

Educational Policies Committee

Wednesday, September 22, 2021

2:00 p.m.–4:00 p.m.

Zoom

Agenda

I. Announcements

II. Business

A. Approval of Minutes from 9/8/2021 (Action Item)

B. Provisionally Approved Curriculum (Information Item)

SELECTED TOPICS

Mike Curb College of Arts, Media, and Communication

1. JOUR 495ET – Emerging Technologies (3)

2. JOUR 495DA – Data and Analytics (3)

College of Humanities

3. ENGL 459GT – Literary and Rhetorical Genre Theory (3)

4. ENGL 495ADW – American Detective and Western Genre (3)

5. ENGL 495SME – Sex, Monsters, and Empires: 19th-Century Worlds in Contemporary Media (3)

6. GWS 495GHC – Gender, Human Rights and Conflict Zones (3)

7. LRS 425MC – Multicultural/Multiethnic Children's Literature (3)

8. RS 497J – Introduction to Jainism (3)

College of Social and Behavioral Sciences

9. CJS 452MH – Mental Health and Crime (3)

10. CJS 454AC – Applied Corrections (3)

11. CJS 454CP – Critical Perspectives on Policing (3)

12. CJS 454GC – Gender and Corrections (3)

13. PSY 479GG – The Psychology of Games and Gambling (3)

14. PSY 479GGS – The Psychology of Games and Gambling Seminar (2)

PREVIOUSLY OFFERED EXPERIMENTAL TOPICS

College of Health and Human Development

15. RTM 496ME – Design, Implementation and Evaluation of Large-Scale Events (3)
(Previously offered Spring 2020, Spring 2021)

C. Previously Offered Experimental Topics (Action Item)

David Nazarian College of Business and Economics

1. BUS 496BH – Systems Thinking for Organizations (3)

(Previously offered Fall 2019, Spring 2020, Fall 2020, Spring 2021, Fall 2021)

College of Social and Behavioral Sciences

2. HIST 496EH – U.S. Environmental History (3)
(Previously offered Spring 2005, Fall 2006, Fall 2020, Spring 2021, Fall 2021)

D. General Education Proposals (Action Item)

College of Engineering and Computer Science

Mechanical Engineering

New Course

1. ME 100 – Introduction to Computer-Aided Design and Fabrication (3)
Proposed for GE Section E Lifelong Learning

David Nazarian College of Business and Economics

Management

New Course

2. ENT 101 – Exploring Entrepreneurship (3)
Proposed for GE Section E Lifelong Learning

College of Health and Human Development

Family and Consumer Sciences

New Courses

3. FCS 111 – Interior Design Matters (3)
Proposed for GE Section C1 Arts
4. FCS 318 – Environmental Psychology for Interior Design (3)
Proposed for GE Section D1 Social Sciences

College of Humanities

American Indian Studies

New Course

5. AIS 210 – Thinking About Knowing (3)
Proposed for GE Section A3 Critical Thinking

Program Modification

6. American Indian Studies Minor

College of Science and Mathematics

Geological Sciences

New Course

7. GEOL 125 – Introduction to Environmental Science (3)
Proposed for GE Section B1 Physical Science or B2 Life Science

College of Social and Behavioral Sciences

Public Sector Management

Pattern Modification

8. Public Sector Management, B.A.
Pattern Modification to count SBS 320 in B5 Scientific Inquiry and Quantitative Reasoning

- E. Withdrawal Policy Coordination with GSC (Information Item)
- F. Institutional Learning Outcomes Update (Time Certain, 3 p.m.): S. Camara (Information Item)
- G. General Education Student Learning Outcome Revisions (Discussion Item)
 - Do we need to review how we got here?
 - Are there additional concerns besides the ones listed below?
 - 1. Section B: Scientific Inquiry and Quantitative Reasoning
 - a. Are there the right number of SLOs for each section?
 - b. Is there a way to allow for increased breadth while maintaining the standards?
 - c. Alternative Proposed SLOs
 - 2. Section C1: Arts
 - a. Does this revision adequately represent the curriculum?
 - 3. Section C2: Humanities
 - a. How can the proposed SLOs represent the humanities having significantly less overlap with C1? While the humanities include the arts, our SLOs need to draw a distinction.
 - b. Alternative Proposed SLOs