the goals, objectives, and requirements stated.</b></u> Normally each regular undergraduate or graduate course is approved to be taught separately from any other regular course. However, if courses are approved to be scheduled simultaneously, credit cannot be awarded for more than one of these courses</p> <p>A <b>multi-level course</b> is jointly offered at two levels. Colleges and departments are discouraged from proposing multi-level courses. To maintain high academic standards of instruction, multi-level courses should not be proposed unless a compelling reason exists for students at different academic levels to be enrolled together and earn academic credit via different course numbers. <u>Proposed multi-level courses must provide a clear distinction of student requirements at each level.</u> Credit is awarded at only one level and students cannot transfer between levels as the course progresses.</p>
BA vs. BS degrees	See documents uploaded to: FileShare > UCC Agenda > <b>09-28-18 Discussion Meeting</b> > BA vs. BS

Institutional Learning Objectives	See 'Report from the Task Force on Institutional Learning Objectives' uploaded to: FileShare > UCC Agenda > <b>04-05-19</b>
University Policies Regarding Degrees and Programs of Study – Undergraduate	See documents uploaded to and links below: FileShare > UCC Agenda > <b>09-28-18 Discussion Meeting</b> > Minors and Interdisciplinary Minors <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Curricular Policies and Procedures Manual</a>, <a href="#">General Catalog – Glossary</a>, <a href="#">General Catalog – Degree Requirements</a></li> </ul>
UCC Committee Responsibilities and Operating Procedures	See text on the Curriculum website here: <a href="https://curriculum.colostate.edu/ucc-responsibilities-procedures/">https://curriculum.colostate.edu/ucc-responsibilities-procedures/</a>

**OLD BUSINESS**

New Courses			
Course #	Course Title	Notes	Effective Term
<i>Intra-University</i>			
<a href="#">GES 201</a>	Systems Thinking in Sustainability	Required in the proposed <a href="#">Major in Global Environmental Sustainability</a> .  <i>Tabled at 9/18 meeting. Should a MATH prerequisite be added?</i>	Fall 2021
<a href="#">GES 310</a>	Sustainability Facilitation and Negotiation	Offered Distance/Online and Face-to-face. Required in the proposed <a href="#">Major in Global Environmental Sustainability</a> .  <i>Tabled at 9/18 meeting. CLOs need to be measurable and start with more active verbs.</i>	Spring 2021
<a href="#">IU 200</a>	Undergraduate Research Preparation	1 cr.; S/U only; requires written consent of instructor. Previously offered as experimental course <a href="#">IU 281A4</a> (SP19: 16 students; SP20: 14 students).  <i>Tabled at 9/25 meeting. Waiting for response from course proposers regarding Week 16 content, tightening the CLOs, and Assessment Components (attendance is 34% of grade)</i>	Spring 2021

New Undergraduate Certificate		
Program Title	Notes	Effective Term
<i>College of Natural Sciences</i>		
<a href="#">Certificate in Cannabinoid Studies</a>	Offered Main Campus Face-to-face.  <i>Tabled at 9/25 meeting. VPUA and course proposers will communicate with ICR at CSU-Pueblo prior to UCC and Faculty Council approval. Also tabled for concerns over whether there are enough cannabis-related courses to justify the certificate title.</i>	Spring 2021

**NEW BUSINESS**

<b>Major Changes to Courses</b>			
<b>Course #</b>	<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Notes</b>	<b>Effective Term</b>
<i>Intra-University</i>			
<a href="#">LIFE 201B</a>	Introductory Genetics: Molecular/Immunological/Developmental	Edits to course description and offering term, addition of Distance/Online offering.	Spring 2021
<i>College of Liberal Arts</i>			
<a href="#">SOC 324</a>	Food Justice	Edit to course description.	Summer 2021
<a href="#">SOC 357</a>	Women, Crime, and Victimization	Edit to course description.	Summer 2021

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<i>College of Veterinary Medicine and Biomedical Sciences</i>			
<a href="#">VS 795U</a>	Independent Study: Oncology	1-10 var. cr.	Summer 2021

<b>Program Deactivations</b>			
<b>Program Title</b>	<b>Notes</b>	<b>Last term to admit</b>	<b>Last term to complete</b>
<i>College of Agricultural Sciences</i>			
<a href="#">BFMF: Certificate in Beef Feedlot Management</a>	Deactivating due to low enrollment and planned program changes. There are currently 2 students enrolled.	Fall 2020	Summer 2022
<a href="#">BPSF: Certificate in Beef Production Systems</a>	Deactivating due to low enrollment and planned program changes. There are currently 4 students enrolled.	Fall 2020	Summer 2023
<a href="#">MSCF: Certificate in Meat Science</a>	Deactivating due to low enrollment and planned program changes. There are currently 5 students enrolled.	Fall 2020	Summer 2023

**CONSENT AGENDA**

<b>Experimental Courses – 1st Offering</b>			
<b>Course #</b>	<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Notes/Changes</b>	<b>Effective Term</b>
<b><i>College of Liberal Arts</i></b>			
<a href="#">ETST 180A1</a>	Dialogue, Diversity, Inclusivity, and Access: Social Sciences	This experimental course is intended as a pilot for the AUCC 1C category. Offered Face-to-face, Mixed Face-to-face, and Distance/Online.	Spring 2021
<b><i>College of Natural Sciences</i></b>			
<a href="#">MATH 581A3</a>	History of Mathematics	Distance/Online only.	Spring 2021
<b><i>Walter Scott, Jr. College of Engineering</i></b>			
<a href="#">SYSE 580A1</a>	Control Engineering for System Engineers	Offered Face-to-face, Mixed Face-to-face, and Distance/Online.	Spring 2021
<a href="#">SYSE 580A2</a>	Applied Systems Thinking for the Real World	Offered Face-to-face, Mixed Face-to-face, and Distance/Online.	Spring 2021

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<b><i>College of Liberal Arts</i></b>			
<a href="#">HIST 430</a>	Ancient Near East	<i>C&amp;C Unit will administratively remove from IAIQ and IGBQ.</i>	Spring 2021