FACULTY SENATE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE REPORT

November 10, 2011

Each Curriculum Committee member was assigned various chapters of the 2012-2014 catalog to review and bring their corrections and comments to a committee meeting. The committee met on October 21, 2011 and presented their corrections and comments. Members had compared the summary of changes furnished them and the draft catalog to ensure that changes had been made. In addition, they reviewed the draft catalog for other corrections and checked for the correct number of semester hours for major and minor degrees. A quorum was present, and the members voted to approve the 2012-2014 undergraduate catalog with the suggested corrections. The Chair will present the corrections to the Office of Undergraduate Studies to ensure that the corrections are understood and made. Some of the corrections have already been completed.

Corrections presented:

Honors College

Footnote 2 refers to thesis, and it should be capstone according to changes.

Under Minor in Legal Studies in Section B (9 additional semester credit hours), The list contains the same course number for Torts LGS 4223 and Federal Courts LGS 4223.

In the course descriptions, LGS 4223 is an existing course in Torts. However, the new course LGS 4223 Federal Courts has the same course number.

College of Architecture

Department of Architecture

Course descriptions:

ARC 1513 Great Buildings and Cities of the World needs TCCN, now included.

ARC 3343 Building Technology IV needs prerequisite: ARC 2223

College of Business

Page 1 of 84 – Need to add "COB" in front of undergraduate advising office.

Page 2 of 84 – Need to clarify "two grade point average" [being revised].

Department of Accounting

Course descriptions – corrected change – the prerequisite MGT 3003 was needed to be removed from ACC 4933, ACC 4953, ACC 4963, ACC 4993 as noted in the summary of changes.

Department of Economics

Page 17 of 84 – Need to eliminate duplication of "Thirty-nine of the total hours required for the degree must be at the upper-division level."

Department of Finance

Page 30 of 84 – changed word "project" to "property."

Page 30 of 84 – corrections made to Minor in Construction Management to ensure 18 semester credit hours.

Page 31 of 84 – corrections made to Minor in Facility and Property Management to ensure 18 semester hours.

Page 32 of 84 – corrections made to Minor in Finance

Duplicates of RFD 4303 Facility and Property Management Policies and Procedures and RFD 4313 Facility and property Management Practices removed.

Department of Information Systems and Technology Management

No corrections.

Department of Management

BBA in Management with a Small Business and Entrepreneurship Concentration

This entire degree will be moved to a new department in January.

Department of Management Science

Page 66 of 84 – one course was moved from Section A to Section B

Department of Marketing

Flow of majors and minors was mixed. Rearranged to follow flow of remainder of the catalog.

College of Education and Human Development

Department of Bicultural-Bilingual Studies

Page 3 of 27 -- B.A. in Mexican American Studies

Part A.1 18 required semester credit hours

There should be an "or" between MAS 2013 and MAS 2023 [resolved]

Part A.2 MAS 3013 should not have a zero in the title [resolved]

Page 4-8 of 27 Need punctuation corrections and spacing.

Pages 14 & 19 of 27 – Need to add word "credit."

Department of Counseling

No corrections submitted.

Department of Educational Leadership and Policy Studies

No corrections submitted.

Department of Educational Psychology

Course descriptions for EDP 3203, EDP 3303, EDP 4302 -- TSI should be defined

Department of Health and Kinesiology

Pages 10, 12 & 16 of 23 – spacing issues

Page 14 – word "credit" need to be added

Department of Interdisciplinary Learning and Teaching

B.A. in Interdisciplinary Studies

Most of the spacing issues listed below for this program have been resolved.

Page 6 of 37 – Area of Specialization –First one in paragraph should be "One."

Page 15 of 37 – section B – spacing for 6 semester credit hours SPE 3673 – define AU

Pages 20-21 of 37 – spacing problems

Page 25 of 37 – IDS 2203 & IDS 2213– define CE

Page 26 of 37 – IDS 3003 and IDS 3013; comma after understanding.

Page 28 of 37 – IDS 3513 – Needs semi-colon removed – dash would be better

Page 28 of 37 -- IDS 3523 – need double dash

Page 30 of 37 – SPE – 3673 & SPE 3683 – spacing issues

Page 31 of 37 – SPE 3693 – Shows word "prerequisites," but no prerequisites are shown.

College of Engineering

Department of Biomedical Engineering

B.S. in Biomedical Engineering

In the description of the degree, line 7, it should read that "with students having the option to choose one concentration as in-depth focus area of study in the last two years of the program."

In part C of degree requirements, it should state: "9 semester credit hours of Biomedical Engineering elective courses must be selected from one of the following concentrations. The remaining semester credit hours must be selected from other concentrations to satisfy the Biomedical Engineering electives.

Two courses need to be included under the Biomechanics Concentration:

BME 4703 Biomedical Engineering Thermodynamics BME 4803 Fundamental Computational Bioengineering

Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering

No corrections submitted.

Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering

No corrections submitted

Department of Mechanical Engineering

No corrections submitted.

College of Liberal and Fine Arts

Department of Anthropology

No corrections submitted.

Department of Art and Art History

No corrections submitted.

Department of Communication

No corrections submitted.
Department of History
No corrections submitted.
Department of Modern Languages and Literatures
No corrections submitted.
Department of Music
No corrections submitted.
Department of Philosophy
No corrections submitted.
Department of Political Science and Geography
No corrections submitted.
Department of Psychology
No corrections submitted.
Department of Sociology
B.A. in Sociology
SOC 3313 is listed as a prerequisite for SOC 3323 and SOC 3373 on summary of changes. However, it has been deleted from the catalog course descriptions. Need to check for the appropriate course number to serve as prerequisite for these two courses.
College of Public Policy
No corrections submitted.

College of Science

No corrections submitted.

Department of English

Department of Biology

Page 3 of 27 – B.S. in Biology -- Under Core Curriculum Requirements – second line

"The courses listed in the table below satisfy. . ."

Because the table has been moved from each program, this sentence need to be changed in all of these paragraphs on core curriculum.

Page 7 of 27 B.S. in Environmental Science

Same comment regarding core curriculum

Department of Chemistry

Page 10 of 27 B.S. in Chemistry

Same comment regarding core curriculum

Department of Computer Science

Page 14 of 27 B.S. in Computer Science

Same comment regarding core curriculum

Department of Geological Sciences

Page 16 of 27 B.S. in Multidisciplinary Science

Same comment regarding core curriculum

Page 18 of 27 B.S. in Geology

Same comment regarding core curriculum

Page 19 of 27 B.A. in Geology

Same comment regarding core curriculum

Department of Mathematics

Page 21 of 27 B.S. in Mathematics

Same comment regarding core curriculum

Sentence to be added to MAT 1023 course description: "College of Science and College of Engineering majors should take MAT 1073 as the prerequisite for MAT 1093."

The prerequisite for MAT 1093 needs Prerequisite: "MAT 1023 or MAT 1073 or an equivalent courses or satisfactory performance on a placement examination."

Department of Physics and Astronomy

Page 24 of B.S. in Physics

Same comment regarding core curriculum

Page 26 of 27 B.A. in Physics

Same comment regarding core curriculum

Although the comments regarding the phrase: "The courses listed in the table below satisfy. . ." was identified by one of the committee members for the COS, it is applicable for all of the programs. Because the table has been moved from each program, this sentence will need to be changed in all of the paragraphs on core curriculum.