



# The University of Georgia®

University Council  
Athens, Georgia 30602

## UNIVERSITY CURRICULUM COMMITTEE – 2016-2017

Dr. Alison F. Alexander, Chair

Agricultural and Environmental Sciences – Dr. Elizabeth Little

Arts and Sciences - Dr. Sujata Iyengar (Arts)

Dr. Rodney Mauricio (Sciences)

Business - Dr. Myra L. Moore

Ecology – Dr. Sonia Altizer

Education - Dr. Seock-Ho Kim

Engineering - Dr. Sudhagar Mani

Environment and Design - Mr. David Spooner

Family and Consumer Sciences - Dr. Patricia Hunt-Hurst

Forestry and Natural Resources - Dr. John C. Maerz

Journalism and Mass Communication – Dr. Jay Hamilton

Law - Ms. Elizabeth Weeks Leonard

Pharmacy – Dr. Robin Southwood

Public and International Affairs - Dr. Robert Grafstein

Public Health – Dr. Anne Marie Zimeri

Social Work - Dr. David O. Okech

Veterinary Medicine - Dr. Kira L. Epstein

Graduate School - Dr. Timothy L. Foutz

Ex-Officio - Provost Pamela S. Whitten

Undergraduate Student Representative – Ms. Gabrielle Roth

Graduate Student Representative – Ms. Ashley E. Fallaize

The full University Curriculum Committee met on February 10, 2017. Since the last report to University Council, the committee approved 279 new courses and 738 course changes.

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

Proposal to change the name of the following major in the Terry College of Business:

From: Master of Internet Technology (M.I.T.)

To: Master of Business and Technology (M.B.T.)

Proposal to make the following changes to the interdisciplinary certificate from the School of Public and International Affairs and Grady College of Journalism and Mass Communication:

Certificate Name Change:

From: Applied Politics and Public Affairs Communications Certificate

To: Public Affairs Professional Certificate

New Areas of Emphasis under the Public Affairs Professional Certificate:

Area of Emphasis in Applied Politics

Committee on Facilities, Committee on Intercollegiate Athletics, Committee on Statutes, Bylaws, and Committees, Committee on Student Life, Curriculum Committee, Educational Affairs Committee, Executive Committee, Faculty Admissions Committee, Faculty Affairs Committee, Faculty Grievance Committee, Faculty Post-Tenure Review Appeals Committee, Faculty/Staff Parking Appeals Committee, Human Resources Committee, Program Review and Assessment Committee, Strategic Planning Committee, University Libraries Committee, University Promotion and Tenure Appeals Committee

An Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action/Veteran/Disability Institution

Area of Emphasis in Public Affairs Communications  
Proposal for a new major in Child Life (M.S.)  
Proposal for a new major in Agricultural Leadership, Education and Communication (Ph.D.)  
Proposal for a new Graduate Certificate in Infectious Disease Epidemiology  
Proposal for a new Interdisciplinary Graduate Certificate in Sustainability  
Proposal to terminate the Undergraduate Certificate in Agrosecurity  
Proposal to offer the existing major in Comparative Biomedical Sciences (M.S.) with a  
Non-Thesis Option  
Proposal to offer the existing major in Economics (M.A.) with a Non-Thesis Option  
Proposal to revise Academic Affairs Policy Statement No. 5, Undergraduate, Professional, and  
Graduate Areas of Emphasis

The committee approved the proposal for a new Area of Emphasis in Behavioral Medicine under the major in Health Promotion (B.S.H.P.).

The committee approved the requests to include the following courses in the Experiential Learning Implementation Plans for the following schools and colleges:

Franklin College of Arts and Sciences

AFAM 4250, African American Seminar  
GENE 4800, Natural History of Asia  
GENE 4800H, Natural History of Asia (Honors)  
GENE 4960, Directed Research I  
GENE 4960H, Honors Directed Research I  
GENE 4970, Directed Research II  
GENE 4970H, Honors Directed Research II  
GENE 4980, Directed Research III  
GENE 4980H, Honors Directed Research III  
GENE 4990, Thesis  
GENE 4990H, Honors Thesis  
MIBO 4900L, Directed Research  
MIBO 4960H, Honors Research  
MIBO 4970H, Honors Research  
MIBO 4980H, Honors Research  
PHYS 4960, Directed Research in Physics  
PHYS 4990, Undergraduate Physics Thesis

Terry College of Business

All S-suffix/Service Learning courses

Grady College of Journalism and Mass Communication

ADPR 5950/7950, Public Relations Campaigns  
EMST 5250, Grady Post-Production Techniques  
EMST 5270/7270, Documentary Productions

The committee approved the requests to include the following non-credit activities for the Experiential Learning Transcript:

Student Internship Program, Archway Partnership  
Public Service and Outreach Student Scholars Program  
Vinson Fellows Program

The committee approved delegation of authority for approving courses and/or non-credit activities for the Experiential Learning Requirement and/or the Experiential Learning Transcript to the Experiential Learning Subcommittee.

The committee also approved delegation of authority for administratively approving proposals for Double Dawgs Pathways to the Office of Instruction.

The following members agreed to serve on subcommittees:

Experiential Learning Subcommittee: Dr. Patricia Hunt-Hurst  
Environmental Awareness Subcommittee: Dr. Myra Moore, Dr. Rodney Mauricio, and Dr. Sudhagar Mani

The committee approved the establishment of a Study Abroad/Field Study Subcommittee. Dr. Rodney Mauricio and Dr. Patricia Hunt-Hurst agreed to serve on this subcommittee.



Alison F. Alexander, Chair  
University Curriculum Committee

Cc: Provost Pamela S. Whitten  
Dr. Rahul Shrivastav