

CURRICULUM REVIEW COUNCIL
September 12, 2023
Microsoft Teams
MINUTES

Called to order: 3:32 p.m.
Adjourned: 3:44 p.m.

Members Present:

Dr. Greg Handel-Chair
Dr. Ronnie Abukhalaf
Dr. Gregory Bouck
Dr. Jackie Calhoun
Dr. Tammy Curtis
Dr. John Dunn
Dr. Myla Landry
Dr. Megan Lowe
Dr. Vianka Miranda
Dr. Leigh Ann Myers
Mrs. Barbara Prescott
Dr. J. Mark Thompson
Ms. Bailey Willis (SGA)

Guests Present:

Dr. Neeru Deep
Dr. Susan Campbell
Dr. Angela Hardy
Dr. Tommy Hailey
Dr. Joel M. Hicks
Dr. Sarah E. McFarland
Dr. Mark O. Melder
Dr. Thomas Reynolds
Dr. Nicholas Richardson
Dr. Dominique Taylor

I. NEW MEDIA, JOURNALISM, AND COMMUNICATION ARTS

A. Add the following new course for undergraduate credit:

- COMM 3000 – Student Media Practice and Management (3-3-0).
- COMM 3030 – Investigative Reporting (3-3-0).

B. Make the following course changes:

- COMM 2060 – reactivate course, change course description.

Action: All items approved with the unanimous vote of the council. No opposition.

II. SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCES AND APPLIED PROGRAMS

A. Make the following course changes:

- ANTH 2020 – change course title.

Action: Approved with the unanimous vote of the council. No opposition.

III. COLLEGE OF NURSING

A. Make the following course changes:

- NURG 5995 – increase credit hours from (1-1-0) to (2-2-0).

B. Make the following changes to the Master of Science in Nursing (546) program:

- Revise program requirements to read:

Program requirements for the major: a Bachelor of Science in Nursing from a nationally accredited program of nursing and evidence of current unencumbered, unrestricted Louisiana RN license or compact license that includes Louisiana, an undergraduate GPA of 2.5 overall or 2.75 in the last 60 hours, or a GRE score of 284 if the undergraduate GPA requirement cannot be met. Graduate preparation: Completion of the Master of Science in Nursing requires a minimum of 40-45 semester credits.

B. Area of Clinical Concentration (6 – 12 hours):

E. Research Area (0 – 4 hours):

Action: All items approved with the unanimous vote of the council. No opposition.

IV. DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS

A. Add the following new course for undergraduate credit:

- CSC 3040 – 3D Print Design I (3-3-0).
- MATH 3170 – Applied Linear Algebra (3-3-0).

Action: All items approved with the unanimous vote of the council. No opposition.

V. DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH, LANGUAGES, AND CULTURAL STUDIES

A. Make the following course changes:

- ENGL 4420 – change course description.

Action: Approved with the unanimous vote of the council. No opposition.

VI. DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK

A. Make the following course changes:

- SOWK 2100 – change course description.

Action: All items approved with the unanimous vote of the council. No opposition.

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Mrs. Barbara Prescott, University Registrar

Greg Handel Digitally signed by Greg Handel
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Dr. Greg Handel, Provost and VP for Academic Affairs

Marcus D. Jones, HW Digitally signed by Marcus D. Jones, HW
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Dr. Marcus Jones, University President