

UNIVERSITY CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MINUTES

A ‘virtual’ meeting of the University Curriculum Committee was held on **October 2, 2020** at 2:00 p.m. via Microsoft Teams. The meeting adjourned at 3:55 p.m.

Minutes

The minutes of September 25, 2020 were approved.

Consent Agenda

The Consent Agenda was approved.

Please note: Approved 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 below. Once a course proposal is fully approved through the CIM workflow (approved proposal will be viewable under ‘History’ box on right side of CIM-Courses screen), the course should be available to be added to the Class Schedule in ARIES/Banner (contingent on the effective term approved by UCC and Scheduling deadlines).

Miscellaneous Memo Request	
Request	Justification
Reactivate ENGR 566 dual-listing with ECE 566	The College of Engineering would like to reactivate the ENGR listing for ECE 566 to dual-list the course as ECE 566/ENGR 566. Based on the current high-level of interest in alternative energy technologies across the college, this dual-listing will better indicate to students that the course is accessible to them and provide messaging on non-ECE students' records that the course was an appropriate component of their academic training.

Study Abroad Course – Permanent Offering			
Course #	Course Title	Notes	Effective Term
NRRT 322	Study Abroad—Italy: Introduction to Culinary Tourism	3 cr. Travel dates: 5/22/21-6/4/21 (2 weeks) <i>Offered provisionally as NRRT 382A in SU20, but cancelled due to COVID-19.</i>	Summer 2021

New Courses			
Course #	Course Title	Notes	Effective Term
CO 152	Writing Seminar—CSU Writing Center	1 cr.; S/U only. Previously offered as experimental course CO 180A1 .	Summer 2021
GR 425A	Special Topics: Human Geography	1-3 var. cr. seminars.	Spring 2021
GR 425B	Special Topics: Geospatial Geography		
GR 425C	Special Topics: Physical Geography		
MECH 421	Fundamentals of Wind Energy	Offered Distance/Online and Face-to-face. Previously offered as experimental course MECH 481A5 .	Summer 2021
MIP 687	BioPharma Internship	1 cr.; partial semester; requires admission to the MS Microbiology Plan B program, written consent of instructor, and background check. Previously offered as experimental course MIP 681A3 .	Spring 2021
NR 221	Integrated NR Ecology and Management	5 cr.; partial semester; offered Distance/Online only.	Summer 2021
SOGR 545	Current Methods in Microbial Genomics	2 cr.; Graduate only.	Spring 2021
SOWK 678	Social Work Skills for Addictions Practice	Offered Distance/Online and Face-to-face. Previously offered as experimental course SOWK 581A1 .	Summer 2021

Major Changes to Courses			
Course #	Course Title	Notes	Effective Term
AA 100	Introduction to Astronomy	Addition of Distance/Online offering.	Summer 2021
AA 101	Astronomy Laboratory	Addition of Distance/Online offering.	Summer 2021
ANTH 365	Quantifying Anthropology	Addition of Distance/Online offering.	Summer 2021
HIST 436	The Land of Israel-Past and Present	Edit to course description; addition of Distance/Online offering; replacing a registration restriction: NO Freshman Completion of 45 credits	Spring 2021
JTC 526	Digital Media Writing and Production	Addition of Distance/Online offering.	Summer 2021
JTC 545	Organizational Media Production	Addition of Distance/Online offering.	Summer 2021
MECH 201	Engineering Design I	Edits to course description and offering term; addition of Distance/Online offering.	Summer 2021
MECH 231	Engineering Experimentation	Edits to course description; addition of Distance/Online offering.	Summer 2021
MECH 307	Mechatronics and Measurement Systems	Addition of Distance/Online offering.	Summer 2021
MECH 325	Machine Design	Edit to offering term; addition of Distance/Online offering.	Summer 2021
MECH 344	Heat and Mass Transfer	Edits to course description and offering term; addition of Distance/Online offering.	Summer 2021
MECH 407	Laser Applications in Mechanical Engineering	Addition of Distance/Online offering.	Summer 2021
MECH 417	Control Systems	Addition of Distance/Online offering.	Summer 2021
MECH 507	Laser Diagnostics for Thermosciences	Addition of Distance/Online offering (<i>already approved in 2013– included here since the course was updated in CIM</i>)	Summer 2021
MECH 524	Principles of Dynamics	Addition of Distance/Online offering.	Summer 2021
MECH 539	Advanced Fluid Mechanics	Addition of Distance/Online offering.	Summer 2021
MECH 573/BIOM 573	Structure and Function of Biomaterials	Addition of Distance/Online offering.	Summer 2021
MECH 578/BIOM 578	Musculoskeletal Biosolid Mechanics	Addition of Distance/Online offering.	Summer 2021
MU 252D	Instrumental Techniques: Percussion	Edits to course description and offering term; addition of ‘Music majors only’ restriction.	Summer 2021
SOC 358	Punishment and Society	Edit to course description.	Spring 2021

AUCC 3E and Guaranteed Transfer (GT) Pathways Course Resubmissions (GT-SS3)			
Course #	Course Title	Notes/Changes	Effective Term
ETST 100	Introduction to Ethnic Studies	Resubmissions for AUCC 3E and GT-SS3 – Human Behavior, Culture, or Social Frameworks.	Spring 2021
ETST 205	Ethnicity and the Media		Spring 2021
ETST 256	Border Crossings— People/Politics/Culture	Resubmission for AUCC 3E and GT-SS3 – Human Behavior, Culture, or Social Frameworks. <i>Administrative correction to course title (removing subtopic)</i>	Spring 2021

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Experimental Courses – 1st Offering			
Course #	Course Title	Notes/Changes	Effective Term
ANTH 580A4	The Science of Human Origins		Spring 2021
BC 580A2	Stem Cell Origin and Applications		Spring 2021
ETST 280A3	African American Creative Expression	Offered Face-to-face, Mixed Face-to-face, and Distance/Online.	Spring 2021
PH 780A1	Advanced Atomic, Molecular, Optical Physics		Spring 2021

Minutes electronically approved by the University Curriculum Committee on 10/5/20.

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