

UNIVERSITY CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MINUTES

A ‘virtual’ meeting of the University Curriculum Committee was held on **October 15, 2021** at 11:00 a.m. via Microsoft Teams. The meeting adjourned at 11:25 a.m.

Minutes

The minutes of October 8, 2021 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).

Exception Request for Third Experimental Course Offering			
Course #	Course Title	Notes/Changes	Effective Term
MECH 481A4	Green Engineering-- Materials and Environment	1 st offering: SP20; 2 nd offering: SP21. Permanent course proposal: MECH 436/MSE 436.	Spring 2022

New Course			
Course #	Course Title	Notes	Effective Term
NR 453	Geospatial Field Methods in Natural Resources	2 cr., partial semester; required field trips. Previously offered as experimental course NR 481A1.	Summer 2022

Major Changes to Existing Programs		
Program Title	Notes	Effective Term
FRRS-RFMZ-BS: Major in Forest and Rangeland Stewardship, Rangeland & Forest Management Concentration	• Senior year: addition of F 335 to a ‘Select one course’ list.	Fall 2022
NRMG-BS: Major in Natural Resource Management	• Junior year: replacing required course NR 326 with F 325.	Fall 2022
RECO-BS: Major in Restoration Ecology	• Senior year: removal of NR 326 from a ‘Select one course’ list.	Fall 2022

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Experimental Courses – 1st Offering			
Course #	Course Title	Notes/Changes	Effective Term
ATS 780A7	Machine Learning for the Atmospheric Sciences	2 cr.	Spring 2022
POLS 580A3	Theories of Political Communication	Graduate only.	Spring 2022

Minor Changes to Courses			
Course #	Course Title	Notes/Changes	Effective Term
NR 310	Ecosystem Services and Human Well-Being	• Edit to offering term: Fall Spring	Fall 2022
NR 510	Ecosystem Services—Theory and Practice	• Edit to offering term: Fall Spring	Fall 2022

Course Deactivations			
Course #	Course Title	Notes	Effective Term
NR 326	Forest Vegetation Management	<i>C&C Unit will administratively remove from the following programs:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• ECSS-BS (elective list)• FWCB-CNVZ-BS (Junior year 'Select one' list)• FWCB-FASZ-BS (Junior year 'Select one' list)• ECRQ (Third year 'Select two' list)• IEAQ (elective list) <i>NR 326 will remain listed an 'or' prerequisite for NR 477 and NR 479 for a few years.</i>	Summer 2022

Minutes approved by the University Curriculum Committee on 10/22/21.

Brad Goetz, Chair
Shelly Ellerby and Susan Horan, Curriculum & Catalog