

EAST CAROLINA UNIVERSITY
CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MINUTES OF SEPTEMBER 25, 1986

The Curriculum Committee met Thursday, September 25, 1986 at 1:30 p.m. in Brewster B-103. Members present were: Templeton, Keeter, Steele, Grossnickle, Carlton, Daugherty, Muller, Yount, Coulter, Topper, Wease; Cain and Wilson (ex-officio). Members absent were: none.

The minutes of April 3, 1986 were approved as written. In the Catalogue Copy of the November 14, 1985 minutes a change made in the catalogue description of MATH 3238 was omitted. The correction is in the catalogue copy for these minutes.

Professor Edgar Hooks, HPERS, presented the request to add a new course PHYE 5800. Physical Activities for the Aged (3). This course will be used as a free elective for the gerontology minor. Topper moved to approve the course. Templeton seconded. The motion passed.

Professors Manolita Buck, Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures, and Donald Spence, School of Education, presented their respective requests for FREN 4319, GERM 4319, SPAN 4319. Teaching Foreign Language in the Middle Grades (3) and Middle School Concentrations in French, German and Spanish. Muller moved to approve the courses and the concentrations. Wease seconded. The motion passed.

Professor Lee Otte, Department of Geology, presented a new course GEOL 3402. Engineering Geology (3). The catalogue description was amended to add the statement "may not be used to satisfy General Education requirements". Carlton moved to approve the course as amended. Keeter seconded. The motion passed.

Professor Marie Farr, Director of Women's Studies, presented the course WOST 4500. Internship in Women's Studies (3) which may be an elective toward the Women's Studies Minor. She stated that there were no additional costs necessary in order to offer the course. Wease moved to approve the course. Templeton seconded. The motion passed.

Professor Carlton moved to approve the agenda item requesting the change of titles for ECON 2113 and ECON 2133 to ECON 2113. Principles of Microeconomics (3) and ECON 2133. Principles of Macroeconomics (3). Templeton seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Grossnickle made a motion to remove MUSC 5446. American Music (3) and MUSC 5916. Choral Literature II (3) from the course bank. Muller seconded. The motion passed.

Professors Ennis Chestang, Marie Farr, Donald Neal and James Mitchell were present to discuss the recommendation from the General College Committee on granting general education credit for area studies and interdisciplinary courses. In the discussion the members of the Curriculum Committee felt that the numbering scheme would not be very helpful to advisors and students, however, an area may develop its own numbering system if it so desires. Designating each course as to its proper category (i.e. Social Science or Humanities, etc.) would be more acceptable. If a particular course could be used in more than one category at different offerings due to a different teachers topic and emphasis, then a separate course number should be available to indicate the category. For example, a present course states "may or may not be used toward satisfaction of the general education requirements, depending on subject matter" a possible listing might be

ASBS 1501, 1502, 1503, 1504, 1505. Interdisciplinary Seminar (Social Science, Humanities, Arts, No Gen. Ed.) (3) An interdisciplinary investigation which crosses over the lines of the areas. For example "A Behavioral Approach to Modern Philosophy of Art".

The Curriculum Committee suggested that the following guidelines might be considered:

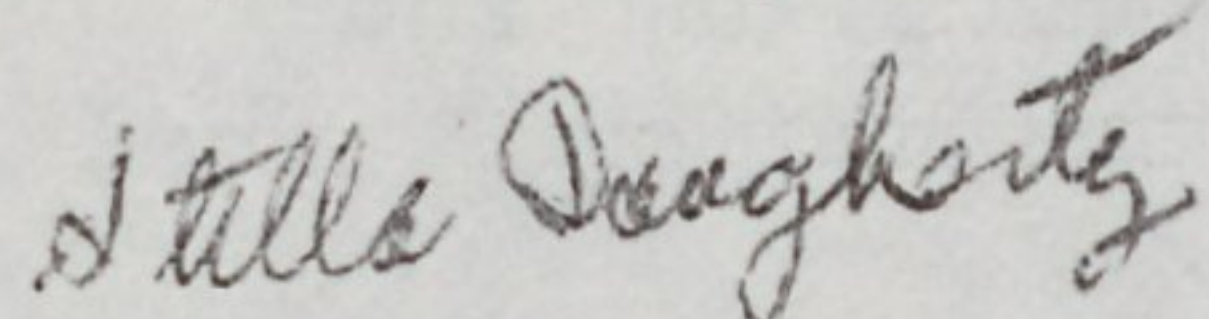
1. The General College Committee agrees with the intent of the proposal to grant general education credit for designated area studies and interdisciplinary courses.
2. The mechanism for granting such credit should include the following:
 - a. Area Studies and Interdisciplinary Courses must be approved by the appropriate curriculum committees and the Faculty Senate and be designated as meeting specific general education requirements.
 - b. For Area Studies and Interdisciplinary Courses which are not clearly in a specific category, instructors, course syllabi and the designation of the area in which general education credit (Arts, Humanities, etc.) is to be granted must be approved, as appropriate, by the Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs or by the Assistant Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences responsible for the administration of Area Studies/Interdisciplinary Studies programs in consultation with the appropriate program committee and department involved in offering these courses.

The proposal as presented also suggested that an additional category, Designated Area Studies/Interdisciplinary Studies, be included under each of the general education headings: Science, Social Science, Humanities, Fine Arts. Upon discussion it was felt that this suggestion needed further study and clarification since it appeared to possibly be a substantial change.

Carlton moved to table the recommendation concerning general education credit. Daugherty seconded. The motion to table passed.

The meeting adjourned at 4:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Stella Daugherty, Secretary
Curriculum Committee

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Department of Mathematics

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MATH 3238. Applied Mathematics for Teachers (2)

Prerequisite: MATH 1063 or 1065 or 1085.

Applications of mathematics to business, education science, social science and other fields will be included. The microcomputer may be used in studying applications. No previous knowledge of microcomputers is required.

Department of Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Safety

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PHYE 5800. Physical Activities for the Aged (3)

Prerequisites: GERO 2400 or permission of the instructor.

An overview of the contributions of physical activities in meeting the cognitive, affective, and psychomotor needs of the aged and the role of physical activity in enhancing the quality of life.

Department of Foreign Languages and Literature

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FREN 4319. Teaching Foreign Languages in the Middle Grades (3)

Prerequisites: Fifteen semester hours of French above the 1002 level or consent of instructor.

Teaching techniques, instructional resources, and evaluation procedures for teaching foreign languages in the Middle Grades. Ten hours of field experience in the Middle Grades. May not be counted toward a major or minor the B.A. or B.S. degree in French.

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GERM 4319. Teaching Foreign Languages in the Middle Grades (3)

Prerequisites: Fifteen semester hours of German above the 1002 level or consent of instructor.

Teaching techniques, instructional resources, and evaluation procedures for teaching foreign languages in the Middle Grades. Ten hours of field experience in the Middle Grades. May not be counted toward a major or minor the B.A. or B.S. degree in German.

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SPAN 4319. Teaching Foreign Languages in the Middle Grades (3)

Prerequisites: Fifteen semester hours of Spanish above the 1002 level or consent of instructor.

Teaching techniques, instructional resources, and evaluation procedures for teaching foreign languages in the Middle Grades. Ten hours of field experience in the Middle Grades. May not be counted toward a major or minor for the B.A. or B.S. degree in Spanish.

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

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Add at the bottom of list under

3. Area Studies:

Foreign Language: one of the following groups:

SPAN 1003, 1004, 2103, 2108, 2115 or 1996, 3215, 4319; or
GERM 1003, 1004, 2100, 2120, 2200, 3300, 4319; or
FREN 1003, 1004, 2103, 2108, 2215 or 2216, 3215, 4319.....19-21 s.h.

DEPARTMENT OF GEOLOGY

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GEOL 3402. Engineering Geology (3)

Prerequisites: Math 1065 and Junior standing

Geological principles and their applications to construction projects on and in earth materials. Principles will be illustrated through case studies and field trips. May not be used to satisfy General Education requirements.

WOMEN'S STUDIES

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WOST 4500. Internship in Women's Studies (3)

Prerequisites: Senior standing and WOST 4000 Minimum GPA of 2.5 or permission of the director

Supervised work experience in women-centered community projects.

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

(p221) Change title of ECON 2113 to ECON 2113. Principles of Microeconomics (3)
(catalogue description remains the same)

(p222) Change title of ECON 2113 to ECON 2133. Principles of Macroeconomics
(3)
(catalogue description remains the same)

SCHOOL OF MUSIC

Remove the following courses from Course Bank:

(p357) MUSC 5446. American Music (2)

(p358) MUSC 5916. Choral Literature II (2)