

**College of Natural and Health Sciences
Curriculum Committee
Minutes
December 2, 2009**

Present: Ann Bentz, Audrey Bopp, Juliet Fried, Missy Parker Richard Schwenz, Igor Szczyrba, and Cindy White

Absent: Joe Elkins

Audrey called the meeting to order.

The minutes of the November 18th meeting were approved by the committee electronically.

PROPOSALS FOR REVIEW

- ASLS BS **Audiology and Speech-Language Sciences B.S.****
Program modifications – changing LAC area 1b to ENG 123 from ENG 227 and adding BIO 110 as an option in area 6.
Missy Parker/Igor Szczyrba moved to approve the program changes. Committee recommended approval by consensus.
- ASLS 267 **Anatomy and Physiology of the Speech and Hearing Mechanism****
Revision: adding prerequisite option (BIO 110).
Missy Parker/Igor Szczyrba moved to approve the program changes. Committee recommended approval by consensus.
- ASLS 478 **Aural Rehabilitation and Amplification****
Revision: Adding a registration restriction of “seniors or above.”
Missy Parker/Igor Szczyrba moved to approve the program changes. Committee recommended approval by consensus.
- ASLS 487 **Advanced Audiology****
Revision: Adding a minimum grade requirement of C to the prerequisite.
Missy Parker/Igor Szczyrba moved to approve the course proposals. Committee recommended approval by consensus.
- ASLS SLP **Speech-Language Pathology MA****
Correct a catalog error (EDSE 308 to ASL 101) and changes needed for accreditation.
Igor Szczyrba/Juliet Fried moved to approve the program changes with the addition of a list of those changes under the rationale section of the program form. Committee recommended approval by consensus.
- AuD **Audiology AuD****
Program modifications required for accreditation
Missy Parker/Juliet Fried moved to approve the program changes. Committee recommended approval by consensus.

- BIO 510 Protein Structure and Function**
New elective course that students have requested.
- BIO 511 Protein Structure and Function Laboratory**
Lab course to go with BIO 510 elective course.
Missy Parker/Igor Szczyrba moved to approve the course proposals (510 and 511). Committee recommended approval by consensus.
- CH 530 Seminar in Health Promotion Strategies**
Revision: remove a prerequisite (CH 560) since the course is being deleted.
- CH 560 Scientific Foundations of Health Promotion/Disease Prevention**
Course deletion (content covered in other classes).
Cindy White/ Richard Schwenz moved to approve the course proposals with a clarification that course content from CH 560 will be taught in CH 530.
Committee recommended approval by consensus.
- CH MPH Public Health M.P.H.**
Program credit change due to CH 560 deletion and the overall credit requirements will be more in line with other MPH programs in the region.
Cindy White/ Richard Schwenz moved to approve the program changes.
Committee recommended approval by consensus.
- CHEM BS Chemistry B.S. - PTEP**
Program change to reflect corrected wording for the PTEP notes section.
Juliet Fried/Missy Parker moved to approve the program changes with the correction of grammatical errors and the use of PTEP instead of PTE on the catalog page.
Committee recommended approval by consensus.
- CHEM BS Chemistry B.S. – Secondary Teaching Emphasis**
Modify the Secondary Teaching Emphasis to delete CHED 495 (2 credits) and add SCED 440 (1 credit) which reduces the required major credits to 41.
Missy Parker/Audrey Bopp moved to approve the program changes.
Committee recommended approval by consensus.
- ChemEdPhd Chemical Education Ph.D.**
Program modified per suggestions from the external reviewer for the previous 5-year program review.
Audrey Bopp/Igor Szczyrba moved to approve the program changes.
Committee recommended approval by consensus.
- Dietetics BS Dietetics B.S.**
Modifying admission criteria from “C or better” to C- or better” in all program required courses
Richard Schwenz/Cindy White moved to approve the program changes.
Committee recommended approval by consensus.

- ESCI BS Earth Sciences B.S. - Environmental Earth Sciences Emphasis**
 Modifying program requirements by adding SCI 291(required LAC area1b), GEOG 210 (required supporting course), GEOL 320 and GEOL 390 (required major courses).
The committee moved to table the program changes until Earth Sciences provides rationale as to why the changes are being proposed. Committee recommended tabling by consensus.
- FND 310 Introduction to Foods**
 Originally submitted and approved as FND 220; after further review faculty realized the course should be at the 300 level and prerequisites modified
Juliet Fried/Missy Parker moved to approve the course. Committee recommended approval by consensus.
- FND 430 Nutrition Assessment and Intervention**
 Revision: prerequisites now read “C- or better” rather than “C or better”
Missy Parker/Richard Schwenz moved to approve the course. Committee recommended approval by consensus.
- FND 451 Advanced Nutrition**
 Revision: prerequisite change from CHEM 281 to CHEM 381.
Richard Schwenz/Audrey Bopp moved to approve the course. Committee recommended approval by consensus.
- GEOL BS Earth Sciences B.S. - Geology Emphasis**
 Program adding SCI 291 to required specified LAC area 1b.
The committee moved to table the program changes until Earth Sciences provides rationale as to why the changes are being proposed and until the GEOL 421 modification is approved. Committee recommended tabling by consensus.
- GEOL 320 Mineralogy**
 Revision: removing prerequisite (CHEM 111).
The committee moved to table the course until an impact statement is received from Chemistry. Committee recommended tabling by consensus.
- GEOL 470 Structural Geology**
GEOL 570 Structural Geology
 Revision: removing prerequisites (Phys 220, Math 125).
The committee moved to table the course until impact statement is received from Math. Committee recommended tabling by consensus.
- GEOL 481 Geologic Field Techniques**
GEOL 581 Geologic Field Techniques
 Revision: adding a prerequisite (Geol 450).
The committee moved to table the course until rationale is received as to why GEOL 450 is being added as a prerequisite. Committee recommended tabling by consensus.

- MATH MA Graduate Interdisciplinary Degree Program M.A., Middle Level Mathematics Teaching Emphasis.**
Adding MFT 518 as an elective course.
Cindy White/Juliet Fried moved to approve the program change with the rewording of the catalog description of MFT 518 to 30 words and to modify the rationale to lessen confusion.
Committee recommended approval by consensus.
- NURS BS Nursing B.S.**
Changing the prerequisite courses' grade requirement (grade C or better).
Juliet Fried/Missy Parker moved to approve the program changes with an addition of "C- is not acceptable".
Committee recommended approval by consensus.

Curriculum Deadline for NHS Proposals (for 2010-2011 Catalog)

All course/program proposals for the 2010-2011 Catalog are due to the NHS Dean's office by Wednesday, November 25, 2009. Catalog copy deadline is February 1, 2010.

Other Items

Next meeting – Monday, December 7, 8:30-10:00 – Chemistry Conference Room

Meeting adjourned at 4:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Sandy Pope
Recording Secretary