# UNIVERSITY CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MINUTES

A 'virtual' meeting of the University Curriculum Committee was held on **October 3, 2025** at 10:00 a.m. via Microsoft Teams. The meeting adjourned at 11:25 a.m.

**Minutes**
The minutes of September 26, 2025 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).

| Major Changes to Existing Courses | | | |
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| **Course #** | **Course Title** | **Notes/Changes** | **Effective Term** |
| EDAE 692 | Seminar-Experiential Education ~~Seminar-Adult Education~~ | • **Credit change (from 1-18 var. cr. to 3 cr.)**<br>• **Change of schedule type** *(from seminar to recitation/ online recitation)*<br>• Edits to course title, abbreviated title, and description<br>• Edit to Offering Term: Summer ~~Every~~<br>• Switching to a partial semester course<br>• Edits/Updates to universal restrictions, Add'l Reg Info, CLOs, assessment components, weekly schedule, and other info in CIM | Summer 2026 |
| HDFS 470C | Campus Connections: Program Administration | • **Change of schedule type/credit distribution** *(from lab/recitation to lab only) (0-1-2) to (0-3-0)*<br>• Registration info removed | Fall 2026 |
| HDFS 500 | Issues in Human Development & Family Studies | • **Change of schedule type/credit distribution** *(from lecture/lab to lecture only) (1-0-2) to (3-0-0)*<br>• Universal restriction added: Graduate Only<br>• Registration info removed; add'l reg. info added<br>• Updates to PLOs, CLOs, assessment components, weekly schedule, and other info in CIM | Fall 2026 |
| HDFS 592 | Grant Writing--Research/ Program Development | • **Change of schedule type/credit distribution** *(from lecture/ recitation to lecture only) (2-0-1) to (3-0-0)*<br>• Registration info removed; add'l reg. info added<br>• Updates to PLOs, CLOs, and weekly schedule | Spring 2027 |
| HDFS 650 | Multivariate Research Methods I | • **Change of schedule type/credit distribution** *(from lecture/ recitation to lecture only) (2-0-1) to (3-0-0)*<br>• Registration info removed<br>• Updates to PLOs, CLOs, assessment components, weekly schedule, and other info in CIM | Fall 2026 |
| JTC 210 | Media Writing ~~Newswriting~~ | • Edits to course title and abbreviated title<br>• Edits to course description | Fall 2026 |

| New Courses | | | |
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| **Course #** | **Course Title** | **Notes** | **Effective Term** |
| CIVE 503 | Flood, Climate Analysis and Risk Management | Previously offered as experimental course CIVE 580C1 | Fall 2026 |
| DSCI 520 | Optimization for Data Science and AI | | Fall 2026 |
| DSCI 521 | Introduction to Optimization for Data Science | 1 cr.; Graduate only; previously offered as experimental course DSCI 580A6/MATH 580A6 | Fall 2026 |
| NRRT 252 | Backpacking Leadership | 1 cr.; partial semester; previously offered as experimental course NRRT 280A2 | Summer 2026 |
| NRRT 255 | Mountain Biking Leadership | 1 cr.; partial semester; previously offered as experimental course NRRT 280A5 | Fall 2026 |

| Major Changes to Existing Programs | | |
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| **Program Title** | **Notes** | **Effective Term** |
| IECF: Certificate in Infant and Early Childhood Mental Health | • Adding courses to the 'select from' list.<br>• Changing total credits from 12 to 12-15. | Fall 2026 |
| ENGQ: Minor in English | • Adding several courses to 'select from' lists<br>• **Adding Online/DCE offering format** | **Spring 2026** |

| Miscellaneous Memo Request – New Subject Code | |
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| **Request** | **Justification** |
| LS: Legal Studies | See CIM for full rationale/justification. |

## CONSENT AGENDA

| Minor Changes to Existing Courses | | | |
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| **Course #** | **Course Title** | **Notes/Changes** | **Effective Term** |
| DSCI 445 | Statistical Machine Learning | • Existing AUCC 4B<br>• Adding online offering format | Fall 2026 |
| GES 130 | Introduction to Sustainability Engagement | • Edit to Grade Mode: Traditional ~~S/U Sat/Unsat Only~~<br>• Updates to Add'l Reg Info and weekly schedule<br><br>*Submitted in CIM as Major change* | Fall 2026 |
| LIFE 210 | Introductory Eukaryotic Cell Biology | • Edits to CLOs, weekly schedule, and textbooks/course materials<br><br>*Submitted in CIM as Major change* | Summer 2026 |
| NR 505 | Concepts in GIS | • Edit to prerequisites: ESS 523A or STAT 301. ~~or STAR 511 or STAT 511A.~~ | Fall 2026 |
| STAT 305 | Sampling Techniques | • Edit to prerequisites: ERHS 307 or STAT 301 or STAT 302A or STAT 307 ~~or STAT 311~~ or STAT 315.<br>• Prereq details added<br>• Updates to CLOs, assessment components, weekly schedule, and other info in CIM<br><br>*Submitted in CIM as Major change* | Fall 2026 |

| TH 268 | Projection Design I | • Edit to prerequisites: None. ~~TH 264~~ | Fall 2026 |
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| TH 286 | Theatre Practicum II--Shop Assignment | • Edit to prerequisites: None. ~~TH 186~~ | Fall 2026 |
| TH 363 | Costume Design II | • Edit to Offering Term: Fall ~~Spring~~ | Fall 2026 |
| TH 364 | Lighting Design II | • Edit to Offering Term: Fall ~~Spring~~<br>• Updated CLOs | Fall 2026 |
| WR 512 | Water Law for Non-Lawyers | • Edit to Offering Term: Fall ~~Spring~~<br>• Universal restrictions added; updates to CLOs, assessment components, weekly schedule, and other info in CIM<br><br>*Submitted in CIM as Major change* | Fall 2026 |

Minutes approved by the University Curriculum Committee on 10/10/25.

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