

Undergraduate Curriculum Council (UCC)
October 10, 2024 – for 2025-26 catalog
AGENDA

A. PRELIMINARIES

Attendance:

Pre-notified Absences:

Guests: none

1. Announcements:
2. Minutes for [September 26, 2024](#) for UCC's approval
3. Report from the Executive Committee:
4. Information from Academic Affairs:
5. Current Subcommittee Activities:
 - a. General Education Requirements Committee (GERC) update
 - i. [BIOL 1104 Obj 2 New Gen Ed Course Proposal](#) included in [Proposal #28](#) below.
 - b. BAS Committee update:
 - c. Catalog Format Review Subcommittee update:
6. Information from the Chair:
7. Information from the Faculty Senate and other Councils:
8. Other related information or questions:

B. INFORMATION ITEMS -- none this week

C. CONSENT CALENDAR – none this week

D. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Curriculum, Course, and Program Change Proposals:

1. [Proposal #24](#) from CAL Sociology, Social Work & Criminology for minor updates course titles, descriptions, and semester offerings. *Changes affect Graduate Catalog.*
2. [Proposal #48](#) from COH **Medical Lab Science** to update credits for DMS 4491 and DMS 4493 to accommodate program's start date from summer to fall semester.
3. [Proposal #49](#) from COE **Organizational Leadership and Performance** to reduce credits from 15 to 12 and update course requirements for the Certificates in Organizational Leadership and in Training & Development in order to align credit requirements with the other certificates offered by the department. *Requires Letter of Notification #2024-LON-xx notifying OSBE, and NWCCU approval of the credit changes.*

State Proposals for Endorsement: none this week

Other Business: none this week

E. “PARKING LOT” – proposals and other items awaiting resolution: none this week

1. [Proposal #27](#) from CAL **Anthropology and Languages** to increase repeatability credits allowed from 3 to 6 for SPAN 4493, SPAN 4494, and SPAN 4495. *Changes affect Graduate Catalog.*
2. [Proposal #32](#) from CAL and Student Success Center **University Honors Program** to create a new 9-credit Certificate in Civic Engagement open to students in the Honors program and participating as a mentored volunteer in a chosen partner organization. *Requires Letter of Notification #[2024-LON-08](#) notifying OSBE, and NWCCU approval of the new certificate.*

F. NEW BUSINESS:

Curriculum, Course, and Program Change Proposals:

1. [Proposal #1](#) from COT **Technical Department** to eliminate the AAS and ITC in Unmanned Aerial Systems, update the BTC curriculum and credits, delete obsolete courses. *Requires IDCTE and NWCCU approval of State Proposal #[2024-xx](#) to discontinue the AAS and ITC, and Letter of Notification to update the BTC curriculum and credits required.*
2. [Proposal #28](#) from COSE **Biological Sciences** to create new Gen Ed course BIOL 1104 for Objective 2, other BIOL course updates. *Changes affect Grad Catalog. GERC approved BIOL 1104 as Obj 2 Gen Ed course.*
3. [Proposal #29](#) from COT Business & Support Services: **Cosmetology** to update corequisite for COSM 2236.
4. [Proposal #36](#) from COT **Information Technology Systems** to update courses, curriculum, and credits for AAS, ATC and BTC in Information Technology Systems. *Requires Letter of Notification notifying IDCTE, and NWCCU approval of the credit changes.*
5. [Proposal #46](#) from CAL **History** to create new course HIST 4470, and add it and HIST 2258 as electives to the BA and Accelerated BA/MA in History, and add ANTH 4478 and CE 1140 as electives to the Certificate in Environmental Studies. *Changes affect Grad Catalog.*

State Proposals for Endorsement:

1. [2024-xx Discontinue AAS & ITC in Unmanned Aerial Systems](#) *Corresponds to [Proposal #1](#)*

Other Business: none this week

G. FUTURE BUSINESS:

1. Sent to Catalog Format Subcommittee for investigation and recommendation: standardize catalog in regards to experimental courses; every subject code needs a lower division and upper division experimental course. Should it be a 1000 and 4000 level, or a 2000 and 3000 level pairing? Or an

experimental course at each level? Grading question too: Letter, S/U, or allow flexibility depending on course and instructor needs?

[Experimental Course Spreadsheet](#) prepared by Ivory Fort

H. ADJOURNMENT: