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CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MINUTES

Minutes of March 04, 2009 meeting

Members Present	Deborah Breiter, Ram Mohapatra, Max Poole, Tison Pugh, Sergio Tarfur, James Turkson
Recorder	Rhonda Nelson
Guests Present	Charlotte Harvey, Stephen Holmes
Files	2009-03-04 Course Action Request minutes 

Welcome and call to order. The meeting was called to order at 11:30 by Ram Mohapatra, chair.

Minutes. The minutes of the February 18 were approved with one change. It was decided that the MCB 5XXX COM course was not considered a split class with the UG level course. This correction has now been reflected in the minutes.

Suspension of the Professoriate graduate certificate, COE. David Boote provided rationale for the inactivation of this graduate certificate. They requested inactivation due to low enrollment. There is currently one student enrolled in the program and he has indicated that he does not plan to complete the certificate. This request received unanimous approval.

Course revisions to the Emergency Management and Homeland Security graduate certificate, COHPA. The department is requesting the addition of a restricted elective PUR 6043. The certificate hours will remain at 18. The request to revise this certificate received unanimous approval.

Course revisions to the MA Communication Sciences and Disorders program, COHPA. Dr. Charlotte Harvey presented a summary and rationale for the changes to this program. The department is requesting to adding a 1 credit hour clinical seminar course, revising the SPA 6503 course, and deleting the 6553L course from the program. The total credit hours will remain at 72. This request received unanimous approval.

Course revisions to the Correctional Leadership graduate certificate, COHPA. Dr. Stephen Holmes presented the changes and indicated they are in the process of streamlining these certificates. They are requesting to remove the requirement of CCJ 6485 and add 4 alternative elective courses. The certificate hours remains at 12. This request received unanimous approval.

Courses revisions to the Juvenile Justice Leadership graduate certificate, COHPA. Dr. Stephen Holmes gave a summary of the changes to this certificate. The department is requesting to add one new elective and to substitute their own organizations class in place of the PAD 6037 course. At the time the certificate was implemented, this organizations class was not available. The certificate hours will remain at 12. This request received unanimous approval.

Course revisions to the Police Leadership graduate certificate. Dr. Stephen Holmes gave a summary of the changes to this certificate. The department requests to remove CCJ 6730 as a choice from the required course list and add one course to the list of electives. The committee requested a correction to the catalog copy which indicated the number of courses available to choose from. The certificate hours will remain at 12. This request received unanimous approval.

Courses and special topics. For a list of course approvals, please refer to the attachment at the top of this page for a complete list of the minutes for the courses and special topics.

Other business. Dr. Mohapatra briefed the committee about a forthcoming meeting that he was going to have with the College of Sciences.

Announcements and adjournment. The meeting was adjourned at 12:00 p.m. The last meeting of this semester is scheduled for March 18, 11:30, MH 243.

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Graduate Council Curriculum Committee **Course Minutes 03-04-2009**

All courses were approved unless otherwise noted. Any notation refers to the course directly below the notation.

College of Medicine Special Topics

Tabled – Provide additional rationale for the split class.

ZOO 5937C Sect 01 COM-Molecular & Microbiology 4(3,1)

ST: Clinical Neuroscience: PR: Graduate standing or C.I. Clinically oriented teachings of neuroscience areas including selected topics in neuropathology, neuro-oncology, neuroimmunology, neuropharmacology and neurodiagnostics.

30 character abbreviation: **ST: Clinical Neuroscience**

AGENDA NOTES: Course Addition also being proposed.

Health & Public Affairs Special Topics

SPA 6938 Sect 01 HPA-Commun Sci & Disorders 1(1,0)

ST:Strategic Application of the Scientific Process in Clinical Practice: PR: Admission to Communication Sciences and Disorders Master's program. Strategic application of knowledge in normal communication sciences and development to clinical practice through creating, testing and developing hypotheses about the nature of communication disorders.

30 character abbreviation: **ST:Strat App Sci Process Clin**

AGENDA NOTES: Course Addition also being proposed.

College of Medicine Course Action Additions

Tabled - add prereq. Provide additional rationale for the split class.

ZOO 5XXXC COM-Molecular & Microbiology 4(3,1)

Clinical Neuroscience: PR: Graduate standing or C.I. Clinically oriented teachings of neuroscience areas including selected topics in neuropathology, neuro-oncology, neuroimmunology, neuropharmacology, and neurodiagnostics.

30 character abbreviation: **Clinical Neuroscience**

AGENDA NOTES: Special Topic also being proposed.

College of Education Course Action Additions

Tabled – check with Psychology Department for course overlap.

EDF 7XXX ED-Ed Research, Tech & Lead 3(3,0)

Psychometrics: PR: EDF 7403, C.I. Overview of classical test theory with an introduction to item response theory and generalizability theory. Techniques for evaluating validity and reliability will be applied through statistical analyses.

30 character abbreviation: **Psychometrics**

Health & Public Affairs Course Action Additions

SPA 6XXX HPA-Commun Sci & Disorders 1(1,0)

Strategic Application of the Scientific Process in Clinical Practice: PR: Admission to Communication Sciences and Disorders Master's program. Strategic application of knowledge in normal communication sciences and development to clinical practice through creating, testing and developing hypotheses about the nature of communication disorders.

30 character abbreviation: **Strgic App Sci Process Clin Pr**

AGENDA NOTES: Special Topic also being proposed.

Health & Public Affairs Course Action Revisions

~~SPA 6503~~ ~~Entry-Level Clinical Practicum~~ ~~3(0,6)~~

SPA 6503C 3(1,4)

PR: SPA 4501L. 4501L or equivalent.

~~Entry-level supervised practicum in evaluation and management of speech, language and hearing disorders. May be repeated for credit.~~

Entry-level supervised practicum in evaluation and management of speech, language and hearing disorders.

Materials & Supply Fee: \$45.00

Will no longer be repeatable for credit.