

UNIVERSITY CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MINUTES

A ‘virtual’ meeting of the University Curriculum Committee was held on **November 7, 2025** at 10:00 a.m. via Microsoft Teams. The meeting adjourned at 11:40 a.m.

Minutes

The minutes of October 31, 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).

Misc. Memo Request: Subject Code Change		
Request	Rationale/Justification	Effective Term
RRM (Restaurant and Resort Management) to HEM (Hospitality and Event Management)	The founding name of the Program was Restaurant and Resort Management back in 1996 with RRM prefix. In the past two decades, we underwent two program name changes: Hospitality Management in 2010 and Hospitality and Event Management in 2023. We want to match our current Program name with our subject code and course prefix. <i>(see CIM for more details)</i>	Fall 2026

Exception Request for Third Experimental Course Offering			
Course #	Course Title	Notes/Changes	Effective Term
BUS 380A5	Large Venue Management and Operations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Previous offerings: SP25 (21 students); FA25 (21 students) • New permanent course BUS 364 	Spring 2026

Major Changes to Existing Courses			
Course #	Course Title	Notes/Changes	Effective Term
BSPM 308	Ecology and Management of Weeds	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Edit to abbreviated title • Distance/Online added to instructional format • Updates to universal restrictions, Add'l Reg Info, CLOs, assessment components, weekly schedule, and other info in CIM 	Fall 2026
ESS 501	Ecosystem Sustainability for Researchers Principles of Ecosystem Sustainability	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Edits to course title and abbreviated title • Edits to course description • Edit to prerequisites: None. BZ 300 to 499 at least 3 credits or CHEM 300 to 499 at least 3 credits or LIFE 300 to 499 at least 3 credits • Universal restriction added: Graduate Only • Reg Info and Add'l Reg Info updated • Updates to CLOs, assessment components, weekly schedule, and other info in CIM 	Fall 2026

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 	Summer 2026
PHIL 325	Philosophy of Science Philosophy of Natural Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Edits to course title and abbreviated title • Edits to course description • Edit to Offering Year: Even Every • Edit to Offering Term: Spring Fall • Edit to prerequisites: BIO 100 to 499 - at least 3 credits or CHEM 100 to 499 - at least 3 credits or ECON 100 to 499 - at least 3 credits or PH 100 to 499 - at least 3 credits, PHIL 210 • Prereq details and universal restriction added • Updates to Add'l Reg Info, CLOs, assessment components, weekly schedule, and other info in CIM 	Fall 2026

New Courses			
Course #	Course Title	Notes	Effective Term
CIS 578	Machine Learning Development Operations		Summer 2026
ENGR 537	Spaceflight Experimentation and Commerce		Fall 2026
ESS 546	Env Data Sci Applications-Adv GHG Inventories	Previously offered as ESS 696	Fall 2026
MU 306	Latin American and Latino Popular Music		Fall 2026
PHIL 361	Philosophies of India		Fall 2026
PHIL 362	Buddhist Philosophy		Fall 2026
SYSE 551	Sustainable Systems Engineering	Graduate or Professional only; previously offered as experimental course SYSE 580A9	Fall 2026
SYSE 574	AI-Augmented Systems Engineering	Previously offered as experimental course SYSE 580A6	Fall 2026

New Minor		
Program Title	Notes	Effective Term
Minor in Social Work	Offered Main Campus Face-to-Face and Online/DCE.	Fall 2026

Major Changes to Existing Programs		
Program Title	Notes	Effective Term
ANTQ: Minor in Anthropology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Online/DCE offering added • Program description and PLOs added 	Fall 2026
CMIS-MCIS: Master of Computer Information Systems, Plan C (M.C.I.S.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PLOs updated • See CIM for all program changes 	Fall 2026
IPCQ: Interdisciplinary Minor in Political Communication	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Program description and PLOs added • POLS 307 and SPCM 311 added to elective lists 	Fall 2026

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Experimental Course – 1st Offering			
Course #	Course Title	Notes/Changes	Effective Term
NRRT 480A2	Social Aspects of Animal Protection	Online only	Spring 2026

Minor Changes to Existing Courses			
Course #	Course Title	Notes/Changes	Effective Term
AB 120	Agricultural Biology-- Freshman Orientation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Distance/Online added to instructional format Edits/updates to weekly schedule <p><i>Submitted in CIM as Major change</i></p>	Fall 2026
BUS 650	Supply Chain Management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Add'l Reg Info added: Enrollment in the Impact MBA or Dual Impact MFIN Programs may be substituted for the prerequisite. CLOs added 	Fall 2026
ECE 455	Introduction to Robot Programming/Simulation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Credit not allowed statement added to Add'l Reg Info Updates to Program Pick List and student experiences field <p><i>Submitted in CIM as Major change</i></p>	Fall 2026
ECE 572	Semiconductor Transistors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Edit to Offering Term: As Needed Spring Universal restrictions added Edits to assessment components, weekly schedule, and other info in CIM <p><i>Submitted in CIM as Major change</i></p>	Fall 2026
MU 466	Song Literature	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Edit to prerequisites: MU 111 or MU 117. MU 272Q or concurrent registration or MU 275Q or concurrent registration. Updates to prereq details, Add'l Reg Info, Program Pick List, and weekly schedule <p><i>Submitted in CIM as Major change</i></p>	Fall 2026

Course Deactivations			
Course #	Course Title	Notes/Changes	Effective Term
PHIL 359	Philosophy of Human Nature	<p><i>C&C Unit will administratively remove this course from the following programs:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Interdisciplinary Minor in Religious Studies</i> <i>Major in Agricultural Education, Industry Instruction and Management Concentration</i> 	Summer 2026
PHIL 545	Concept of Natural Value	Not referenced in any courses or programs.	Summer 2026
PHIL 555	Seminar in Philosophical Models of Nature	Not referenced in any courses or programs.	Summer 2026

Minutes approved by the University Curriculum Committee on 11/14/25.

Brad Goetz, Chair
 Shelly Ellerby and Erin Trant, Curriculum & Catalog