MINUTES OF THE DECEMBER 4, 2018, MEETING OF THE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE

Location: Gardiner Hall 230
Present: Karen Christopher, Matt Church, Christine Ehrick, Jennifer Mansfield-Jones, Dwain Pruitt, Regina Roebuck, Jake Wildstrom
Absent: Maryam Moazzen
Guests: Kevin Gawley (Theatre Arts), Paul Himes (Biology), Matt Ruther (UPA), David Simpson (UPA)

The meeting was convened at 9:31 AM.

The committee unanimously approved the minutes of its November 9, 2018, meeting.

OLD BUSINESS:

075-18F: The committee APPROVED the creation of PHIL 325, “Feminist Medical Ethics,” after reviewing a revised syllabus that eliminated language the committee questioned at its November 9, 2018, meeting.

NEW BUSINESS:

093-18F: The committee APPROVED the Department of Theatre Arts’ request that TA 349, “Introduction to Stage Lighting,” be renamed “Introduction to Lighting Design” effective Summer 2019.

094-18F: The committee APPROVED Theatre Arts’ request that TA 362, whose title was approved to be changed to “Theatre History and Script Analysis III: Modern and Contemporary” at the committee’s October 2018 meeting, be designated as a WR course effective Summer 2019. The course’s description will also be updated to reflect the course’s content and place in the revised departmental curriculum approved in October.


096-18F: The committee APPROVED changing SOC 455’s title from “Occupations and Organizations” to “Sociology of Work.” The committee also APPROVED the department’s request to change the course’s prerequisites to “SOC 201, SOC 320, and SOC 323; 9 hours at 300+ level in one social science; or consent of the instructor.” This change will be effective Summer 2019.


099-18F: The committee APPROVED the Department of Sociology’s request that SOC 480, “Juvenile Delinquency,” receive a CUE designation. The course’s official title beginning in Summer 2019 will be “Juvenile Delinquency-CUE.”

100-18F: The committee APPROVED changing the course description and prerequisites for SOC 695, “Research Study,” effective Summer 2019. Until now, the course had no course description. The new course description will be “This course provides an opportunity for students to finish their research study
and defend it before a faculty committee.” The prerequisite will be “consent of director of graduate studies.”


103-18F: The committee APPROVED the deletion of SOC 708, “PhD Internship,” effective Summer 2019.

104-18F: The committee APPROVED the Department of Sociology’s requested curricular change to the MA in applied sociology. This change would replace SOC 615, “Seminar in Research Methodology,” with SOC 690, “Independent Study” or an elective during the first semester of the first year. No other changes will be made to the existing curriculum. These changes will be effective Summer 2019.

105-18F: The committee APPROVED changing the prerequisites for SOC 618, “Qualitative Research Methods.” The department is removing “SOC 615 or consent of instructor,” effective Summer 2019.

106-18F: The committee APPROVED changing the prerequisite for SOC 622, “Survey Research and Design.” The department is removing "SOC 615 or consent of instructor,” effective Summer 2019.


109-18F: The committee APPROVED changing the curriculum for the BFA in Interior Design to reflect the creation of ART 559. ART 559 will be added to the Interior Design core, effective Summer 2019.

110-18F: The committee APPROVED Fine Arts’ request to change ART 566’s class component code from LAB to LEC and to remove the $50 course fee. Effective Summer 2019.

111-18F: The committee APPROVED changing ART 567’s class component code from LAB to LEC and to remove the $50 course fee. Effective Summer 2019.

112-18F: The committee APPROVED changing ART 568’s class component code from LAB to LEC and to remove the $50 course fee. Effective Summer 2019.

113-18F and 114-18F: The committee APPROVED changing the title, description and prerequisites for ART 578, “Video.” The new title will be “Image and Installation;” the new description will describe more accurately and completely the course’s content; and the new prerequisite will be ART 351 and BFA candidacy or faculty consent.” As item 114-18F, the committee APPROVED adding a graduate version of the course. Effective Summer 2019.


116-18F: The committee APPROVED changing ART 597, “Professional Development in Studio Arts-CUE” from a 1-credit course to a 3-credit course, effective Summer 2019.
117-18F: The committee APPROVED necessary editorial changes to the curricula in the BFA in 2D and 3D Studios after approving the requested change to ART 597. The 2D Studios and 3D Studios Studio Art BFA track will now require 18 hours, up from 15, which increases the total number of hours required to 33.

118-18F: Matt Ruther and David Simpson presented the proposed BA in Urban Studies. The proposed interdisciplinary major will be a partnership between the Departments of Urban Affairs, Geography and Geosciences, and Sociology. Majors would complete an Urban Studies core, which will consist of five new courses (URBS 101: The Making of Urban Places; URBS 102: Discover Louisville; URBS 201: Principles of Urban Planning; URBS 202: Foundations of Urban Administration; and URBS 404: Internship in Urban Studies-CUE) and four existing courses to be cross-listed as URBS courses (SOC 305: Urban Sociology, GEOS 328: Urban Geography, PLAN 604: Urban Data Analysis, and PLAN 618: Urban Demography and GIS). The remainder of the major would consist of a 12-hour concentration in Urban Administration, Urban Geography, Urban Planning, or Urban Sociology and 12 hours of guided electives taken from a list of urban-themed or thematically-aligned social sciences courses. Students would then have to complete 29 hours of electives. Corrections were requested to the proposal’s example flight plan, found on page 16. The plan is missing a Natural Sciences lab, needs to replace one SB course with an SBH course. A BA degree requires completion of 12 credit hours in foreign language, not the six indicated in the proposal. The committee also recommended that the QR course be moved from its current placement in semester 6 to earlier in the major. Editorial revisions were also requested on page 9 to replace “Justice Administration” with “Criminal Justice,” on page 10 to replace “Dean Kimberly Leonard” with “Dean Robert Fox,” and on page 18 to replace “URBS 318” with “URBS 518.” The committee APPROVED the proposal, which will also be reviewed by the dean and the Planning and Budget Committee before moving to the A&S Faculty Assembly.


120-18F: The committee APPROVED changing COMM 320’s prerequisite from COMM 201 to ENGL 102 or ENGL 105, effective Summer 2019.

121-18F: The committee APPROVED changing COMM 321’s prerequisite from COMM 201 to ENGL 102 or ENGL 105, effective Summer 2019.

122-18F: The committee APPROVED changing COMM 322’s prerequisite from COMM 201 to ENGL 102 or ENGL 105, effective Summer 2019.

123-18F: The committee APPROVED changing COMM 323’s prerequisite from COMM 201 to ENGL 102 or ENGL 105, effective Summer 2019.

124-18F: The committee APPROVED designating COMM 412, “Communication Criticism,” as a CUE course. Its new official title, effective Summer 2019, will be “Communication Criticism-CUE.”


129-18F: The committee APPROVED the Department of Biology’s proposed revision to the Genetics/Subcellular and Cellular Physiology tracks in the BS in Biology, effective Summer 2019. The department wishes to merge these tracks to create the Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental (MCD) Biology track. With this change, there will only be two tracks in the BS in Biology, the MCD track and the Ecology track. The new curriculum for the MCD track appears below:

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**Supporting Courses:** 34h
- MATH 205 – Calculus I 4h
- BIOL 350 – Biostatistics 3h
- CHEM 201, 202, 207, 208, 209 General Chemistry I and II and Associated Labs 9h
- CHEM 341, 342, 343, 344 – Organic Chemistry I and II and Associated Labs 10h
- PHYS 221, 222, 223, 224 – Fundamentals I & II with labs 8h

**Core = 22h**
- BIOL 240, 242, 244 – Unity/Diversity of Life, Lab (S, SL)
- BIOL 329 – Cell and Molecular Biology
- BIOL 330, 331 – Genetics/Genetics Lab
- BIOL 363 – Ecology
- BIOL 409 – Evolutionary Biology CUE

**Merged MCD track = 24-26h**

**Track Core 12h**
- BIOL 357 – General Microbiology 3h
- BIOL 443 – Developmental Biology 3h
- BIOL 465 – Principles of Physiology 3h
- BIOL 540 - Intermediary Metabolism 3h

**Laboratory Experience (choose one)**
- BIOL 358 – Microbiology Lab 1h
- BIOL 404, 405, 406WR (students may take a maximum of 6 credits in BIOL 404, 405, and 406 combined) 1-3h
- BIOL 416WR – Biotechnology Methods 4h
- BIOL 541WR – Medicinal Plant Biochemistry CUE 3h
- BIOL 548 – Experimental Design and Analysis CUE 3h
MCD Track Electives: choose at least 3 from the following (courses listed above not used to meet those requirements may also be used as electives)

- BIOL 347 – Comparative Vertebrate Anatomy 4h
- BIOL 359WR – Microbial Genetics and Pathogenesis 3h
- BIOL 415WR – Biology of the Cell 3h
- BIOL 435 Chemical Ecology
- BIOL 480WR – Immunology 3h
- BIOL 485WR – Microbial Physiology CUE 3h
- BIOL 511WR – Behavioral Endocrinology CUE 3h
- BIOL 512 – Endocrinology 3h
- BIOL 515 – Environmental Physiology 3h
- BIOL 542WR – Gene Structure and Function 3h
- BIOL 552 – Evolutionary Medicine 3h
- BIOL 553 – Chronic Disease Biology 3h

Choose Biology Electives at the 300 level or above to reach at least 54 credit hours in Biology (including BIOL 240, 242, and 244 required above).

130-18F: The committee APPROVED modifications to the Ecology track in the BS in Biology:

**Biology: Ecology (proposed changes)**

Cardinal Core = 31 (BIOL 240, 244, CHEM 201, 207, and MATH 205 also counted elsewhere, so can use 20 here and the other numbers work)

A&S requirements = 13-15

Biology 53, Core = 22 (4 are also Cardinal Core but counted here not there)

Supporting = 35-36 (7 are also Cardinal Core but counted here not there)

**Total = 121-124**

**Supporting Courses** = 35-36h

- MATH 205 – Calculus I 4h
- BIOL 350 – Biostatistics 3h
- CHEM 201, 202, 207, 208, 209 General Chemistry and Associated Labs 9h
- CHEM 341 and 343 – Organic Chemistry I and Associated Lab 5h
- PHYS 221 and 223 – Fundamentals of Physics I and Physics I Lab 4h

Select any 2 of the following 5 6h

- GEOS 301 Geology for Scientists and Engineers
- GEOS 367 Geomorphology 3h
- GEOS 365 Biogeography 3h
- GEOS 363 Climate 3h
- GEOS 355 Remote Sensing 3h
- GEOS 558 GIS 3h
- SUST 518 Urban Demography and GIS 3h

Select 1 of the following 2 options 4-5h

- CHEM 342, 344 Organic Chemistry II and Organic Chemistry II Lab 5h
- PHYS 222 and 224 – Fundamentals of Physics II and Associated Lab 4h

**Core = 22h**

BIOL 240, 242, 244 – Unity/Diversity of Life, Lab (S, SL)
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**Ecology track = 18h**

- BIOL 401 – Advanced Ecology 3h
- BIOL 563 Population and Community Ecology 3h

Track-specific Electives (choose 1 from each category and at least 1 additional class 12 h)

**Category I: Plant Ecology (select 1 of 3)**
- BIOL 300WR – Plant Biology
- BIOL 304WR – Plant Taxonomy
- BIOL 435WR – Chemical Ecology

**Category II: Animal Ecology (select 1 of 8) 3h**
- BIOL 308 – Vertebrate Zoology
- BIOL 310 – Animal Behavior
- BIOL 347 – Comparative Vertebrate Anatomy
- BIOL 382 – Entomology
- BIOL 510 – Animal Behavior
- BIOL 514 – Ornithology
- BIOL 515 – Environmental Physiology
- BIOL 571 – Invertebrate Zoology

**Category III: Community Ecology (select 1 of 3) 3h**
- BIOL 372 – Evolutionary Ecology and Disease
- BIOL 440 – Global Change
- BIOL 560 – Urban Ecology
- BIOL 562 – Ecosystems Ecology
- BIOL 567 – Conservation Biology

Choose Biology Electives at the 300 level or above to reach at least 53 credit hours

131-18F: The committee APPROVED changing BIOL 404’s title and prerequisites. The department wishes to remove the CUE designation from this course, so its new official title will be “Undergraduate Research.” Its new prerequisites will be “Faculty and chair consent; minimum 30 credit hours; 3.0 cumulative GPA.” Effective Summer 2019.

132-18F: The committee APPROVED changing BIOL 405’s title and prerequisites. The department wishes to add the CUE designation to this course, so its new official title will be “Undergraduate Research-CUE.” Its new prerequisites will be “Faculty and chair consent; minimum 30 credit hours; 3.0 cumulative GPA.” Effective Summer 2019.

133-18F: The committee APPROVED changing PSYC 302’s prerequisites to “PSYC 201; MATH 111 or higher; PSYC 301 with a grade of C or better; or departmental permission.” Effective Summer 2019.
The committee APPROVED changing the title, course number, description, and prerequisite for PSYC 365, “Child Development.” The course will be renumbered as PSYC 368 and its new title will be “Infant and Child Development.” The new course description reflects the proposed course content changes implicit in the proposed title change and establishes that students may not receive credit for PSYC 365 and PSYC 368. The new course prerequisite will be PSYC 201 and PSYC 306. Effective Summer 2019.

The committee APPROVED changing the prerequisites for PSYC 415, “Family Risk, Resilience and Mindfulness-CUE, WR” to PSYC 201, PSYC 301, PSYC 302; approved PSYC major; 85 earned hours total, including at least 24 in Psychology; or permission of instructor.” Effective Summer 2019.

The committee APPROVED the addition of PSYC 417, “Child Psychopathology-WR,” effective Summer 2019.

The committee APPROVED changing the prerequisites for PSYC 420, “History of Psychology: A Socio Cultural Perspective-CUE” to PSYC 201, PSYC 301, PSYC 302; approved PSYC major; 85 earned hours total, including at least 24 in Psychology; or permission of instructor.” Effective Summer 2019.

The committee APPROVED the addition of PSYC 425, “Human Expertise and Achievement-CUE,” effective Summer 2019.

The committee APPROVED changing the prerequisites for PSYC 433, “Music Perception and Cognition-CUE” to PSYC 201, PSYC 301, PSYC 302; approved PSYC major; 85 earned hours total, including at least 24 in Psychology; or permission of instructor,” effective Summer 2019.

The committee APPROVED changing PSYC 435’s prerequisites to reflect the PSYC 363’s renumbering as PSYC 306. The prerequisites will now be PSYC 301 and PSYC 302 and PSYC 306 OR PSYC 365; or permission of instructor.” Effective Summer 2019.

The committee APPROVED changing the prerequisites for PSYC 440, “Aging: Science and Stories-CUE, WR” to PSYC 201, PSYC 301, PSYC 302; approved PSYC major; 85 earned hours total, including at least 24 in Psychology; or permission of instructor.” Effective Summer 2019.

The committee APPROVED changing the prerequisites for PSYC 443, “Exploration of Self-CUE, WR” to PSYC 201, PSYC 301, PSYC 302; approved PSYC major; 85 earned hours total, including at least 24 in Psychology; or permission of instructor.” Effective Summer 2019.

The committee APPROVED changing the prerequisites for PSYC 485, “Stress and Trauma-WR, CUE” to PSYC 201, PSYC 301, PSYC 302; PSYC 305 or PSYC 308; approved PSYC major; 85 earned hours total, including at least 24 in Psychology; or permission of instructor.” Effective Summer 2019.

The committee APPROVED changing the prerequisites for PSYC 492, “Undergraduate Psychology Research-CUE” to PSYC 201, PSYC 301, PSYC 302; approved PSYC major; 85 earned hours total, including at least 24 in Psychology; or permission of instructor.” Effective Summer 2019.

The committee APPROVED changing PSYC 495, “Honors Psychology Research,” to a 3-credit course from a variable-credit course, effective Summer 2019.

The committee APPROVED changing the prerequisites for PSYC 524 and LING 524, “Psycholinguistics,” to be “PSYC 307 or ENGL 325 or LING 325 or LING 518.”
The committee APPROVED the proposed description and prerequisite changes for GEOS 360, “Global Environmental Change.” The new description more accurately reflects how the course is currently taught. The course will now no longer have a prerequisite, though students are advised to have taken “a general physical or environmental introductory course” prior to enrolling. The description suggests GEOS 200, ANTH 202, BIOL 240 or PHYS 220. Effective Summer 2019.

The committee APPROVED designating CHEM 420, “Cooperative Internship in Chemistry-WR,” as a CUE course. Its new official title will be “Cooperative Internship in Chemistry-WR, CUE.” Effective Summer 2019.

The committee DEFERRED approval of the addition of CHEM 555, “Computational Chemistry.” The course is proposed for both graduate and undergraduate credit, but the syllabus does not differentiate between expectations for graduate and undergraduate students.

The committee APPROVED the Department of Classical and Modern Languages’ request to clarify the College’s foreign language requirement. The requirement is that students complete “the intermediate level of a single foreign language,” not that they take 12 hours of foreign language at UofL. This will require that each major be updated in the CourseLeaf catalog such that BA programs will indicate that students will need to complete 3-12 hours in a foreign language and that students in BS programs will have to complete 3-8 hours in a foreign language, depending on their language placement.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:13 AM.

Respectfully submitted,

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Assistant Dean for Curriculum and Governance
Prepared December 6, 2018
AGENDA

1) Approval of Minutes of November 9, 2018, Meeting
2) Old Business
   - 075-18F: Addition of PHIL 325, “Feminist Medical Ethics”
3) New Business (available on the Curriculum Committee’s Sharepoint site)
   - 093-18F: Change to TA 349, “Introduction to Stage Lighting” (title change)
   - 094-18F: Change to TA 362, “Theatre History and Script Analysis III: Modern and Contemporary” (description change, title change, WR designation)
   - 095-18F: Addition of TA 380, “Introduction to Voice and Movement”
   - 096-18F: Change to SOC 455, “Occupations and Organizations” (title and prerequisite changes)
   - 097-18F: Change to SOC 631, “Sociology of Work and Organizations” (title change)
   - 099-18F: Change to SOC 480, “Juvenile Delinquency-CUE” (title change, CUE designation)
   - 100-18F: Change to SOC 695, “Research Study” (description and prerequisite changes)
   - 101-18F: Change to SOC 706, “Doctoral Exam Preparation” (prerequisite change)
   - 102-18F: Deletion of SOC 707, “Internship Preparation”
   - 103-18F: Deletion of SOC 708, “PhD Internship”
   - 104-18F: Revision of curriculum of MA in Applied Sociology
   - 105-18F: Change to SOC 618, “Qualitative Research Methods” (prerequisite change)
   - 106-18F: Change to SOC 622, “Survey Research and Design” (prerequisite change)
   - 108-18F: Change to ART 569, “Computer Application for Interior Design” (title change)
   - 109-18F: Revision of curriculum for BFA in Interior Design
   - 110-18F: Change to ART 566, “Interiors Construction” (class component code change, removal of course fee)
   - 111-18F: Change to ART 567, “Interior Finishes” (class component code change, removal of course fee)
   - 112-18F: Change to ART 568, “Building Systems” (class component code change, removal of course fee)
• 113-18F: Change to ART 578, “Image and Installation” (title, description, and prerequisite changes)
• 114-18F: Addition of graduate version of ART 578, “Image and Installation”
• 115-18F: Addition of ART 588, “Internship in Graphic Design”
• 116-18F: Change to ART 597, “Professional Development in Studio Arts-CUE” (credit hours change)
• 117-18F: Revision of curricula for BFA in 2D Studios and 3D Studios
• 118-18F: Proposed BA in Urban Studies
• 119-18F: Deletion of COMM 255, “Communication Practices”
• 120-18F: Change to COMM 320, “Newswriting-WR” (prerequisite change)
• 121-18F: Change to COMM 321, “Digital Journalism-WR” (prerequisite change)
• 122-18F: Change to COMM 322, “Sports Writing-WR” (prerequisite change)
• 123-18F: Change to COMM 323, “Magazine and Feature Writing-WR” (prerequisite change)
• 124-18F: Change to COMM 412, “Communication Criticism” (title change, CUE designation)
• 125-18F: Deletion of COMM 421, “Communication Technologies”
• 126-18F: Deletion of COMM 428, “Advanced Video”
• 127-18F: Addition of COMM 429, “Documentary Production-CUE”
• 128-18F: Change to COMM 430, “Health Communication-WR, CUE” (title change, CUE designation)
• 129-18F: Change to the Genetics/Subcellular and Cellular/Physiology tracks in the BS in BIOL (proposed merger of tracks to create a combined track in Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology)
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• 147-18F: Change to LING 624, “Psycholinguistics” (prerequisite change)
• 148-18F: Change to GEOS 360, “Global Environmental Change” (description and prerequisite changes)
• 149-18F: Change to CHEM 420, “Cooperative Internship in Chemistry” (title change, CUE designation)
• 150-18F: Addition of CHEM 555, “Theory and Application of Computational Chemistry”
• 151-18F: Proposed changes to explanatory language related to the College’s language requirements