

Minutes

Campus Curricula Committee Meeting

February 1, 2012

12 p.m. Room 117 Fulton Hall

Approval of the January 04, 2012 minutes.

Barry Flachsbart, Angie Huffman, Irina Ivliyeva, Keith Nisbett, Daniel Tauritz, Jennifer Thorpe, and Steve Watkins attended the meeting.

**Review of submitted DC forms:**

DC 0408, Computer Science, Ph.D., approved effective Fall 2012. A proposal to modify the current requirements for the Ph.D. in Computer Science by requiring students to take and pass CS 410 for three semester in their Ph.D. studies.

DC 0409, Computer Science, Master of Science, approved effective Fall 2012. A proposal to modify the current requirements for the MS in Computer Science thesis or non-thesis program by increasing to a 31 credit hour program and students are required to take and pass CS 410.

DC 0412, Arts, Languages, and Philosophy, Theatre Minor, approved effective Fall 2012. A proposal to change the required hours for the Theatre Minor to 16 and add Theatre 90 as required.

**Review of submitted EC forms:**

EC 2392, Biological Science 201, Field Ecology, approved effective Summer 2012.

Course Description: Field-based class designed to teach students applications of ecological research. Students will study distribution and abundance of organisms in aquatic and terrestrial systems in the Ozarks. Class runs 8 am to 5 pm for one week in May, and includes lectures and field sampling in the Rolla area.

Credit Hours: 1 hour lecture

Prerequisites: Any Biology course except Bio Sci 102

EC 2393, Statistics 301, Physics 301, Sci Edu and Quantitative Literacy for Middle School Teachers II, approved effective Summer 2012.

Course Description: An integrated science-mathematics course for middle school teachers. Course covers selected science/mathematics topics/skills specified in Missouri standards for grades 5-7. Inquiry based methods of teaching these topics in an integrated manner will be emphasized.

Credit Hours: 3 hour lecture

Prerequisites: Current enrollment in a Teacher Education program or a full or part-time teacher in a K-12 School.

**Items Still Tabled:**

CC 8185, Geology 344, Remote Sensing Technology, effective Fall 2012. **Tabled**

**New Business:**

- The draft Academic Forgiveness Policy was reviewed for curricula impact and feedback provided to the Faculty Senate Committee on Effective Teaching.
- The proposal for stream-lining the EC process which was withdrawn at the January 19, 2012 Faculty Senate meeting because of concerns of unintentional negative side effects was revised to address said concerns.

The meeting adjourned at 1:30 p.m. The next meeting will be Wednesday, February 29, 2012 at 12 noon 117 Fulton Hall.

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Daniel Tauritz, Chair  
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