

# CURRICULUM REVIEW COUNCIL

February 10, 2026

## CRC Minutes

Called to order: 3:30

Adjourned: 3:58

### Member's Present:

Dr. Thomas Reynolds, chair (for Dr. Greg Handel)  
Dr. Gregory Bouck  
Dr. Jackie Calhoun  
Mrs. Barbara Prescott  
Ms. Rebecca Farmer  
Dr. Christopher Gilson  
Dr. Myla Landry  
Ms Rachel Marsh  
Dr. Vianka Miranda  
Ms. Madysen Morgan  
Dr. Frank Serio

### Guest Present:

Ms. Beverly Broadway  
Dr. Maryanne Candley  
Dr. Amy Craig  
Dr. Neeru Deep  
Dr. Keith Dromm  
Dr. April Giddens  
Dr. Charles King  
Dr. Francene Lemoine  
Mr. Zebulun Marcotte  
Dr. Mark Melder  
Dr. Robert Page  
Dr. Curtis Penrod  
Dr. Valerie Salter  
Dr. Terrie Sanders  
Ms. Kristen Walker  
Ms. Megan Wedgeworth  
Dr. Scott Wysong  
Dr. Jie Zhang

## I. Louisiana's Scholars College

A. Make the following changes to Psychology Joint Major (859) program:

- Revise major requirements to read:

**Psychology Joint Major Requirements:** Specific core requirements – SBIO 1830, 1831, 1850, 1851; SCHM 1840 and 1841; SSTA 3810; support courses: SLSC 4000, SHUM 480T, 482T; major courses – Psychology 1010, 2040, 2050, 2430, 3010, 3020, 3030, 3050 or 3060, 4410, 4440, 4450, 4470, 4490, 4510.

The LSC thesis courses, SLSC 4000, SHUM 480T, 482T, replace additional Psychology electives and must be on a topic in psychology. LSC electives – 9 hrs. Majors may not count any grade in psychology lower than a C towards the major.

B. Make the following changes to Business Administration Joint Major (810) program:

- Add the following new concentration:

**Pre-Law (Business) (810Q):** (24 semester hours) BLAW 2250, BLAW 3260, PLPS 4020, PLPS 4090; Choose 9 hours from BLAW 3270, BLAW 3280, BLAW 3290, BLAW 3300, FIN 3150, HMT 4150, MGT 4270, MGT 4280, PLPS 3050, PLPS 3060, and SECO 3850. Choose 3 hours from ANTH 3070, ANTH 3120, BIOL 2990, COMM 2040, CJ 3070, CJ 4450, HP 3000, PSCI 3090, PSCI 4060, SLSC 2000 (Literature and the Law), SOWK 4270, UPSA 4400, and any PLPS 3000 or 4000 level classes.

- Revise the following concentration to read:

**Entrepreneurship (810N):** (24 semester hours) BUAD 4190; Choose 21 hours from ~~BUAD 3260~~, **BLAW 3260**, BUAD 4000 (05), BUAD 4910, CIS 4840, CIS 4930, FIN 4120, FIN 4220, MGT 4450, MGT 4460, MGT 4500, MGT 4700, MKTG 4370, and MKTG 4500.

C. Make the following changes to Hospitality Management and Tourism Joint major (837) program:

- Add the following new concentration:

**Event Management Concentration (837E):** (24 semester hours) Event Management 1000, 2000, 2050, 3000, Marketing 2200 or 3230 or 3300 or 3820. Hospitality Management and Tourism 4250, 4300, or 4110, Unified Public Safety Administration 4700.

D. Make the following changes to Mathematics Joint Major (846) program:

- Add the following new concentrations:

**Healthcare Informatics (846A):** Mathematics 3150, 3160, 3 hours of Mathematics 4900, Statistics 4270, Computer Science 2100, Computer Information Systems 1030, 2100, 2980, 3300, 3900, 4000.

**Actuarial Mathematics (846B):** Mathematics 3150, 3270, 3 hours of Mathematics 4900, Statistics 4270, 4280, Computer Information Systems 2000, Accounting 2000, 2010, Finance 3090, 4200, Economics 2000, 2010.

**Applied Mathematics (846C):** Mathematics 3160, 3170, 4100, 4260, Statistics 4270, 4280, Computer Science 3040, Physics 3900, 4100, Chemistry 1030, 1031, 3210, 3220, Biology 3060-3061.

**Computer Science (846D):** Mathematics 3030, 3150, 3910, 4060, 4100, Computer science 2020, 2100, 3030, 3120, 4001, 4010, 4040, Computer information Systems 3970, Electrical Engineering Technology 1330, 1331.

**Sport Analytics (846E):** Mathematics 2050, 3150, 3300, 3310, 4270, 4280, Computer Science 2100, Computer Information Systems 2000, 2980, 4070, Economics 2000, 2010, English 3230, Human Performance 4030, 4400.

- Curriculum:
  - ⊖ 2<sup>nd</sup> year – Add CSC 1061, (amend footnotes 1 and 4)
  - ⊖ 4<sup>th</sup> year – Delete 1-hour electives.
- Revise Footnotes 1 and 4 to read:
  - ⊖ Footnotes:
    1. Two of one discipline (life or physical science) and one semester of the other. **Students in Applied Mathematics concentration will take Physics 2520-2521.**
    4. ~~Academic electives may may be used to complete an optional concentration in Healthcare Informatics or Actuarial Mathematics.~~ **Electives must include at least 9 hours of 2000-3000 or 4000-level STEM courses taken from MATH, CSC, BIOL, CHEM, EET, IET, or PHYS courses.**  
**Students in Healthcare Informatics will take Computer Science 2100, Computer Information Systems 1030, 2100, 2980, 3300, 3900, 4000, and 7 additional hours. Students in Actuarial Mathematics will take Economics 2000, 2010, Computer Information Systems 2000, Accounting 2000, 2010, Finance 3090, 4200, and 4 additional hours. Students in Applied Mathematics will take Computer Science 3040, Chemistry 1030, 1031, 3210, 3220, Physics 3900, 4100, and**

Biology 3060-3061 and 6 additional hours. Students in Sport Analytics will take Mathematics 2050, Computer Science 2100, Computer Information Systems 2000, 2980, 4070, Economics 2000, 2010, Human Performance 4030, 4400, and either English 3210 or 3230.

E. Make the following changes to Physical Science Joint Major (830) program:

- Revise concentration requirements to read:

**Chemistry (830A):** (30 semester hours) CHEM 2110-2111, ~~2120-2021~~, 2140-2141, ~~2160~~, **3010-3011**, ~~3100~~, 3210, ~~3220-3221~~, 4050, and **4040-4041**. Select 15 hrs. from CHEM 2120-2121, 2160, 3020-3021, 3100, 3220-3221, 4050, 4140, 4160-4161, or 4950; SCHM 3810-3811, 3820-3821, 4810

- Add the following new concentrations:

**Biochemistry (830B):** (40 semester hours) CHEM 2110-2111, 2140, 3010-3011 or SHCM 3810-3811, CHEM 3020-3021 or SHCM 3820-3821, CHEM 3210, 4040-4041, 4050. BIOL 2060-2061, 3250, 3270-3271, 4300-4301.

**Forensic Laboratory Science (830C):** (34 semester hours) CJ 1100, 2600, CHEM 3010-3011 or SCHM 3810-3811, 3230, 3240, 3500-3501, 4160-4161. Select either Drug/Trace Evidence Analysis: CHEM 2110-2111, 2120-2121, 2140, 3020-3021 or DNA Analysis: BIOL 3060-3061, 3270-3271, 4300-4301, CHEM 4040.

**Physics (830D):** (35 semester hours) CHEM 3220, MATH 3130, 3160, PHYS 3010-3011, 3291, 3400, 3510, 3710, 4100, 4510, 4520, or 4880.

F. Make the following changes to Applied Microbiology Joint major (819) program:

- Revise Concentration requirements to read:

**Environmental and Applied Microbiology (819A):** choose 23 semester hours from BIOL 2030-2031, 2100-2101, 2120-2121, 2150-2151, 2180, 2290, 2300, 2500, 2990, 3040-3041, **3080**, 3220-3221, 3340-3341, **3830-3831**, 4040-4041, 4160-4161, 4170-4171, 4400-4401, 4500, 4960; CHEM 2110-2111, 2120-2121; RSST 2010, 3010, 4010; SCHM 4810; SSTA 3810.

**Medical and Health Profession (819B):** choose 23 semester hours from BIOL 1060, 2080-2081, 3020, 3170-3171, 3250-3251, 3270-3271, 3310-3311, 3320-3321, **3830-3831, 4060-4061, 4070**, 4130, 4160-4161, 4220-4221, **4230**, 4280, 4300-4301, 4320, 4340; CHEM 2110-2111, 2120-2121, 4050; SCHM 4810; SSTA 3810.

G. Make the following changes to CIS joint major (802) program.

- Revise the following concentrations to read:

**Application Development (802A):** (27 semester hours) CIS 3300, 3970, 4000, 4020, 4060, and 4 CIS electives (12 semester hours) from any CIS class, except CIS 1010, 1060, 2000, 3050, 3100, and 4050. **CSC 1060, CSC 2060, and other CSC classes may also count as CIS electives.**

**Information Systems Management (802H):** (27 semester hours) CIS 4840, 4850, 4930; FIN 4020 **or FIN 4320**; 1 class from CIS 3300, 4000, 4910; 1 class from CIS 4020, 4070, 4900; 1 class from BUAD 3120, CIS 3970, MGT3580, MGT 4500; and 2 CIS electives (6 semester hours) from any CIS class, except CIS 1010, 1060, 2000, 3050, 3100, and 4050.

H. Make the following changes to the Biology joint major (838) program:

- Add the following new concentration:

**Agribusiness (838U):** Select 15 semester hours from BIOL 1050, 2040, 2290, 3080, 3030, 3050, 3080, 3220-3221, 3340-3341, 3630, 3830-3831, 4040-4041, 4150, AGMT 2000, Select 15 semester hours from BIOL 2100-2101, 2120-2121, 2140-2141, 2150-2151, 2180, 2990, 4170-4171, 4400. Take 27 semester hours from ACCT 1040; BUAD 2120, 2200, 3250; CIS 1090; MGT 3220, 3580; MKTG 3230; and one advanced business elective.

- Revise the following concentrations to read:

**Biomedical (838A):** Select 32 hours from BIOL 1060, 2060-2061, 2080-2081, 2090-2091, 2300, 2500, 3020, **3080**, 3170-3171, 3210-3211, 3250, 3270-3271, 3280, 3290, 3310-3311, 3320-3321, **3830-3831**, 4050, 4060-4061, **4700**, 4120-4121, 4160-4161, 4190-4191, 4220-4221, **4230**, 4240, 4260-4261,

4270, 4280, 4300-4301, 4310-4311, 4320, 4340, 4410, 4500; SCHM 3820-3821, 4810; or SSTA 3810.

**Forensic Investigation (838W):** Select 16 semester hours from BIOL 2060-2061, 2070-2071, 2500, 3060-3061, 3080, 3270-3271, 3310-3311, 3320-3321, 3500-3501, 4300-4301, CHEM 2110-2111, 2120-2021, 3010-3011, 4040-4041, 4050 or 4160-4161. Select 16 semester hours from CJ 1100, 2300, 2600, 3360, 4000, 4450, 4460 and 4470.

**Wildlife Biology and Conservation (838X):** Select from BIOL 1050, 2030-2031, 2050-2051, 2080-2081, 2100-2101, 2120-2121, 2140-2141, 2150-2151, 2180, 2290, 2500, 2990, 3010-3011, 3040-3041, 3060-3061, 3070, 3080, 3140-3141, 3210-3211, 3220-3221, 3280, 3340-3341, 3630, 4040-4041, 4170-4171, 4180-4181, 4220-4221, 4240, 4400-4401, 4410, 4500, or 4960; RSST 2010, 3010, 4010.

- I. Make the following changes to the Biology Joint Major Concentration-dependent courses and Biology electives:
- Concentration-dependent courses: 32 semester hours in one of ~~five~~ **six** available concentrations (except for ~~838R which requires 34 semester hours, and~~ 838V which requires 55 semester hours **and 838U which requires 42**).
  - Biology electives: ~~838 A, B, and R must take 4 semester hours; 838T must take 2 semester hours of any 2000 level or above Biology course, to give students the opportunity to explore subjects outside their concentration.~~ SLSC 4000, SSCI 480T and SSCI 482T replace additional Biology electives and must be on a biological topic.
- J. Make the following changes to Accelerated BA in Liberal Arts with a Concentration in Business, Technology, and Society (820I) and a Master of Science in Computer Information Systems (597).
- Revise Master of Science in Computer Information Systems (597) to read:
    - ⊖ Master of Science in Computer Information Systems (597): CIS 5100, 5200, 5450, 5550, 5600, and one of 5300 or 5400. ~~9~~ **6** hours of CIS 5300, 5400, 5810, 5820, 5830, or 5840; CIS 5900 and 5950.

- Curriculum:
  - ⊖ 5<sup>th</sup> year – change CIS elective hours from 9 to 6.
  - ⊖ 5<sup>th</sup> year – Add CIS 5940.

K. Make the following changes to Accelerated BA in Liberal Arts with a Concentration in Scientific Inquiry (820A) and a Master of Science in Computer Information Systems (597).

- Revise Master of Science in Computer Information Systems (597) to read:
  - ⊖ Master of Science in Computer Information Systems (597): CIS 5100, 5200, 5450, 5550, 5600, and one of 5300 or 5400. ~~9~~ **6** hours of CIS 5300, 5400, 5810, 5820, 5830, or 5840; CIS 5900 and 5950.
- Curriculum:
  - ⊖ 5<sup>th</sup> year – change CIS elective hours from 9 to 6.
  - ⊖ 5<sup>th</sup> year – Add CIS 5940.

L. Make the following changes to Criminal Justice Joint Major (850) program:

- Revise Criminal Justice (850) joint major requirements to read:
  - ⊖ **Criminal Justice Joint Major Requirements:** (~~54~~ **57** semester hours) Student seeking a major in Criminal Justice must complete ~~54~~ **57** semester hours within the 120 semester hour Criminal Justice curriculum, which include Criminal Justice 1100, 2300, 2400, 2500, 2600, 2110 or 3040, ~~2800 or 3090, 3355~~ **3380, three hours of advanced Criminal Justice (courses at 3000-level) 4200, 4475, 4480, and twelve hours of advanced Criminal Justice (courses at 4000-level); Sociology 3030 or 3230, and 4080.**
- Curriculum:
  - ⊖ 3<sup>rd</sup> year – Delete PSYC 2450, CJ 3040, CJ 3090, and CJ 3360.
  - ⊖ 3<sup>rd</sup> year – Add CJ 2110 or 3040, CJ 2800 or CJ 3090, SOC 3030 or 3230, 3000-Level Advanced CJ Elective (3 hrs.).
  - ⊖ 4<sup>th</sup> Year – Delete CJ 4250, CJ 4450, CJ 4460, CJ 4500.
  - ⊖ 4<sup>th</sup> Year – Add 4000-level advanced CJ Elective (12 hours)

M. Make the following changes to Radiologic Sciences Joint Major (862) program:

- Add new following new concentration:
  - ⊖ **Radiography (862R):** (57 semester hours) RADS 3300, 3311, 3320, 3811, 3820, 3830, 3910, 3911, 3920, 4510, 4511, 4530, 4611, 4620, 4711, ALHE Advance Imaging Elective, ALHE 2500.
- Revise the following Ultrasound (862U) concentration to read:
  - ⊖ **Ultrasound (862U):** (~~32~~ 59 semester hours) SONO 3211, 3320, 3300, 3311, 3810, 3811, 3820, 3900, 3910, 3911, 3920, 4510, 4511, 4600, 4611, 4700, 4711, 4900.
- Revise the Radiologic Sciences Requirements: SCHM 1840; SCTT 1810, 1820, 2810; SOR 1010; 6 hours from SMAT 1820, 1830, 2000, 2010, SSTA 3810; ENGL 1010; SCRT 181W; 3 hours from SSOT, EPSY 2020, PSYC 1010, or 2050; BIOL 2250, 2251; 2260, 2261, Major Courses: ~~Radiologic Sciences 3300, 3310, 3311, 3320, 3811, 3820, 3830, 3910, 3911, 3920, 4510, 4511, 4530, 4611, 4620, 4711;~~ Allied Health 1020, 2200, 2210, 3840, 4520, 4610, 4630; ~~1-hour Advance Imaging Elective.~~ **And one of the two available areas of concentration.**
- Curriculum:
  - ⊖ 2<sup>nd</sup> year – Delete Radiologic Sciences 3310, 3311, 3320, and 1 credit hour elective.
  - ⊖ 2<sup>nd</sup> year – Add 11 hours of concentration dependent course.
  - ⊖ 3<sup>rd</sup> year – Delete Radiologic Sciences 3300, 3811, 3820, 3830, 3910, 3911, 3920, 4511.
  - ⊖ 3<sup>rd</sup> year – Add Concentration dependent courses (27)
  - ⊖ 4<sup>th</sup> year – Delete Advance Imaging elective, Radiologic Sciences 4510, 4530, 4611, 4711.
  - ⊖ 4<sup>th</sup> year – Add Concentration dependent courses (19)
- Revise Footnote 2 and 3 to read:
  - ⊖ Footnotes:
    1. Refer to concentration requirements.
    2. Radiography concentration students will choose an ALHE 4850, 4910, or 4950. Ultrasound concentration students are not required to complete an Advanced Imaging Elective.

N. Make the following changes to Electronics Engineering Technology 843 program.

- Revise core requirements, under EET Joint Major requirements.  
Core: (46 semester hours) Electronics Engineering Technology 1300-1301, 1320-1321, 1330-1331, 2320-2321, 2330-2331, 2350-2351, 3310-3311, 3360-3361, 4300-4301, ~~4390~~, 4940, or IET 4940; Industrial Engineering Technology 1400, 1700, **3740**.
- Revise the following concentrations to read:  
**Electronics (843A):** (20 semester hours): Electronics Engineering Technology 4310-4311, 4350-4351, **4390**, 4950; Industrial Engineering Technology 2790, ~~3740~~; and three additional hours of technical electives.  
**Biomedical (843B):** (23 semester hours): Biomedical Engineering Technology 3320-3321, 3370-3371, **4390-4391**, 4950 (**4 3** hours) ~~Industrial Engineering Technology 3740~~; Biology 2250-2251, 2260-2261.
- Curriculum:
  - ⊖ 3<sup>rd</sup> year – Delete EET 4390
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> year – Add IET 3740

O. Make the following changes to Sport and Recreation Management Joint Major (879) program:

- Revise the Sport and Recreation Management Joint Major requirements to read:
  - ⊖ Specific Core Requirements: PSYC 1010; SLSC 4000; SSCI 480T, 482T; Major requirements: Human Performance 2000, 3300, 3310, 3320, 4200, 4400, 4410, 4430, 4470; 9 hours of Health Education 1010, 4500, and 4600; 21 hours of required related courses; and **7 10** hours of advisor approved electives.
- Curriculum:
  - ⊖ 2<sup>nd</sup> year – Delete BUAD 2200
  - ⊖ 2<sup>nd</sup> year – Add BLAW 2250
  - ⊖ 3<sup>rd</sup> year – Delete Academic Electives
  - ⊖ 3<sup>rd</sup> year – Add COMM 2110 or 3500

**Action: All items approved without opposition**

## II. Department of Music

A. Make the following course change:

- Delete MUS 2990 from NSU Catalog.

Action: Approved without opposition

## III. Department of New Media, Journalism, and Communication Arts

A. Make the following course change: (effective Fall 2026)

- COMM 3500 – make repeatable up to 9 undergraduate hours applicable to Communication degree.

Action: Approved without opposition

## IV. Department of Biology and Microbiology

A. Mark the following course change: (effective Fall 2026)

- BIOL 3060 – add co-requisite.

Action: Approved without opposition

## V. Division of Mathematics

A. Add the following new course: (effective Fall 2026)

- CSC 1061 – Program Design I Laboratory (1-0-3)

B. Make the following course changes: (effective Fall 2026)

- Math 2050 – Change pre-requisite.
- Math 4070 – Change course description and prerequisite.

C. Revise the following concentrations for Mathematics (642) program: (effective Fall 2026)

- **Healthcare Informatics (642A)**: Mathematics 3150, 3160, 3 hours of Mathematics 4900, Statistics 4270, **Computer Science 2100**, Computer Information Systems 1030, 2100, 2980, 3300, 3900, 4000, 4020.
- **Actuarial Mathematics (642B)**: Mathematics 3150, 3270, 3 hours of Mathematics 4900, Statistics 4270, 4280, ~~Business Administration 1800~~, Computer Information Systems 2000, Accounting 2000, 2010, Finance 3090, 4200, Economics 2000, 2010.

- **Applied Mathematics (642C):** Mathematics 3160, 3170, 4100, 4260, Statistics 4270, 4280, Computer Science 3040, Physics 3900, 4100, Chemistry **1030-1031**, 3210, 3220, Biology 3060-3061.
- **Sport Analytics (642E):** Mathematics 2050, 3150, 3300, 3310, ~~Statistics~~ 4270, 4280, Computer Science ~~2020~~, 2100, ~~Business Administration~~ 2120, Computer Information Systems 2000, 2980, 4070, Economics 2000, 2010, English ~~3210~~ or 3230, Human Performance **4030**, 4400.

D. Revise the following Mathematics (642) curriculum: (effective Fall 2026)

- 1<sup>st</sup> year – Delete COMM 1010, Electives (3)
- 1<sup>st</sup> year – Add CSC 1060, 1061, 2060
- 2<sup>nd</sup> year – Add COMM 1010, Elective (6), Delete CSC 1060, 2060
- 3<sup>rd</sup> year – Delete CHEM 1030-1031
- 3<sup>rd</sup> year Add Electives (9)

E. Revise footnotes 3 and 4 to read: (effective Fall 2026)

3. Selected from one of the following three sequences: Biology 1020-1021, ~~Chemistry 1040-1041~~, or Physics 2520-2521. Students in Applied Mathematics and ~~Computer Science~~ concentrations will take Physics 2520-2521.
4. **Electives must include at least 9 hours of 2000-, 3000-, or 4000-level STEM courses taken from MATH, CSC, BIOL, CHEM, EET, IET, or PHYS courses.** Students in Healthcare informatics will take **Computer Science 2100**, Computer Information Systems 1030, 2100, 2980, 3300, 3900, 4020, and 7 additional hours. Students in Actuarial Mathematics will take Economics 2000, 2010, Business Administration 1800, Computer Information Systems 2000, Accounting 2000, 2010, Finance 3090, 4200 and 4 additional hours. Students in Applied Mathematics will take Computer Science 3040, Chemistry **1030, 1031**, 3210, 3220, Physics 3900, 4100, and Biology 3060-3061 and 6 additional hours. Students in Sport Analytics will take Mathematics 2050, Computer Science 2100, Computer Information Systems 2000, 2980, 4070, Economics 2000, 2010, Human Performance **4030, 4400**, and either English 3210 or 3230.

**Action:** All items approved without opposition

## VI. School of Social Sciences and Applied Programs

A. Add the following new courses: (effective Fall 2026)

- PLPS 4400 – Mock Trial (3-3-0)
- PSCI 4000 – Mock Trial (3-3-0)

**Action:** Approved without opposition

## VII. Department of English, Languages, and Cultural Studies

- A. Make the following undergraduate level course changes: (effective Fall 2026)
- ENGL 3850 – Reactivate subtitle 08-Film & Narrative
  - ENGL 4450 -revise course description
  - ENGL 4660 – revise course description
- B. Revise the following English (221) concentrations: (effective 2026)
- **Literature (221A):** English 3100, 3150, 3160, and 3170; ENGL 4420; three hours of Diverse Voices Electives from ENGL 2700, 3710, 3720, 3730, 3800, **3840**, 3910, 3920, 3930, 4230, 4440, 4873, 4950, 4960, or 4970; six hours of coursework in Literature before 1800 from ENGL 4130, 4140, 4170, 4190, 4200, 4250, 4260, 4350, or 4570; six hours of coursework in Literature after 1800 from ENGL 3010, 3710, 3720, 3730, 3800, 3850-14, 3910, 3920, 3930, 4240, 4310, 4360, 4450, 4460, 4650, 4690, 4950, or 4960; and nine hours of advanced English courses (courses numbered 3000 or 4000).
  - **Creative Writing (221E):** English 2120, 3050, 3080, 3180, and 4080; six hours from ENGL 4060, 4070, or 4090; six hours of Diverse Voices Electives from ENGL 2700, 3710, 3720, 3730, 3800, **3840**, 3910, 3920, ~~3930~~, 4230, 4440, 4873, 4950, 4960, or 4970; and 12 hours of advanced ENGL courses (courses numbered 3000 or 4000).
- C. Make the following graduate level course changes: (effective Fall 2026)
- ENGL 5400 – revise course description
  - ENGL 5450 – revise course description
  - ENGL 6600 – change Title, course description, add pre-requisite

**Action:** All items approved without opposition

## VIII. School of Business

- A. Make the following additions and changes to the course credits for certifications areas currently listed on page 106 of the NSU catalog:
- Add – CIS 2210-AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner.
  - Delete – CIS 2050-CompTIA A+
  - Delete current and replace with new.
    - ⊖ CIS 1015 – CompTIA Tech+
    - ⊖ CIS 4080 – CompTIA Cloud+
    - ⊖ CIS 4220 – Cisco CCNA

B. Add the following undergraduate new course. (effective Fall 2026)

- CIS 2210 – Cloud Computing Concepts (3-3-0)

C. Make the following undergraduate course changes:

- BUAD 4190 – change pre-requisite.
- BUAD 4900 – change pre-requisite.
- CIS 2080 – change course description.
- CIS 2090 – change course description.
- CIS 3400 – change course description.
- CIS 3700 – change course description.
- CIS 3800 – change course description.
- CIS 3980 – change course description.
- CIS 4080 – change course description.
- FIN 3150 – change course description.

D. Revise the following Business Administration (110) concentration:

- Pre-Law (Business)(110Q): (24 semester hours) BLAW 2250, BLAW 3260, PLPS 4020, **PLPS 4090**; Choose 9 hours from BLAW 3270, BLAW 3280, BLAW 3290, BLAW 3300, FIN 3150, HMT 4150, MGT 4270, MGT 4280, PLPS 3050, PLPS 3060, and SECO 3850; Choose ~~6~~ **3** hours from ANTH 3070, ANTH 3120, BIOL 2990, COMM 2040, CJ 3070, CJ 4450, HP 3000, PSCI 3090, PSCI 4060, **SLSC 2000 (Literature and the Law)**, SOWK 4270, UPSA 4400, and any PLPS 3000 or 4000 level classes.

E. Remove the following statement under the Business Administration Minor Requirements on page 116 in NSU catalog:

- ~~Pre-Law students should ensure that English 3200,3210 or 3230; Philosophy 2030; three hours of political science, and three hours of history are included in their program. (See the Pre-Law advisor)~~

F. Revise Business Administration (110) curriculum footnotes to read:

- Delete footnotes 2 and 3.
- Revise footnote 4 to read:
  - ⊖ An advanced business elective is any 3000 or 4000 level business administration, **business law**, accounting, finance,

management, marketing, or computer information systems class.

- G. Add the following new course for graduate level credit:
- CIS 5940 – Research Project and/or Thesis Proposal (3-3-0)
- H. Make the following graduate course changes:
- CIS 5900 – change course description.
  - CIS 5950– change title, course description.
- I. Make the following changes to Master of Science Program in Computer Information Systems (597) program to read:
- Electives: (~~9~~ 6 semester hours) ~~Three~~ **Two** of Computer Information Systems 5300 (if not taken for Foundations), 5400 (if not taken for Foundations), 5810, 5820, 5830, or 5840.
  - Application area: (~~6~~ 9 semester hours) Computer Information Systems 5900, **5940** and 5950.
- J. Add a new Accelerated Bachelor of Science in Business Administration (110) and a Master of Science in Computer Information Systems (597). See attached proposal. (Pending Board Approval)

**Action: All items approved without opposition**

## **IX. Department of Hospitality Management and Tourism**

- A. Revise the Culinary Arts Minor Requirements to read:
- **Culinary Arts Minor Requirements: (21 semester hours)** ~~Culinary Arts 2050 or Hospitality Management and Tourism 3050; Hospitality Management and Tourism 3020; Culinary Arts 3070, 3080, 3100, 3200, and 3250.~~ **HMT 2010, 3020; CULA 2010, 2050, 3080, 3100, 3200; 3 hours from CULA 3070, 3250, or 4000.**
- B. Add the following new Event Management Minor:
- **Event Management Minor:** (21 semester hours) EVNT 1000, 2000, 2050, 3000; HMT 4250; HMT 4110 or HMT 4300; 3 hours from MKTG 2200, 3230, 3300, 3820, or USPA 4700.

- C. Add new Bachelor of Science degree in Hospitality Administration. (Pending Board approval)
- D. Add the following new HMT courses:
  - HMT 4300-Revise, title, course description
  - HMT 4070 – Revenue Management in Hospitality (3-3-0)
- E. Add the following new EVNT courses:
  - EVNT 2110 – Special Topics in EVNT (3-3-0)
  - EVNT 4110 – Special Problems in EVNT (3-3-0)

**Action: All items approved without opposition**

## **X. College of Nursing**

- A. Revise the ASN and BSN special Admission, Progression, Dismissal, and Graduation (APDG) policy changes to the College of Nursing Pre-licensure Programs: (see attachments)
  - Associate of Science in Nursing (ASN)
  - Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN)
  - Transition to Nursing Concentration Program.
- B. Add the following new undergraduate level course: (effective Summer 2026)
  - NURB 2180 – BSN Student Success (3-3-0)
- C. Make the following changes to the RN-BSN (410A) degree program:
  - Curriculum
    - ⊖ Delete PSYC 4400 (3) and BIOL 2240 (3)
    - ⊖ Add elective hours (6)

**Action: All items approved without opposition**

## **XI. School of Allied Health**

- A. Add the following new Diagnostic Medical Sonography (DMS) to Bachelor of Science in Radiologic Sciences option:
  - DMS to BSRS (615B)

**Action: All items approved without opposition**

## **XII. School of Education**

- A. Revise the following the Secondary Education and Teaching (320) curriculum to read.

- Agriculture Education (320A): General Education Specific Requirements: AGMT 2000, 3000, BUAD 1040, CULA 2010, EET 1300, 1301, 1320, 1321, BIOL 1011, ~~1020~~, 1021, 2030, 2031, 2040, 3900; MATH 1020, 1090; BIOL 1010, 1020.

B. Make the following changes to Secondary Education and Teaching (320) program:

- 1<sup>st</sup> year – Delete COMM 1010
- 1<sup>st</sup> year – Add 1 hour of Concentration-dependent courses, 2 hours of Natural Sciences.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> year – Delete 8 hour of 12 hours Concentration-dependent courses.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> year – Add COMM 1010, 4 hours to Natural Sciences, 3 hours of electives.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> year – Delete Reading 4080
- 3<sup>rd</sup> year – Add Reading 4050
- 4<sup>th</sup> year – Delete 2 hours of 11 hours Concentration-dependent Courses.

C. Add the following new graduate level courses:

- EDUC 5130 – Literacy Based Instructional Planning and Design in the Classroom (3-3-0)
- EDUC 5810 – Dyslexia & the Science of Reading: Literacy-based Applications of Teaching (3-3-0)
- EDUC 5910 – Internship I (3-3-0)
- EDUC 5920 – Internship II (3-3-0)

D. Make the following graduate course change:

- ETEC 5760 – change course title, change course description.

**Action: All items approved without opposition**

### **XIII. School of Kinesiology**

A. Make the following undergraduate course change:

- HED 1010 – changes course description.

- B. Make the following graduate course change:
- HP 5620 - make repeatable up to 9 graduate hours applicable to degree.

Action: All items approved without opposition

**XIV. Department of Psychology and Addiction Studies**

- A. Add the following new course.
- PSYC 3030 – Educational and Career Planning in Psychology and Addiction Studies (3-3-0)
- B. Make the following course change:
- PSYC 3050 – change course title, change course description.
- C. Revise Psychology (392) major requirements to read:
- Psychology Major Requirements: (~~48~~ 51 semester hours)**  
Students seeking a major in psychology must complete ~~48~~ 51 semester hours psychology courses, within the 120 semester hour psychology curriculum, which includes: Psychology 1010, 2040, 2050, 2430, 3010, 3020, 3030, 3050, or 3060, 4400, 4410, 4440, 4450, 4470, 4490, 4510, and two Psychology/Addiction Studies electives as approved by the advisor. Majors may not count any grade in a psychology course lower than “C” towards the psychology major curriculum.
- D. Revise major Addiction Studies (395) requirements to read:
- Addiction Studies Major Requirements: (~~60~~ 63 semester hours)**  
Students seeking a major in Addiction Studies must complete 33 semester hours of Addiction Studies and ~~27~~ 30 semester hours of Psychology, within the 120 semester hours Addiction Studies curriculum, which include: Addiction Studies 1010, 2050, 2430, 2450, 3010, 3020, 4040, 4450, 4490, 4500, 4510, or PSYC 4510; Psychology 1010, 2050, 2430, 3010, 3030, 4400, 4440, 4450, 4700, and one Psychology/Addiction Studies support course as approved by the advisor. Majors may not count any grade in Addiction Studies and Psychology courses lower than “C” towards the major curriculum.

- E. Make the following changes to Psychology (392) curriculum program:
- 3<sup>rd</sup> year – Delete 3 hours of electives.
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> year – Add PSYC 3030
  - 4<sup>th</sup> year – Delete 1 class/3 hours of Psychology Electives
  - 4<sup>th</sup> year – Add 3 hours of electives.
- F. Make the following changes to Addiction Studies (395) curriculum program:
- 3<sup>rd</sup> year – Delete 3 hours of electives.
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> year – Add PSYC 3030
  - 4<sup>th</sup> year – Delete 1 class/3 hours of Psychology Electives
  - 4<sup>th</sup> year – Add 3 hours of electives.

Action: All items approved without opposition

## **XV. Department of Social Work**

- A. Make the following undergraduate course changes:
- SOWK 3030 – change prerequisite.
  - SOWK 3040 – change prerequisite.
  - SOWK 3060 – change course description.
  - SOWK 3090 – add prerequisite.
  - SOWK 3350 – add prerequisite.
  - SOWK 3140 – change prerequisite.
- B. Make the following change to the Master of Social Work program information (page 161 of NSU Catalog)
- Page 161 – Remove the first paragraph and replace to read:
    - ⊖ ~~The Master of Social Work degree will prepare professional Social Workers who will engage in social work practice, policy, research, and collaboration with community partners to promote human well-being in Louisiana and globally. This program is designed for students who plan to continue doctoral training in Social Work or seek clinical employment at the MSW level. Individuals who hold an MSW degree accredited by the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) may be licensed in the state in which they work and live.~~
    - ⊕ “The mission of our Master of Social Work program is to cultivate *inclusive, clinically trained evidence-based* advanced generalist social work practitioners equipped to meet the

growing needs of rural, central, and western Louisiana while maintaining a global perspective and reach. We embrace diversity through *anti-racist, anti-oppressive, and trauma-informed* practices and strive to *foster* a community of learners committed to enhancing social justice. We empower students to progress from generalist to advanced generalist practice, preparing them to assess, evaluate, and create impactful interventions across all practice levels. We aim to develop social workers who understand the complexities of social inequalities, *systemic oppression, and historical, generational, and environmental trauma*. By integrating cost-effective education with cutting edge approaches, our graduates are equipped to evaluate the effectiveness of policies and programs and to create transformative solutions that enhance the well-being of individuals, families, communities, and organizations.”

Action: All items approved without opposition

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