

MINUTES
2025-2026 Undergraduate Curriculum Committee
January 23, 2026
Zoom, 1:00 p.m.

Committee Members Present

Richard Tarpey (COB), chair; Elizabeth Whalen (CBHS), co-chair; Brielle Campos (UC), Heather Dillard (COE), Ricky Ferguson (COB), Paul Kline (CBAS), Richard Lewis (CME), Theresa McBreen (CLA), Richard Meeks (CBHS), Jade Treadwell (CLA), Donglin Wang (CBAS), Jeremy Winters (COE)

Committee Members Absent

Student Representative Tara Taha (NOTE: Jorge Avila graduated in December 2025.)

Ex-Officio Members Present

Amy Aldridge, Teresa Thomas, Tyler Henson, Mitzi Brandon

Ex-Officio Members Absent

Christina Cobb, Rachel Kirk, and Karen Dearing

Approval of Minutes from November 21, 2025

A motion was made to approve the minutes from the November 21, 2025, meeting. The motion was seconded and approved.

Guests Present

Dina Cancryn, Tim Greer, Duane Vanhook, Kristi Shamburger, Tongia Key, Paula Calahan, Amy Atchison, Tom Nicholas, Christine Eschenfelder, Nita Brooks, David Nelson, Robyn Ridgley, Jeff Gibson, Cindy Johnson, Nancy Stubblefield, Katie Foss, Leslie Haines, Liz Barnes, Andrea Hall, Kari Neely, Jennifer Woodward, Beverly Keel, Leslie Haines, Lee Wade, Tricia Farwell, Chris Bacon, Lei Miao, Zeny Sarabia-Panol

Consent Agenda

A motion was made to approve the Consent Agenda. The motion was seconded and approved.

Regular Agenda

Proposal	Effective Date	Proposed Action	Detailed Explanation	Reference #
Jones College of Business				
Information Systems and Analytics				
Cybersecurity Management, B.S.	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Remove CYBM 4995 from required core of BS in Cybersecurity Management leaving 45 hours in the core.	39
Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				
Management				
ENTR - 3300 - Fundamentals of Franchising	Summer 2026	New course	Prerequisites: ENTR 2900 or MGMT 3610; junior standing; admission to the College of Business. Introduces the essential principles of franchising, including business models, legal structures, and the roles of franchisors and franchisees. Ideal for aspiring entrepreneurs and business professionals, the course offers practical insights through case studies and real-world examples.	45
Discussion: n/a				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				
Business Administration, B.B.A.	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Remove: ACTG 3020, ACTG 3110, and ACTG 3310; Add ACTG 3300 and BIA 4010	16
Discussion: n/a				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				
Business Innovation and Entrepreneurship, B.B.A.	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Add ENTR 3300 as an option to the following Major Requirements line: ENTR 4100 or MGMT 3730 or ENTR 4255	17
Discussion: n/a				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				

Management and Leadership, B.B.A.	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Change Required Electives from Choose 1 from each of four categories to Choose 4 of ten courses	78
Discussion: n/a				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				

Supply Chain Management, B.B.A.	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Remove ACTG 3020 Managerial Accounting from Auxiliary course list.	106
Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				

Marketing

MKT - 3250 - Artificial Intelligence in Marketing	Summer 2026	New course	Prerequisites: MKT 3820, junior standing, and admission to Jones College. Explores how AI is transforming customer experience in marketing and service management. Students learn to evaluate and apply tools such as chatbots, predictive analytics, and sentiment analysis to design AI-driven interactions that enhance customer satisfaction, engagement, and loyalty through real-world cases and applied projects.	76
Discussion: n/a				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				

College of Education

Elementary and Special Education

ECE - 4400 - Integrated Early Childhood Non-licensure Residency	Summer 2026	New course	This course is taken during the final semester of the IECE Non-licensure program. At least 102 credit hours must be completed. Capstone course to provide experiential learning in a supervised professional work environment aligned with the major and individualized professional goals.	42
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Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

Early Childhood Education, Integrated Birth to Age 5 Concentration, B.S.	Summer 2026	New program	This concentration will address the needs in the region and state to prepare professionals to work with all children birth through age 5. This program will provide a pathway for training individuals interested in supporting young children and their families in non-public school early learning programs, early intervention, Head Start, and non-profit centers.	46
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Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

Special Education Minor	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Now includes required courses: SPED 3010 and SPED 3020 Selection of four courses from: SPED 4280, SPED 4380, SPED 4370, SPED 4120, and SPED 4140	105
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Discussion: n/a

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

Borchetta College of Media and Entertainment

Media and Entertainment, Interdisciplinary Media Concentration, B.S.	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Update course lists	81
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Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

Journalism and Strategic Media

ADPR - 4950 - Advertising and Public Relations Campaigns	Summer 2026	New course	Prerequisite: Permission of department. Planning, designing, and executing all phases of a complete integrated advertising/public relations campaign. An opportunity for advanced students to synthesize and apply skills from previous courses.	2
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Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

JOUR - 2100 - Media Training	Summer 2026	New course	Open to students, coaches, spokespeople, and professionals from any field, this course provides valuable experience in blending traditional and digital media strategies to promote organizations, clients, or personal brands while building lasting, effective media relationships.	70
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Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

JOUR - 4400 - Social Media and Society	Summer 2026	New course	Delves into the dynamic relationship between social media and modern society, empowering students to navigate and leverage these platforms as consumers and strategic creators.	72
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Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

SPM - 3600 - Sports Media Design	Summer 2026	New course	Covers the principles and theories of media design used in sports media. Students will use industry-standard design programs to create promotional materials for sports teams, such as media guides, social media posts, and digital signage for stadiums/arenas, and team engagement designs for across platforms. Students complete sports and sports-team focused assignments and projects throughout the course that demonstrate their design skills.	102
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Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved with one abstention.

Advertising Minor	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Remove ADV 4320 4230 and replace it with PR 3400	6
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Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

Advertising and Public Relations, Advertising Concentration, B.S.	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Add PR 3400 as a professional topics selection; Remove JOUR 3660 from conceptual list; add ADV 2322, ADV 3322, and ADV 4322 to the curriculum; Add ADPR 4950 and ADV 4322 to capstone options	7
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Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

Public Relations Minor	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Required courses: Remove JOUR 2710; Add PR 3360 Choose two category: Add ADPR 3080, PR 4720	100
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Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

Media Arts

EMC - 3155 - Streaming Audio Media Platforms	Summer 2026	New course	Provides an in-depth examination of contemporary audio media, including terrestrial and satellite radio, podcasting, and streaming platforms. Emphasis is placed on audio production methods and equipment, storytelling approaches, audience engagement, ratings and measurement systems, and emerging trends shaping the modern audio industry.	43
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Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

Media Management Minor	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Add EMC 3155 to the choice of one elective, and add VFP 2510 as an option to VFP 2410	80
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Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

Recording Industry

Recording Industry, Music Business Concentration, B.S.	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Add RIM 3808 to list of available Music Business electives	101
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Discussion: n/a

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

College of Basic and Applied Sciences

Biology

BIOL - 4065 - Science Communication	Summer 2026	New course	Principles of science communication and science communication research.	10
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Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

Biology, Biology 7-12 6-12 Teacher Licensure Concentration, B.S.		New program	The target audience of this proposed concentration are Biology majors looking to teach in Tennessee middle or high schools. These students require both credentials in their major and teacher licensure. This concentration provides a path to achieving these requirements as efficiently as possible.	15
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Discussion: 7-12 in program title was questioned by committee member. A department representative stated he would check. Mitzi followed up with proposal originator who stated that it was okay to change to 6-12 .

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

Chemistry

Chemistry, B.S.	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Add CHEM 4110 to the list of UD Chemistry electives. (May be taken once for 3 credit hours only.)	35
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Discussion: n/a

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

Chemistry, ACS Certified Concentration, B.S.	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Add CHEM 4110 to the list of UD Chemistry electives. (May be taken once for 3 credit hours only.)	34
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Discussion: n/a

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

Science, Allied Health Technology Concentration, B.S.	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Removal of Instructor's Course in First Aid (HLTH 4280 - 2 cr) from the list of supporting courses for the Allied Health Technology concentration in the B.S. Science degree. The number of elective hours will be increased from 18-32 to 20-34.	104
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Discussion: n/a

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

Concrete and Construction Management

CCM - 1500 - Land Surveying	Summer 2026	New course	Corequisite CCM 1501, MATH 1730. Basic surveying operations such as chaining, differential leveling, transverse methods and calculations, structural layout, topographic mapping, and slope staking for road and utilities in subdivisions. Basic surveying instruments used include the chain, automatic level, transit, theodolite and total-station. Environmental issues relating to land and land development covered.	18
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Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

CCM - 1501 - Land Surveying Lab	Summer 2026	New course	Corequisite MATH 1730 and CCM 1500. Develops applied skills in construction layout, differential leveling, grade determination, and cut/fill computations using theodolites and total stations. Supports program outcomes related to field layout, engineering layout, and site control.	19
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Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

CCM - 2060 - Construction Plan Reading	Summer 2026	New course	Introduces students to the terminology, symbols, conventions, layout, scales, and general specifications used to develop construction and development plans. Students examine plans and develop skills in plan reading and interpretation. Topics also include utilizing plans for documentation purposes, creating as-built drawings, quantity take-offs, estimating, and project planning.	20
Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				
CCM - 2550 - Engineering Mechanics for Construction	Summer 2026	New course	Prerequisite CMT 2100. An introduction to analysis of structures, building loads, stress, strain, and the deflection of beams and columns under loads specifically noting the fundamentals and applications of statics and strength of material forces on distributed and rigid bodies, centroids and moments of inertia.	22
Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				
CMT - 2100 - Construction Means and Methods	Summer 2026	New course	Prerequisites: CCM 1010, CCM 2050. Defines the methods and materials used in the construction of wood, concrete, and steel structural components and systems, roofing, and interior and exterior materials/components as well as the fundamentals of heavy civil construction. Emphasis is placed on design specifications, installation methods, and appropriate construction methodologies for application.	25
Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				
CMT - 3191 - Land Development Operations Lab	Summer 2026	New course	Prerequisite CMT 2320; corequisite: CMT 3190. Design lab associated with Land Development Operations. Focus is on the use and application of Civil Design Software applications for community design	30

Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

CMT - 3800 - Soil Mechanics for Construction	Summer 2026	New course	Prerequisite: CMT 2100. Properties and testing of soils on a job site, different types of foundations used, and an overview of the different kinds and costs of earth moving equipment used in the construction industry.	31
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Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

CMT - 3801 - Soil Mechanics for Construction Lab	Summer 2026	New course	Prerequisites CMT 2100, Corequisite CMT 3800. Practical applications lab for CMT-3800. Properties and testing of soils on a job site, applications to different foundations, and an overview of the different applications of earth moving used in construction.	32
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Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

Construction Management, Commercial Construction Management Concentration, B.S.	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Adds 4 new courses and 2 new labs; adds a directed business elective; aligns curriculum with ACCE standards; moves previously required TBC courses from the major	36
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Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

Construction Management, Land Development/Residential Building Construction Management, B.S.	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Removes courses found in TBC; Removes CMT 3180/3181; adds new courses: CCM 1500; CCM 2060; CMT 2100; CMT 3800; adds 3 1-credit lab: CMT 3191, CCM 1501, CMT 3801	37
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Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

Engineering Technology

ENGR - 4560 - Advanced Embedded Systems Programming	Summer 2026	New course	Prerequisite: ENGR 3520. Advanced embedded systems programming using a mixture of low-level and high-level languages. Advanced language constructs, a focus on Object Oriented Programming (OOP) and abstraction techniques, interrupts, and communication with integrated peripherals are covered. Emphasis on problem-solving, cyber-physical interaction, and structured software development.	44
Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				

Mechatronics Engineering, B.S.	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Add ENGR 4560 as an optional major requirement with ENGR 4550	79
Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				

College of Behavioral and Health Sciences

Criminal Justice Administration

Criminal Justice, B.S.	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Add the following statement to the catalog: Criminal Justice Majors cannot choose/have a minor in Criminal Justice.	38
Discussion: n/a				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				

Emergency Management and Homeland Security, B.S.	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Add the following statement to the catalog: Emergency Management and Homeland Security Majors cannot choose/have a minor in Homeland Security.	47
Discussion: n/a				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				

Emergency Management and Homeland Security, B.S.	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Update the required and elective curriculum for the Emergency Management and Homeland Security major to expand knowledge in EMHS at the forefront and to distinguish it from the Criminal Justice major specifically	48
Discussion: n/a				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				
Law Enforcement, B.S.	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Add the following statement to the catalog: Law Enforcement Majors cannot choose/have a minor in Criminal Investigations.	73
Discussion: n/a				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				
Human Sciences				
Human Development and Family Science, B.S.	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate Prefix changes	Replaces the previously cross-listed ECE 3310/CDFS 3310 with ECE 3310 Removes an elective Human Sciences course (HSC 4420) Allows students to take FIN/ECON 2110 as an option for their required course on personal finances Course prefixes are being changed from CDFS to HDFS.	64
Discussion: n/a				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				
Human Sciences Minor	Summer 2026	Termination of minor	Termination of the Human Sciences Minor due to program reorganization in CBHS.	65
Discussion: n/a				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				
College of Liberal Arts				
Bachelor of Arts	Summer 2026	Change to admission, retention, progression, or graduation policy	Clarifies world language requirement may take up to 12 hours instead of 6.	14
Discussion: A representative was available to answer questions.				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				

Art and Design

Art Minor	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Remove ART 3012 and ART 3015 from electives	8
Discussion: n/a				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				

Art, Studio Art Concentration, B.F.A.	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Reduce Studio/Art Electives from 21 to 18 hours reducing total program hours to 120; remove Art Capstone as a requirement, replacing it with an Advanced level studio art course in a newly named section "Thesis Prep and Exhibition." Lists all possible upper division Art history courses which count towards degree completion; imposed a limit on Illustration coursework, removed requirement of 6 credit hours of each media area (painting, ceramics, print media and sculpture), lowering it to 3 credit hours each. Other changes are simply articulating which classes are associated with specific areas of the curriculum form.	9
Discussion: n/a				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				

Music

Music, Guitar Performance, B.M.	Summer 2026	New program	Create a new concentration replacing a “dummy concentration” that has existed for many years.	82
Discussion: n/a				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				

Music, Instrumental Performance Concentration, B.M.	Summer 2026	New program	Create a new concentration replacing a “dummy concentration” that has existed for many years. NOTE: This concentration currently exists; it is now a standalone without instruments listed in the program title	83
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Discussion: n/a

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

Music, Jazz Performance, B.M.	Summer 2026	New program	Create a new concentration replacing a “dummy concentration” that has existed for many years.	84
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Discussion: n/a

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

Music, Piano Performance, B.M.	Summer 2026	New program	Create a new concentration replacing a “dummy concentration” that has existed for many years.	85
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Discussion: n/a

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

Music, Voice Performance Concentration, B.M.	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate Change to admission, retention, progression, or graduation policy	Remove MUTH 4130 Reduce MUEN 3--- from 7 credit hours to 6 credit hours Reduce foreign language proficiency from 9 credit hours to 6 credit hours	86
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Discussion: n/a

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

Political and Global Affairs

Global Studies and Human Geography, B.S. (and all concentrations) (Termination)	Summer 2026	Program termination	The department of Political and Global Affairs recently completed a merger that brings Political Science, International Relations, and Human Geography into the same department. Rather than multiple stand-alone majors, we are creating curricular efficiencies by realigning our current programs and making them concentrations under our general Political & Global Affairs major.	57
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Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

International Relations, B.A. and B.S. (Termination)	Summer 2026	Program termination	The department of Political and Global Affairs recently completed a merger that brings Political Science, International Relations, and Human Geography into the same department. Rather than multiple stand-alone majors, we are creating curricular efficiencies by realigning our current programs and making them concentrations under our general Political & Global Affairs major.	69
Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				
Political and Global Affairs, BA/BS (change from Political Science)	Summer 2026	Program name change Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Change from Political Science to Political and Global Affairs Create a departmental core Realign the program incorporating all departmental disciplines into general major. (See proposal in Curriculog for specifics.)	96
Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				
Political and Global Affairs, International Relations Concentration, B.A./B.S.	Summer 2026	New program	Moving International Relations program to a concentration under the Political and Global Affairs major	97
Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				
Political and Global Affairs, Pre-Law Concentration (BA/BS)	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Intensifying professional development class (replacing PS 2000, 1cr with PGA 2000, 3cr) and replacing PS 4800 Senior Seminar with PGA 4800 Senior Seminar	98
Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				

Political and Global Affairs, Public Policy and Management Concentration (BA/BS)	Summer 2026	Change to curriculum of existing major (including concentrations), minor, or certificate	Intensifying professional development class (replacing PS 2000, 1cr with PGA 2000, 3cr) and replacing PS 4800 Senior Seminar with PGA 4800 Senior Seminar	99
Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				
United States Culture and Education, Undergraduate Certificate	Summer 2026	Program termination	The international students who enrolled in the certificate program were primarily from collaborative or joint degree programs. Since the partnerships with Guangxi University and Xi'an Eurasia University have been discontinued, there will no longer be international students required to take the program.	117
Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				
Theatre and Dance				
THEA - 3060 - Rendering for Arts and Entertainment	Summer 2026	New course	Prerequisites: THEA 3050 and THEA 2100. Materials and techniques applicable to creating renderings for Scenic, Costume, Lighting, Makeup and Projection Design for Theatre and Entertainment. Development of graphic communication skills digital and analogue means.	107
Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				
THEA - 3550 - Musical Theatre Performance II	Summer 2026	New course	Prerequisites: THEA 3540; permission of department. Workshop that develops performance skills in vocal development, acting, movement/dance and character development as part of an in-depth study of a selected composer's works and culminates in a musical theatre showcase performance.	109
Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				

THEA - 3560 - Accents and Dialects	Summer 2026	New course	Prerequisites: THEA 1015 or THEA 1005; permission of department. Designed to introduce the student to the most common English-language accents and dialects required of actors in theatre, film, and television.	110
Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				
THEA - 3570 - Acting Shakespeare	Summer 2026	New course	Prerequisites: THEA 1015 or THEA 1005; permission of department. Designed to familiarize students with the techniques required to perform Shakespeare.	111
Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				
THEA - 3580 - Stage Combat	Summer 2026	New course	Prerequisites: THEA 1015 or THEA 1005; permission of department. Highly participatory course designed to introduce students to the skills required to perform unarmed and armed stage combat for theatrical productions with an emphasis on combining industry-standard safety techniques with convincing interpretation.	112
Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				
THEA - 4540 - Musical Theatre Performance III	Summer 2026	New course	Prerequisites: THEA 3540; permission of department. Explores the Musical Theatre audition process.	113
Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.				
Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.				
THEA - 4860 - Period Styles for Theatre Design I	Summer 2026	New course	Prerequisite: Candidacy in Theatre. Study of theatrical design styles from ancient civilizations to circa 1700. Survey styles of dress, architecture, art, furnishings, decorative arts, and historical events relating to theatrical design.	114

Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

THEA - 4865 - Period Styles for Theatre Design II	Summer 2026	New course	Prerequisite: Candidacy in Theatre. Study of theatrical design styles from circa 1700 to present day. Survey styles of dress, architecture, art, furnishings, decorative arts, and historical events relating to theatrical design.	115
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Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

Theatre, B.F.A. (with concentrations in: Musical Theatre, Acting, and Design/Technology)	Summer 2026	New program with three concentrations; adding B.F.A. degree designation to current B.S.	Due to a growing demand—particularly among prospective students—for more specialized and intensive training in areas such as Acting, Musical Theatre, and Design/Technology the addition of a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree with concentrations in Acting, Musical Theatre, and Design/Technology is proposed.	116
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Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

World Languages, Literatures, and Cultures

World Languages and Cultures, B.A. and B.S. (name change from Foreign Languages)	Summer 2026	Program name change	Change the title to the B.A. and B.S. programs from "Foreign Languages" to "World Languages and Cultures." All concentrations should be changed under this proposal.	125
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Discussion: A department representative was available to answer questions.

Committee Action: A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved.

Good of the Order

The next meeting of the Undergraduate Curriculum Committee will be Friday, February 20, 2026, at 1:00 p.m. via Zoom. Proposals are due Wednesday, February 11, 2026, in order to be considered by the committee for approval.

Adjournment

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All items effective Summer 2026 (unless otherwise noted)								
Current Prefix and Number	Current Course Title	Course Number Change	New Course Title	Course Prefix Change	Catalog Desc. Change	Contact Hour Change	Course Inactiv.	Other
CBAS								
3) AERO 2331	Airframe Inspection					X		from 3 to 6
4) AERO 2100	Airline Management	AERO 3190	Airline Operations Management		X			
5) AERO 4301	Advanced Aerospace Vehicle Structural Repair					X		from 3 to 6
11) BIOL 4350	Biometry		Biological Statistics					
12) BIOL 4351	Biometry Lab		Biological Statistics Lab					
21) CCM 3200	Project Estimating	CCM 2200			X			
24) CMT 1100	Introduction to Construction Systems						X	
26) CMT 3320	Architectural Computer-Aided Drafting and Design	CMT 2320			X			
27) CMT 4100	Mechanical and Electrical Systems	CMT 3100			X			

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28) CMT 3155	Land Development and Residential Building						X	
29) CMT 3160	Cost Estimating I						X	
33) CMT 4172	Capstone for Electrical Construction Management						X	
90) PHYS 3100	Modern Physics I				X	from 3 to 4		
91) PHYS 3110	Modern Physics II				X	from 3 to 4		
92) PHYS 3150	Topics and Methods of Theoretical Physics I				X	from 3 to 4		
93) PHYS 3160	Topics and Methods of Theoretical Physics II				X	from 3 to 4		
CBHS								
23) CDFS 3330	Dynamics of Interpersonal Relationships						X	
58) HSC 1010	Career Orientation			HDFS 1010				eff. Summer 2027
59) HSC 4041	Seminar in Human Sciences: Child Development and Family Studies		Seminar in Human Development and Family Science	HDFS 4041				

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49) HSC 4043	Seminar in Human Sciences: Textiles, Merchandising, and Design		Seminar in Fashion Studies	FASH 4043				
60) HSC 4051	Advanced Problems in Human Sciences: Child Development and Family Studies		Advanced Problems in Human Development and Family Science	HDFS 4051				
50) HSC 4053	Advanced Problems in Human Sciences: Textiles, Merchandising, and Design		Advanced Problems in Fashion Studies	FASH 4053				
61) HSC 4101	Internship: Child Development and Family Studies		Internship in Human Development and Family Science	HDFS 4101				
103) SW 3030	Social Work with At Risk Youth						X	
COB								
13) BUAD 4000	College to Career		Building Your Professional Identity		X			
74) MGMT 3890	Managerial Decision Making		Decision Making for Managers and Leaders		X			
75) MGMT 4680	Organization Behavior		Behavior in Organizations		X			Content
77) MKT 4890	Marketing Management				X			Content
COE								
40) ECE 4376	Literacy in Early Childhood Lab						X	

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41) ECE 4381	Infant and Toddler Practicum Lab						X	
CLA								
51) FL 4500	Introduction to Teaching Foreign Languages		Introduction to Teaching World Languages		X			
52) GEOG 4990	Senior Seminar in Human Geography						X	
53) GS 4000	Global Issues in Human Trafficking						X	
54) GS 4030	Human Rights						X	
55) GS 4275	NGOs and Non-Profits						X	
56) GS 4990	Senior Seminar in Global Studies						X	
62) HUM 2610	World Literatures		Topics in World Literatures					(TBC)
63) HUM 3000	Topics in Foreign Language Linguistics		Topics in World Language Linguistics					
87) PS 4030	Human Rights			PGA 4030	X			
88) PS 4150	Global Issues in Human Trafficking			PGA 4150	X			
89) PS 4275	NGOs and Non-Profits			PGA 4275	X			

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94) PS 4800	Senior Seminar						X	
95) PS 4801	Senior Seminar in International Relations						X	
108) THEA 3100	Make-Up Techniques for Performers		Stage Make-Up		X			
CME								
1) ADV 3080	Ethical Standards and Practices in Advertising		Ethical Standards and Practices in Advertising and Public Relations	ADPR 3080				
66) IAM 3070	Introduction to Social Media Practice						X	
67) IAM 3250	Gender and Representation in Interactive Media						X	
68) IAM 4950	Advanced Seminar-Interactive Media				X			Abr. short title
71) JOUR 4300	Reviewing and Criticism		Arts and Entertainment Reporting		X			
118) VCOM 2010	Introduction to Visual Communication		Principles of Media Design and Visual Communication		X			
119) VCOM 2950	Visual Communication Applications		Media Design Tools		X			

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120) VCOM 3920	Information Web Design		Media Design Web Foundations		X			
121) VCOM 3930	Visual Storytelling for Journalism		Media Design Visual Strategies		X			
122) VCOM 3950	Digital Storytelling for Journalism		Digital Experiences for Media Design		X			
123) VCOM 4010	Information Design		Brand Storytelling for Media Design		X			
124) VCOM 4180	Senior Portfolio		Media Design Portfolio		X			