

UNIVERSITY CURRICULUM COMMITTEE REPORT TO UNIVERSITY COUNCIL
April 23, 2009

UNIVERSITY CURRICULUM COMMITTEE - 2008-2009

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Undergraduate Student Representative - Ms. Jamie Beggerly

Graduate Student Representative - Ms. Amrita Veliyath

The Full University Curriculum Committee met on March 20, 2009. Since the last report to University Council, the committee approved 118 new courses and 230 course changes.

The committee approved the following proposals which were forwarded to the Executive Committee of University Council for consideration:

Proposal to terminate the Master of Applied Mathematical Sciences degree (M.A.M.S.)

Proposal to terminate the major in Mathematics under the Bachelor of Arts degree (A.B.)

Proposal to terminate the major in Health Promotion and Behavior under the
Master of Arts degree (M.A.)

Proposal for a new Center for Global Health

Proposal to change the name of the major in Political Science (M.A., Ph.D.)
to Political Science and International Affairs (M.A., Ph.D.)

Proposal to offer a non-thesis option in the existing major in Child and Family Development
under the Master of Science degree (M.S.)

Proposal for new Academic Affairs Policy Statement #19, Substantive Change Policy

The Committee approved proposals for the following Areas of Emphasis:

Area of Emphasis in International Merchandising
under the major in Textile Sciences (Ph.D.)

Area of Emphasis in Child Life
under the major in Child and Family Development (B.S.F.C.S.)

The committee tabled a proposal to increase the required hours for the major in English Education (B.S.Ed.) and until additional information could be provided.

The committee approved a proposal to increase the required hours for the major in Health and Physical Education (B.S.Ed.).

The committee approved proposals to add High-Demand status to the majors in Mathematics Education (B.S.Ed.), Health Promotion (B.S.H.P.), and to remove High-Demand status from the major in Landscape Architecture (B.L.A.).

The committee approved a proposal to add calculus to the Entrance Requirements of all business majors.

The committee tabled a request to adopt Standard Course Evaluations.

The committee approved proposals to add the following courses to the new General Education Curriculum:

Proposal to add ARHI 2400 to Area IV,

World Languages and Culture, Humanities and the Arts

Proposal to add FANR(MARS) 1100 to Area II, Life Sciences

Proposal to add SLAV 2100 to Area IV,

World Languages and Culture, Humanities and the Arts

The committee approved a proposal for a new prefix: PASH, Pashto.

The committee approved a proposal to eliminate the use of intended majors with the exception of majors that are high-demand and majors that Schools and Colleges request to designate as intended majors.

The committee established a subcommittee to consider the Environmental Literacy Requirement.

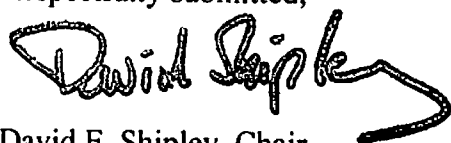
The following members volunteered to serve on this subcommittee: Dr. Malcolm Adams, Dr. Timothy Foutz, Dr. James Porter, Dr. Ron Hendrick, Dr. Rodney Mauricio, and Mr. Scott Weinberg.

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The committee considered as an information item a proposal to adopt a block-core system for upper-level business core courses.

An additional meeting of the UCC has been scheduled for April 24, 2009, 3:00 p.m., Room 401 Franklin House.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "David Shipley". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long, sweeping tail that extends to the right.

David E. Shipley, Chair
University Curriculum Committee

cc: Dr. Arnett C. Mace, Jr.
Professor Jere W. Morehead