

**MINUTES**  
**2018-2019 Undergraduate Curriculum Committee**  
**22-Mar-19**  
**Walker Library, Room 475 at 1:00 p.m.**

**Call to Order:**

The March 22, 2019 meeting of the UCC was called to order by Scott Handy, Chair, at 1:00 p.m.

**Members Present:** Scott Handy, Cathy Cooper, Foster Amey, Chris Quarto, Lando Carter, Louis Haas, Misty Jones Simpson, Todd O'Neill, Phillip Seagraves, Lauren Rudd, Peter Cunningham, Mitzi Brandon, Teresa Thomas, Susan Fieldhouse

**Members Absent:** Richard Mpoyi and Terrence Lee

**Guests Present:** Dawn McCormack and Gretchen Leming

**Announcements:**

**Approval of Minutes from February 22, 2019:** Scott Handy made the motion to approve the minutes. That motion was seconded. Minutes approved unanimously.

**Previously Tabled Proposals:** n/a

**Old Business:**

Revision (attached) to page 26 of the UCC Minutes for January 25, 2019 under "Detailed Explanation" of the International Relations, BA. And B.S. PS 3330 will be changed to PS 3335, because PS 3330 is a number that was already assigned to a course in the past.

	<b>Proposed Action</b>	<b>Detailed Explanation</b>	<b>Reference #</b>
<b><u>College of Basic and Applied Sciences</u></b>			
DATA-1500-Introduction to Data Science Effective-Fall 2019 Summer 2019	New Course	Introduction to basic principles and tools as well as its general mindset in Data Science. Concepts on how to solve a problem with data include business and data understanding, data collection and integration, exploratory data analysis, predictive modeling, descriptive modeling, data product creation, evaluation, and effective communication. Crosslisted with BIA 1500.	<b>3</b>

**Discussion:** Some discussion was made.

**Committee Action:** Motion was made to approve this proposal. Motion was seconded. Approved unanimously.

DATA-3550-Applied Predictive Modeling Effective <del>Fall 2019</del> Summer 2019	New Course	An overview of the modeling process used in data science. Course covers the ethics involved in data science, data preprocessing, regression models, classification models, and presenting the model. Crosslisted with STAT 3550.	4
<b>Discussion:</b> n/a			
<b>Committee Action:</b> Motion was made to approve this proposal. Motion was seconded. Approved unanimously.			

### Agriculture

Fermentation Science, B.S. Effective <del>Fall</del> Summer 2020	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Proposal to add FERM 4800 - International Fermented Foods - to the Specialized Core (21 hours) elective area on the FERM UD form (effective Summer 2020) - see attached proposed UD form	7
<b>Discussion:</b> This change will be retroactive to all valid catalogs			
<b>Committee Action:</b> Motion was made to approve this proposal. Motion was seconded. Approved unanimously.			

### Engineering Technology

Engineering Technology Minor Effective <del>Fall 2020</del> Summer 2020	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	The ET Department wishes for the CIM and CMT rubrics be removed from consideration for the Engineering Technology minor	6
<b>Discussion:</b> n/a			
<b>Committee Action:</b> Motion was made to approve this proposal. Motion was seconded. Approved unanimously.			

## Geosciences

GEOL-4020-Geomorphology Effective Fall Summer 2020	Course Title Change Catalog Description Change	<b>Proposed Name Change:</b> Geomorphology <b>New Proposed Course Description:</b> 4 credit hours. Prerequisites: GEOL 1030/GEOL 1031 or GEOL 1040/GEOL 1041; or consent of the instructor. An introduction to the modern geologic study of Earth's landforms and landscapes and their relationship to surface processes, underlying structure, and the history of geological changes. Emphasis on the relationship between process and form, the linkage between geomorphology and other geoscience disciplines, and Quaternary climate change. Three hours lecture and two hours laboratory per week. A weekend geomorphic field trip is required.	9
<b>Discussion:</b> n/a			
<b>Committee Action:</b> Motion was made to approve this proposal. Motion was seconded. Approved unanimously.			

## College of Behavioral and Health Sciences

### **Criminal Justice Administration**

Criminal Justice Administration, Law Enforcement Concentration, B.S. Effective Fall 2020 Summer 2020	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Include the following proposed courses to CJA Major: CJA 2910 - Practicum: Patrol Operations I; CJA 2920 - Practicum: Patrol Operations II; CJA 2930 - Practicum: Police Interpersonal Communication and Human Relations	2
<b>Discussion:</b> n/a			
<b>Committee Action:</b> Motion was made to approve this proposal. Motion was seconded. Approved unanimously.			

Homeland Security Minor Effective Fall Summer 2020	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	<p>The Minor in Homeland Security will be completely re-aligned to meet current professional needs and course offerings within the department.</p> <p>Required (9 hours)</p> <p>CJA 3411 – Intelligence Analysis</p> <p>CJA 3750 – Terrorism and Criminal Justice</p> <p>CJA 3911 – Intro to Homeland Security</p> <p>Elective (9 hours)</p> <p>CJA <b>3190</b> – Criminal Justice &amp; Disasters</p> <p>CJA <b>3800</b> – Intro to Emergency Management</p> <p>CJA 4330 – Criminal Investigations</p> <p>CJA 4860 – Security Administration</p> <p>CJA 4870 – Security Law</p> <p>CJA <b>4930</b> – International Criminal Justice</p>	<b>10</b>
<p><b>Discussion:</b> CJA 3190, CJA 3800, and CJA 4930 will remain retroactive to all valid catalogs so that current students can still complete the minor.</p> <p><b>Committee Action:</b> Motion was made to approve this proposal. Motion was seconded. Approved unanimously.</p>			

**Health and Human Performance**

CDIS-3500-Multicultural Issues in Communication Disorders Effective Summer 2019	New Course	<p>This 3-credit course is designed to provide students with an introduction and initial overview of the impact of culture and cultural variation on language and communication. Throughout the lectures and course materials, the student will develop: (1) a foundational understanding of cultural-linguistic diversity, (2) an understanding of its application to the clinical process, and (3) cultural sensitivity to persons with communication disorders.</p>	<b>1</b>
<p><b>Discussion:</b> Mitzi Brandon will request a program change form from the department. A committee member was interested in knowing how this new course was different from a Sociology course. A representative from the College of Liberal Arts explained in detail.</p> <p><b>Committee Action:</b> Motion was made to approve this proposal. Motion was seconded. Approved unanimously.</p>			

## College of Business

### **Economics and Finance**

Economics/Finance Minor Effective Fall Summer 2020	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	The Economics/Finance minor will now allow one finance course (3 credit hours) to be lower division or upper division. The purpose of the change is to allow FIN 2010 Personal Financial Planning to count towards the minor.	<b>5</b>
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**Discussion:** FIN 2010 or an upper-division course will count towards the minor.

**Committee Action:** Motion was made to approve this proposal. Motion was seconded. Approved unanimously.

Finance Minor Effective Fall Summer 2020	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	The number of required upper-division hours is being reduced by 3 from 12 to 9 in order to allow 3 credit hours in finance to be lower division or upper division. The purpose of this change is to allow FIN 2010 Personal Financial Planning to count as a finance elective in the minor.	<b>8</b>
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**Discussion:** FIN 2010 or an upper-division course will count towards the minor.

**Committee Action:** Motion was made to approve this proposal. Motion was seconded. Approved unanimously.

## College of Liberal Arts

### **World Languages, Literatures, and Cultures**

Linguistic Studies Minor Effective Fall Summer 2020	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Add SPAN 3090 to the Linguistic Studies minor under the "Elective" category.	<b>11</b>
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**Discussion:** n/a

**Committee Action:** Motion was made to approve this proposal. Motion was seconded. Approved unanimously.

SPAN - 3085 - Daughters of The Diaspora: Black Women's Narrative in Hispanic Caribbean Literature Effective Fall 2019	New Course	Prerequisites: SPAN 3010 and SPAN 3020, or instructor permission. Course explores literature written by Latin American women of African ancestry, with emphasis on the Caribbean and Latin America.	<b>12</b>
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**Discussion:** n/a

**Committee Action:** Motion was made to approve this proposal. Motion was seconded. Approved unanimously.

**Amendment to January minutes**

International Relations, B.A. and B.S. Effective Fall 2019	Program Change Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	PS <del>3330</del> 3335, a new proposed course, is being added as an elective to the International Relations B.A./B.S. curriculum.	<b>39</b>
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**Discussion:** Make retroactive to all valid catalogs.

**Committee Action:** Motion was made to approve this proposal. Motion was seconded. Approved unanimously.

**Closing Comments:** None

**Adjournment:** The meeting was adjourned by Scott Handy, Chair, at 1:30 p.m.