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The Full University Curriculum Committee met on April 18, 2012, and August 22, 2012. The Full University Curriculum Committee voted electronically on May 16, 2012. Since the last report to University Council, the committee approved 60 new courses and 173 course changes.

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

Proposal for a new Undergraduate Certificate in Actuarial Science

Proposal for a new Graduate Certificate in Quantitative Methods in Family Science (QMFS)

Proposal from the Department of Elementary and Social Studies Education to:

Change the name of the major:

FROM: Elementary Education (Ph.D.)

TO: Educational Theory and Practice (Ph.D.)

Terminate the majors in:

Early Childhood Education (Ph.D.)

Social Studies Education (Ph.D.)

Middle School Education (Ph.D.)

Proposal to deactivate the major in Social Foundations of Education (Ph.D.)

Proposal to change the name of the minor in Child and Family Development to Human Development and Family Science

Proposal to change the name of the major in Public Administration (Ph.D.) to Public Administration and Policy (Ph.D.)

Proposal to change the name of the Department of Banking and Finance to the Department of Finance

Proposal to change the name of the Department of Marketing and Distribution to the Department of Marketing

Proposal for a new Department of Career and Information Studies

Proposal for a new minor in Pharmaceutical and Biomedical Sciences

Proposal for a new minor in Microbiology

Proposal for a new major in Research and Evaluation Methodologies (Ph.D.) and for the following three new Areas of Emphasis under the new major:

Area of Emphasis in Qualitative Methods

Area of Emphasis in Program Evaluation

Area of Emphasis in Quantitative Methods

The committee approved the request to remove the High-Demand Status from the major in Health and Physical Education (B.S.Ed.).

The committee approved the request to terminate the Area of Emphasis in Athletic Training under Exercise and Sport Science (B.S.Ed.).

The committee approved the request to allow the following courses to satisfy the Cultural Diversity requirement for the following majors in the College of Education:

Sport Management (B.S.Ed.)

Health and Physical Education (B.S.Ed.)

Athletic Training (B.S.Ed.)

Exercise and Sport Science (B.S.Ed.):

KINS 3580, Sport and the Black Culture

KINS 4150/6150, Global Issues in Sports Medicine

KINS 4610/6610-4610L/6610L, Adapted Physical Education

KINS(AFST) 4800/6800, Education and Sport

KINS 4820, Social Aspects of Sports

KINS 5250/7250, Gender and Sport

The committee approved the request to transfer the major in Economics (A.B.) from the Franklin College of Arts and Sciences to the Terry College of Business.

The committee discussed the request from the Statutes and Bylaws committee of the University Council to revise the membership of the University Curriculum Committee as outlined in the bylaws. The UCC recognized the concern of allowing administrators to serve on the committee but agreed that the committee has worked independently and without administrator influence. The committee agreed that the membership of the University Curriculum Committee outlined in the bylaws does not need to be revised and that representation on the UCC should continue to be determined by faculty vote within schools and colleges.

The committee approved a proposal to change the definition of E suffix courses from courses in which more than 50% is delivered through distance learning to courses in which more than 95% is delivered through distance learning.

The committee approved a proposal for a new Area of Emphasis in Neuroscience under the major in Biology (B.S.).

The committee approved a proposal to change the Entrance Requirements for the major in Exercise and Sport Science (B.S.Ed.).

The committee approved a proposal to change the High-Demand Selection Criteria for the major in Athletic Training (B.S.Ed.).

The committee approved a proposal to allow EHSC 3060, Introduction to Environmental Health Science, to satisfy the Cultural Diversity Requirement for the College of Public Health.

The committee approved a request for a new Area of Emphasis in Instructional Technology under the major in Learning, Design, and Technology (M.Ed.).

The committee approved a request for the following new Areas of Emphasis under the major in Educational Theory and Practice (Ph.D.):

- Area of Emphasis in Early Childhood Education
- Area of Emphasis in Elementary Education
- Area of Emphasis in Middle Grades Education
- Area of Emphasis in Social Studies Education
- Area of Emphasis in Teacher Education

The committee approved a request for the following new Areas of Emphasis under the major in Middle School Education (B.S.Ed.):

- Area of Emphasis in Science and Language Arts
- Area of Emphasis in Social Studies and Science
- Area of Emphasis in Social Studies and Language Arts
- Area of Emphasis in Mathematics and Language Arts
- Area of Emphasis in Mathematics and Social Studies
- Area of Emphasis in Mathematics and Science

The committee approved a request for the following new Areas of Emphasis under the majors in Geography (A.B. and B.S.):

- Area of Emphasis in Urban and Community Studies (for A.B. and B.S.)
- Area of Emphasis in Environmental Geography (for A.B. and B.S.)
- Area of Emphasis in Global Environmental Change (for A.B. and B.S.)
- Area of Emphasis in Agro-Food Systems and Food Security (for A.B. only)
- Area of Emphasis in Globalization, Politics, and Economy (for A.B. only)
- Area of Emphasis in Earth System Sciences (for B.S. only)
- Area of Emphasis in Geospatial Analysis and Visualization (for B.S. only)
- Area of Emphasis in Remote Sensing and Photogrammetry (for B.S. only)

The committee approved a request for the following new Areas of Emphasis under the majors in Special Education (M.A.T. and M.Ed.):

Area of Emphasis in Special Education General Curriculum (M.A.T. and M.Ed.)

Area of Emphasis in Special Education Adapted Curriculum and Autism (M.A.T. and M.Ed.)

Area of Emphasis in Birth through Five/Preschool Special Education (M.A.T. and M.Ed.)

Area of Emphasis in Early Childhood Education/Special Education General Curriculum (P-5) (M.Ed.)

The committee approved a request for the following new Areas of Emphasis under the major in Language and Literacy Education (Ed.S.):

Area of Emphasis in Reading Education, Literature and Language Arts 6-12

Area of Emphasis in English Education

Area of Emphasis in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)

Area of Emphasis in World Language Education (WLE)

Area of Emphasis in Reading Education, Children's Literature and Language Arts P-5

The committee approved a request for a new "I" Suffix to identify courses that include a significant amount of instruction and/or assignments in a foreign language.

The committee discussed the need for a Cultural Diversity Subcommittee to be formed to consider revising the Cultural Diversity requirement to include disabilities as part of the requirement.

The committee re-elected Mr. David Shipley to be the University Curriculum Committee Chair for 2012-2013.

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: Provost Jere W. Morehead
Dr. Laura D. Jolly