

UNIVERSITY CURRICULUM COMMITTEE AGENDA
Friday, September 26, 2025 at 10:00 a.m.
Virtual Meeting via Microsoft Teams

If you are unable to attend or will be sending a substitute, please notify UCC Chair Brad Goetz (1-7690) or Curriculum@colostate.edu 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

1. Upcoming [deadlines](#) for proposals to be approved out of the college or SAU workflow in CIM:
 - **10/3/25** – Changing or deactivating courses for Summer 2026 and study abroad courses for SU26 & FA26
 - **11/7/25** – New experimental courses for Spring 2026
 - **12/5/25** – Changing or deactivating courses for Fall 2026; new courses for Summer 2026; all program proposals for Fall 2026 (other than new degrees and grad certs)

MINUTES

The minutes of September 19, 2025.

OTHER BUSINESS

Discussion Items	
Topic	Notes
Courses not taught in several years	Memo saved in ‘Provost UCC’ Teams Files tab: Memo on Untaught Courses.pdf
Partial semester courses	CIM course form – how to best show course content?
Multi-level courses	UCC Handbook > Courses Taught at More Than One Level (page 6):
Prerequisites for graduate-level courses	MS Teams > Provost UCC > Files tab > 2021-22 Meeting Materials > 4-22-22 UCC Meeting
UCC Committee Responsibilities and Operating Procedures	See text on the Curriculum website here: https://curriculum.colostate.edu/ucc-responsibilities-procedures/
Which policy topics should UCC be prioritizing?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overlap between majors and minors • Definition/criteria of Interdisciplinary Minors vs. Minors • Prerequisites for graduate-level courses • Affected department review (approval stops vs. FYIs, etc.) • ‘As needed’ offering term • Course numbers • Others?
Overlapping content and affected department review	Working document from Associate Deans: Best Practices for developing new courses and programs: facilitating positive communication among departments and colleges

OLD BUSINESS

Study Abroad Course – Permanent Offering			
Course #	Course Title	Notes	Effective Term
<i>Intra-University</i>			
IE 252C	Study Abroad -- Latin America: Create Your Story	3 cr.; previously offered FA24 and FA25 as provisional course IE 282B <i>Tabled at 8/29/25 meeting for clarification on contact hours, CLOs #7 and #8, and regarding which academic unit is working with OIP.</i>	Spring 2026

Major Changes to Existing Courses			
Course #	Course Title	Notes/Changes	Effective Term
<i>Intra-University</i>			
IU 182A IU 382A	Study Abroad -- Costa Rica: Transfer Student Seminar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Change in course level and course number • Updated documents attached (approval letter, budget, and syllabus) <i>Tabled at 9/12/25 meeting for the UCC Chair to confer with the VPDUA on whether the contact hours are sufficient for 3 credits.</i>	Spring 2026

<i>College of Agricultural Sciences</i>			
Course #	Course Title	Notes/Changes	Effective Term
SOCR 345/ HORT 345	Organic Field Hands-on Diagnostics Experience Diagnosis and Treatment in Organic Fields	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Edits to course title and abbreviated title • Edits to course description • Universal restrictions added • Edits/Updates to Reg Info, Add'l Reg Info, CLOs, assessment components, weekly schedule, and other info in CIM <i>Tabled at 8/29/25 meeting regarding adding a full 16 weeks of content to the weekly schedule.</i>	Spring 2026

<i>College of Health and Human Sciences</i>			
Course #	Course Title	Notes/Changes	Effective Term
HDFS 201	Current Topics in Healthy Aging Perspectives in Gerontology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proposed for AUCC 3C • Edits to course title and abbreviated title • Edits to course description • Registration Info added • Edits to CLOs, assessment components, weekly schedule, and other info in CIM <i>Tabled at 9/19/25 meeting to hold for the VPDUA to receive guidance from CDHE on inclusion into GT Pathways.</i>	Spring 2026
HDFS 478	HDFS Professional Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Edits to course description • Switching to a partial semester course • Face-to-Face removed from instructional format • Edits to Reg Info, Add'l Reg Info, CLOs, assessment components, weekly schedule, and other info in CIM <i>Tabled at 9/5/25 meeting to resolve how many weeks of course content are required in the weekly schedule, and ensure the contact hours are accounted for.</i>	Spring 2026

College of Liberal Arts			
E 202	English Language Use in Society	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proposed for AUCC 1C (Currently AUCC 3B) • Edits to course title and abbreviated title • Edits to course description • Edits to CLOs, assessment components, weekly schedule, and other info in CIM <p><i>Tabled at 9/12/25 meeting for possible revision of the course description.</i></p>	Spring 2026
LSPA 300	Reading and Writing for Communication-Spanish	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proposed for AUCC 2 • Edits to CLOs, assessment components, weekly schedule, and other info in CIM <p><i>Tabled at 9/12/25 meeting to clarify whether a course that's taught in a language other than English is allowed to be designated as GT Pathways (GT-CO3).</i></p>	Spring 2026
MU 133	Survey of Jazz History	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proposed for AUCC 1C (currently AUCC 3B) • Edits to CLOs, weekly schedule, and student experiences field <p><i>Tabled at 9/19/25 meeting for dept. to provide an updated GT Pathways submittal form and to include CLO #9 in the CLOs and the weekly schedule. (email sent to dept. 9/17/25)</i></p>	Spring 2026

New Courses			
Course #	Course Title	Notes	Effective Term
College of Liberal Arts			
SPMT 527	Content Creation in Sport	2 cr.; partial semester; Graduate only; previously offered as experimental course SPMT 580A1 <i>Tabled at 9/5/25 meeting to resolve the issue of how many weeks of course content should be included in the weekly schedule.</i>	Summer 2026
SPMT 613	Sport and Innovation	2 cr.; partial semester; Graduate only; previously offered as experimental course SPMT 680A1 <i>Tabled at 9/5/25 meeting for the CLA rep to provide a syllabus.</i>	Summer 2026
College of Veterinary Medicine and Biomedical Sciences			
ERHS 592C	Seminar: Toxicology	1 cr. <i>Tabled at 9/19/25 meeting for the proposer to provide an appropriate restriction and/or prereq for a 500-level course. (Prereq updated in CIM.)</i>	Fall 2026
MIP 505A	Professional and Career Development: Graduate School Survival Guide	1 cr.; partial semester; Graduate only; previously offered as experimental course MIP 580A8 <i>Tabled at 9/19/25 meeting to attach a syllabus.</i>	Fall 2026
MIP 505B	Professional and Career Development: Presentations, Publishing, and Prelims	1 cr.; partial semester; Graduate only; previously offered as experimental course MIP 580A9 <i>Tabled at 9/19/25 meeting to attach a syllabus.</i>	Fall 2026

MIP 505C	Professional and Career Development: Early Career Skills	1 cr.; partial semester; Graduate only; previously offered as experimental course MIP 580B5 <i>Tabled at 9/19/25 meeting to attach a syllabus.</i>	Fall 2026
Walter Scott, Jr. College of Engineering			
CBE 110A	Sustainable Manufacturing of Chocolate: Engineering & Ethics Class	Proposed for AUCC 3A <i>Tabled at 9/19/25 meeting to hold for the VPDUA to receive guidance from CDHE on inclusion into GT Pathways.</i>	Spring 2026
CBE 110B	Sustainable Manufacturing of Chocolate: Engineering & Ethics Lab	Proposed for AUCC 3A; 1 cr. <i>Tabled at 9/19/25 meeting to hold for the VPDUA to receive guidance from CDHE on inclusion into GT Pathways.</i>	Spring 2026
SYSE 552	Humanitarian Engineering	Previously offered as experimental course SYSE 581A3 <i>Tabled at 9/19/25 meeting for possible addition of an UG-level prereq.</i>	Summer 2026
Warner College of Natural Resources			
NRRT 252	Backpacking Leadership	1 cr.; partial semester; previously offered as experimental course NRRT 280A2 <i>Tabled at 9/12/25 meeting for the WCNR rep to ask the dept. to provide a syllabus listing the contact hours.</i>	Summer 2026
NRRT 255	Mountain Biking Leadership	1 cr.; partial semester; previously offered as experimental course NRRT 280A5 <i>Tabled at 9/12/25 meeting for the WCNR rep to ask the dept. to provide a syllabus listing the contact hours.</i>	Fall 2026

New Minor		
Program Title	Notes	Effective Term
Walter Scott, Jr. College of Engineering		
Minor in Chemical and Biological Engineering	Offered Main Campus Face-to-Face and Online/DCE. <i>Tabled at 9/19/25 meeting for prereq/hidden prerequisite issues.</i>	Spring 2026

NEW BUSINESS

Exception Request for Third Experimental Course Offering			
Course #	Course Title	Notes/Changes	Effective Term
College of Natural Sciences			
NSCI 580A7	Advanced Animal Training	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Previous offerings: SP24 (14 students); SP25 (23 students) • New permanent course NSCI 574 proposed (<i>see below</i>) 	Spring 2026

Study Abroad Course – Permanent Offering			
Course #	Course Title	Notes	Effective Term
<i>Intra-University</i>			
ERHS 482B (will replace w/ permanent #)	Study Abroad -- Japan: Health Physics-Radiation Emergency Medicine	3 cr.; previously offered SU25 as provisional course ERHS 482A	Summer 2026

Major Changes to Existing Courses			
Course #	Course Title	Notes/Changes	Effective Term
<i>College of Health and Human Sciences</i>			
EDCO 652	Ethical and Legal Issues in Counseling Ethics in Counseling/Career Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Edits to course title and abbreviated title Edit to Offering Term: Fall Spring Updates to CLOs, assessment components, weekly schedule, and other info in CIM 	Fall 2026
EDAE 692	Seminar-Experiential Education Seminar-Adult Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Credit change (from 1-18 var. cr. to 3 cr.) Change of schedule type (from seminar to recitation/online recitation) Edits to course title and abbreviated title Edits to course description Edit to Offering Term: Summer Every Switching to a partial semester course Edits/Updates to universal restrictions, Add'l Reg Info, CLOs, assessment components, weekly schedule, and other info in CIM 	Summer 2026
HDFS 612	Adolescent Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Change of schedule type/credit distribution (from lecture/recitation to lecture only) (2-0-1) to (3-0-0) Registration info removed Edits to PLOs, CLOs, and weekly schedule 	Fall 2026
HDFS 613	Adult Development and Aging	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Change of schedule type/credit distribution (from lecture/recitation to lecture only) (2-0-1) to (3-0-0) Registration info removed Edits to CLOs and weekly schedule 	Spring 2027
<i>College of Veterinary Medicine and Biomedical Sciences</i>			
MIP 551	Infectious Diseases and Social Equity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Edits to course description 	Fall 2026
MIP 552	Social Impacts of Biomedical Research	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Edits to course description 	Fall 2026

New Courses			
Course #	Course Title	Notes	Effective Term
<i>College of Health and Human Sciences</i>			
FSHN 235	Eating the American Story	Proposed for AUCC 3D	Fall 2026
<i>College of Liberal Arts</i>			
PHIL 264	Animal Ethics	Previously offered as experimental course PHIL 280A2	Summer 2026
<i>College of Natural Sciences</i>			
NSCI 572	Teaching Animal Training Classes	Previously offered as experimental course NSCI 580A6	Fall 2026

NSCI 574	Advanced Animal Behavior and Training	4 cr.; previously offered as experimental course NSCI 580A7	Spring 2027
NSCI 576	Applied Animal Behavior Consulting		Spring 2027
Warner College of Natural Resources			
ESS 530	Introduction to Carbon Finance	1 cr.; partial semester	Spring 2027

Miscellaneous Memo Requests – New Subject Codes

Request	Justification
College of Health and Human Sciences	
EDEL: Elementary Education	See CIM for full rationale/justification.
College of Liberal Arts	
LS: Legal Studies	See CIM for full rationale/justification.

CONSENT AGENDA

Experimental Courses – 1st Offering

Course #	Course Title	Notes/Changes	Effective Term
College of Liberal Arts			
MU 480A8	String Lab for Preservice Music Educators	2 cr.	Spring 2026
College of Natural Sciences			
BC 480A6	Computational Biochemistry		Spring 2026
College of Veterinary Medicine and Biomedical Sciences			
VMBS 380A1	Biomedical Cell Biology		Spring 2026

Minor Changes to Existing Courses

Course #	Course Title	Notes/Changes	Effective Term
College of Liberal Arts			
E 301	Framing Texts and Critical Theory in Equity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Edit to prerequisites: CO 150 <u>or</u> HONR 193. <i>Submitted in CIM as Major change</i>	Fall 2026
Walter Scott, Jr. College of Engineering			
CIVE 202	Numerical Modeling and Optimization	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Edit to prerequisites: ENGR 114 (CIVE 403) and (MATH 159, may be taken concurrently or MATH 160, may be taken concurrently). Edits to Add'l Reg Info and other info in CIM <i>Submitted in CIM as Major change</i>	Fall 2026

<i>Warner College of Natural Resources</i>			
ESS 365	Global Climate Justice	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Edit to Additional Reg Info: Completion of AUCC categories 2 and 3A. Credit not allowed for both ESS 365 and ESS 381A1. <p><i>Submitted in CIM as Major change</i></p>	Summer 2026
ESS 542	Greenhouse Gas Policies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Edit to Offering Term: Fall Spring Edits to CLOs <p><i>Submitted in CIM as Major change</i></p>	Fall 2026