

AGENDA
2020-2021 Undergraduate Curriculum Committee
November 20, 2020
VIA ZOOM - 1:30 p.m.

- Call to Order
- Approval of Minutes from Last Meeting (10/16/20)
- Announcements
- Old Business:
 - Tabled Proposals: n/a
- New Business:
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- Adjournment

New Business:

	Proposed Action	Detailed Explanation	Reference #
<u>College of Basic and Applied Sciences</u>			
Agriculture			
Precision Agriculture Minor Effective Summer 2021	New Program New Minor	The Precision Agriculture minor is designed for students who seek knowledge about fundamental concepts and application of geographic information system (GIS) and other information systems in agricultural production. This is an 18 credit hour minor housed in the School of Agriculture.	17
Computer Science			
Computer Science ABM Pathway - Undergraduate Effective Summer 2021	New ABM Program	After admitted to ABM Pathway Program in Computer Science, undergraduate student can take 2 out of 6 courses to double count towards undergraduate program and graduate program with non-thesis option. This applies to both concentrations.	7

Concrete and Construction Management

Concrete Industry Management, Concrete Contracting Concentration, B.S. Effective Summer 2021	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	CMT 3320 Architectural Computer-Aided Drafting and Design was moved from the Concrete Industry Management Core to the Concrete Contracting Concentration. This was done to make the core the same between the two concentrations.	8
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Concrete Industry Management, Production, Sales, and Service Concentration, B.S. Effective Summer 2021	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	CMT 3320 Architectural Computer-Aided Drafting and Design was moved from the Concrete Industry Management Core to the Production, Sales and Service Concentration. In that three hour credit slot, students will now be given a choice of CMT 3320 Architectural Computer-Aided Drafting and Design, CIM 4400 Decorative Concrete, CIM 4500 Masonry, CIM 4600 Design Production and Manufacture of Precast Concrete, CIM 4800 Special Problems in Concrete, or SPAN 1015 Spanish for Concrete and Construction Management.	9
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College of Behavioral and Health Sciences

Health and Human Performance

Community and Public Health to Master of Public Health UG ABM Effective Summer 2021	New ABM Program	To be eligible, a student must have completed 75 undergraduate credits; have completed a minimum of 24 credit hours at MTSU; have a minimum of two semesters remaining at MTSU; and an inclusive GPA of 3.25 or higher.	6
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Leisure and Sport Management, B.S. - ABM Effective Summer 2021	New Program	Minimum Admission Standards to be eligible, a student must: have completed 75 undergraduate credits; have a minimum of two semesters remaining at MTSU; and an inclusive GPA of 3.25 or higher. Students must submit 3 letters of recommendation from faculty indicating their assessment of the student's ability to do graduate level coursework.	12
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Nursing

NURS 3041: Clinical Skills Lab Summer 2021	Course Credit Hour Change	<p>It has been deemed important to add an additional credit hour to this course in order to ensure our students receive the teaching and skill practice they need to be successful nurses.</p> <p>This change has been based on both student and faculty feedback to improve the curriculum. The capstone course will be decreased by one hour to accommodate this change. There will be no additional credit hours added to this degree.</p>	14
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NURS 4590: Capstone Clinical Effective Summer 2021	Course Credit Hour Change	<p>It has been deemed important to decrease the credit hours from 6 to 5 in this course in order add the credit hour to the NURS 3041 course.</p> <p>This change has been based on both student and faculty feedback to improve the curriculum.</p> <p>There have been some recent changes to this course that has diminished the amount of clinical hours in the course, since a greater focus has been placed on NCLEX prep and review.</p>	15
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Jones College of Business

Management

Supply Chain Management Effective Summer 2021	New Program New Major	Elevate concentration to major Offering a major in supply chain management rather than the concentration offers several opportunities for students	18
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College of Liberal Arts

Africana Studies

AAS 2040: Survey African American History I Effective Summer 2021	Course Discontinuation	(Same as AST 2040 and HIST 2040 .) The role of African Americans in establishing and shaping the American nation. Covers their historical development and contributions to American art, music, literature, and religion.	1
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AAS - 2050 - Survey African American History II Effective Summer 2021	Course Discontinuation	(Same as AST 2050 and HIST 2050 .) The role of African Americans in shaping the American nation and creating a twentieth-century racial identity. Covers their historical development and examines their contributions to American art, music, literature, and religion.	2
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Africana Studies Minor Effective Summer 2021	Name Change	Students are confused because they thought we were teaching only about American African peoples.	4
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Music

Music, Music Industry Concentration, B.M. Effective Summer 2021	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	This proposal seeks to change the required Bachelor of Music, Concentration in Music Industry courses by replacing 3 hours of Music Electives with two courses: MUS 2690 Foundations in Music Industry (3 credits) and MUS 2680 Music Industry Seminar (0 credits, two semesters required).	13
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College of Media and Entertainment

Journalism

JOUR - 3240 - Mobile Storytelling Effective Spring 2021	New Course	This class focuses on reporting, writing, and editing stories for mobile platforms, using mobile technology. Besides learning how to produce mobile content, students also learn how to creatively use different social media and mobile content to engage an audience. The class covers ethical issues facing journalists using both mobile platforms and social media, including breaking news best practices. The course will be a mix of fieldwork, in-class exercises, and lectures. Course prerequisites/ co-requisites/ restrictions: C (3.0) or better in JOUR/EMC/RIM 1020-American Media and Social Institutions	10
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JOUR - 3720 - News Producing Effective Spring 2021	New Course	This course will help students develop the skills required to produce television and online newscasts and sportscasts. Students will learn about sources for news and sports content, selecting stories, using graphics, writing headlines and teases, writing news and sports scripts, working with newsroom and production staff, law and ethics, and the role of social media in television news. In addition to learning how to use television news producing software, students will also learn about producing online news content. This course has a mandatory lab component in order to practice live news producing skills.	11
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Media Arts

VFP 3091: Video Display Technology and Design New Course
Effective Spring 2021

Designed to give students a detailed understanding of the field of video display technology for live events and media productions. The student will learn how to design, install, rig and operate large scale video displays and projection systems for an entertainment environment. Will learn troubleshooting skills to use in real-world environments. Course prerequisites/ co-requisites/ restrictions: Media Arts Candidacy, C or better in VFP3090 and VFP3140. Permission may granted by instructor to other majors.

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Adjournment: