Annual Report of the Curricula & Courses Committee
to the University Senate
April 30, 2018

During the period April 4, 2017 through April 2, 2018, the Curricula and Courses Committee met 15 times and brought to the Senate the following actions:

I. **1000-level course actions approved by the Senate:**

   New courses added:
   
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MARN 1004  Oceanography Laboratory (2/5/18)
MATH 1793  Foreign Study (5/1/17)
URBN 2400  City and Community in Film (2/5/18)

II. 2000-level course actions approved by the Senate:

New courses added:

AMST/ENGL 2276/W  American Utopias and Dystopias (3/5/18)
AMST/ENGL/HIST 2207  Empire and U.S. Culture (3/5/18)
ARAB 2170  Levantine Arabic (12/4/17)
ARIS 2170  Arabic Cinema (12/4/17)
ARTH/AASI 2030  Art, Politics, and Propaganda (4/2/18)
COMM 2110  Presenting in the Digital World (12/4/17)
DRAM 2203  The Holocaust in Print, Theater, and Film (5/1/17)
ENGL 2013W  Introduction to Writing Studies (3/5/18)
ENGL 2605/W  Capitalism, Literature, and Culture (11/6/17)
ENGL 2607  Literature and Science (5/1/17)
ENVE 2411  Introduction to Computer Aided Design (2/5/18)
EPSY 2450  Whole Child, School, and Community: Linking Health and Education (2/5/18)
HIST 2810  Crime, Policing, and Punishment in the United States (3/5/18)
LING 2793  Foreign Study (5/1/17)
MATH 2793  Foreign Study (5/1/17)
MCB 2612  Honors Core: Microbe Hunters – Crowdsourcing Antibiotic (3/5/18)
PHIL 2410  Know Thyself (3/5/18)
PSYC 2209  Learning and Memory: From Brain to Behavior (9/11/17)

Courses revised:

AH 2001  Medical Terminology (9/11/17)
CE 2710  Transportation Engineering and Planning (2/5/18)
CHEG 2103  Introduction to Chemical Engineering (2/5/18)
DMD 2310  3D Modeling I (11/6/17)
DMD 2320  3D Lighting and Rendering I (11/6/17)
III. S/U grading actions approved by the Senate:

New courses added:

ILCS 3291  Italian Internship (3/5/18)

Revised courses:

MGMT 4891  Field Study Internship (5/1/17)
SAAS 373  Management Skills and Practices – Livestock (9/11/17)

IV. General Education Content Area actions approved by the Senate:

Newly included in Content Area 1 Arts and Humanities:

AMST 1002  Sing and Shout! The History of America in Song (3/5/18)
AMST/ENGL/HIST 2207  Empire and U.S. Culture (3/5/18)
AMST 2274W  Disability in American Literature and Culture (3/5/18)
AMST/ENGL 2276/W  American Utopias and Dystopias (3/5/18)
AMST 2400  City and Community in Film (2/5/18)
AMST 3201  Introduction to Asian American Studies (2/5/18)
DRAM 2203  The Holocaust in Print, Theater, and Film (5/1/17)
ENGL 2605/W  Capitalism, Literature, and Culture (11/6/17)
ENGL 2607  Literature and Science (5/1/17)
PHIL 2410  Know Thyself (3/5/18)
SPAN 1030  Religion in Latin America: A Historical View (11/6/17)

Newly included in Content Area 2 Social Sciences:

EPSY 1450W  Mind Body Health (5/1/17)
LLAS/SOCI 3525/W  Latino Sociology (9/11/17)
Newly included in Content Area 3 Science and Technology, non-Lab:
  MAST 1001 The Sea Around Us (2/5/18)

Newly included in Content Area 3 Science and Technology, Lab:
  MCB 2612 Honors Core: Microbe Hunters – Crowdsourcing Antibiotic Discovery (3/5/18)

Newly included in Content Area 4 Diversity and Multiculturalism, non-International:
  AFRA 3050/W African American Art (5/1/17)
  AMST 1002 Sing and Shout! The History of America in Song (3/5/18)
  AMST/ENGL/HIST 2207 Empire and U.S. Culture (3/5/18)
  AMST 2274W Disability in American Literature and Culture (3/5/18)
  ENGL/AFRA 3215/W Twentieth- and Twenty-First Century African American Literature (9/11/17)
  LLAS/SOCI 3525/W Latino Sociology (9/11/17)
  SOCI 2651/W Sociology of the Family (2/5/18)
  SPAN 1030 Religion in Latin America: A Historical View (11/6/17)

Newly included in Content Area 4 Diversity and Multiculturalism, International:
  DRAM 2203 The Holocaust in Print, Theater, and Film (5/1/17)

V. Actions reported for the information of the Senate:

Newly included Writing Competency (3000- to 4000-level):
  AFRA 3050/W African American Art (5/1/17)
  AMST 3440/W 19th Century American Art (11/6/17)
  AMST 3822/W Law and Popular Culture (11/6/17)
  COMM 4200W Advanced Interpersonal Communication (5/1/17)
  COMM 4222W People of Color and Interpersonal Communication (5/1/17)
  COMM 4640W Social Media: Research and Practice (9/11/17)
  EEB 3244W Writing in Ecology (12/4/17)
  ENGL/AFRA 3215/W Twentieth- and Twenty-First Century African American Literature (9/11/17)
  HIST/AFRA/LLAS 3619W History of the Caribbean (4/2/18)
  POLS 3610/W American Politics in Film (3/5/18)
VI. Non-Senate Courses Reviewed

The Senate Curricula and Courses Committee also reviewed the following graduate-level S/U graded courses. These courses were reported directly to the Graduate School and were not reviewed by the University Senate.

New graduate-level S/U graded courses:
AGNR 5099  Independent Study
COMM 5991  Internship in Communication

Revised graduate-level S/U graded courses:

ARE 6495  Graduate Research Seminar
NURS 5869  Doctor of Nursing Practice Residency Elective
NURS 5879  Doctor of Nursing Practice Residency I
NURS 5889  Doctor of Nursing Practice Residency II
PT 5461  Acute Care Practicum
PT 5464  Musculoskeletal Practicum
PT 5467  Neuromuscular/Rehabilitation Practicum
PT 5469  Integrated Acute Care Practicum

VII. Course Action Request Form Workflow Report

So far, this is some of the data we have been able to collect using this new form.

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