

Arts & Sciences Curriculum Committee Meeting Minutes (notes in red)

Monday, December 7, 2015 from 2:15-4:00 p.m.; Scofield 307 (Dean's Conference Room)

Attendance	Member	Representation
	Cantu, Norma	Humanities/English
x	Horsmon, Caitlin	Humanities/Communication Studies
	Sheppard, Jim	Humanities/Philosophy
x	Murowchick, Jim	Natural Sciences/Geosciences
x	Oyler, Nathan	Natural Sciences/Chemistry
x	Sega, Liana	Natural Sciences/Math
x	Lundgren, Jennifer (Chair)	Social Sciences/Psychology
X	Osborn, Matthew	Social Sciences/History
	Torres, Theresa (Secretary)	Social Sciences/Sociology
	Ex-Officio Members	Representation
X	Lundberg, Alicen	A&S CC Coordinator
	Challacombe, Rosana	A&S Advising Office
X	Bergman, Becky	A&S Advising Office
X	Toivanen, Kati	A&S Dean's Office
	Filion, Diane	A&S Dean's Office

General Plan for Order of Agenda Items: We will discuss/vote on courses with no actionable comments first. After that we will discuss courses by department/program, regardless of whether the submission is new or a modification.

Approval of November Minutes - approved

Courses with no actionable comments in CourseLeaf:

CJC Deactivations: - **all approved**

CJC 250: Introduction To Policing, CJC 260: Principles & Practices of Criminal Courts, CJC 265: Delinquency And Juvenile Justice, CJC 270: Principles Of Corrections, CJC 315: Crime, Criminals And Victims, CJC 316: Race, Class and Justice, CJC 317: Policies of Drug Use and Control, CJC 320: The Supreme Court and the Criminal Process, CJC 365: Comparative Legislatures, CJC 401: Criminal Justice & Criminology in Popular Media, CJC 424: The Death Penalty in America, CJC 429: Restorative Justice, CJC 440: Hate & Bias Crimes, CJC 450: Women, Crime And Criminal Justice, CJC 470WI: Capstone: Criminal Justice And Criminology, CJC 475: White Collar Crime, CJC 475P: White Collar Crime

MATH 216: Calculus for Biological Sciences - **approved**

New Courses:

ART-HIST 439WI: Paris in the Age of the Rococo - **approved**

MATH 496/STAT 496: Internship/Practical Training in Mathematics or Statistics - **approved (both "on demand"; limit pre-req to MATH 250; prompted discussion of paid vs. unpaid internships)**

PHYSICS 131L: Backyard Physics - **approved (remove cross-listing)**

PSYCH 151: College Study Skills and Resources - **approved (minor changes to course description)**

PSYCH 152: Developing a Person-Centered Life Plan - **approved (minor changes to course description)**

PSYCH 153: Communication Skills for Networking, Employment, and Friendship - **approved (minor changes to course description)**

PSYCH 154: Personal Finance and Disability Services ~~and Systems~~ - **approved (minor changes to course description; title change)**

PSYCH 155: Developing Your Career - **approved (minor changes to course description; title change)**

PSYCH 156: Transition Skills - **approved (minor changes to course description)**

SOC-WK 5561: Social Work in Health Care (tabled from last month's meeting) - approved (minor changes to course description)

Course Modifications:

ART-HIST 439: Paris in the Age of the Rococo (no-print, send forward with ART-HIST 439WI) - approved

ENGLISH 104C: Advanced Academic English Reading for Non-Native Speakers IV - approved

ENGLISH 104G: Advanced Academic English Grammar for Non-Native Speakers IV - approved

GEOG 444: Spatial Data Analysis - approved

GEOG 5544: Advanced Spatial Data Analysis - approved (3 lecture hours + 1 lab hr/wk)

GEOG 5570: Advanced Hydrogeology - approved

GEOG 5595/GEOLOGY 5595: Graduate Seminar in Geosciences I - approved

GEOG 5597/GEOLOGY 5597: Graduate Seminar in Geosciences II - approved

POL-SCI 304: Politics of Developing Countries - approved

Program Modifications:

Master of Arts: Political Science - approved

Master of Science: Environmental and Urban Geosciences - approved (minor changes to program description)

Bachelor of Arts: Communication Studies – Film and Media Arts - approved

Bachelor of Arts: Communication Studies – Interpersonal and Public Communication Emphasis - approved

New Programs:

Black Studies Major - approved (minor changes to program description)

Bachelor of Arts – Urban Journalism & Strategic Communication (will discuss if significant changes) - approved

CAS Degree Requirements:

Discussion of 90/120 credits in CAS (Lundgren) - forwarded to Steering cmte without a specific recommendation

Discussion about overlapping major/major, major/minor, minor/minor (Bergman) - forwarded to Steering cmte without a specific recommendation

Update about 300/400 level requirements in minor (Bergman) - announcement – campus level rule now

Other Action Items: Discussion of graduate program modifications routing through CAS CC - not discussed

Spring 2016 Meetings: February, March, and April

CAS Curriculum Committee webpage: <http://cas.umkc.edu/curriculum.asp>

CourseLeaf Approval webpage: <https://nextcatalog.umkc.edu/courseleaf/approve/?role=admin>