Winthrop University

Committee on Undergraduate Curriculum

September 20, 2024 Minutes

The Committee on Undergraduate Curriculum met on Friday, September 20, 2024. Participating were committee members Zachary Abernathy, Amanda Hiner, Anna Romanova, and Jared Androzzi. Also attending were Will Thacker, Cody Walters, Tim Drueke, Gina Jones, and Kara Traverse.

These 6 program change items (degree) recommended and forwarded to Academic Council for action:

Program	Action
BA in Math Teacher Cert	Inactivate Program
BS in Biology	Edit Program: Indicate that an additional course in the major must be from Area C rather than a choice of A, B or C. Add BIOL360, 382, 383, 384, 388, and 450H to Area D. Update MATH141 to MATH241 and QMTH205 to BSAN205.
BS in Biology - Conservation	Edit Program: Add GEOL345 and ENVS375 as options for Conversation Experiential Learning Requirement. Designate that one course from Area C is only required if not met above. Add BIOL360, 382, 383, 384, 388, and 450H to Area D. Update MATH141 to MATH241. Remove GEOG and BSAN/QMTH 205 from Math and Science Electives.
BS in Biology-BioMed Resrch	Edit Program: Add BIOL360, 382, 383, 384, 388, and 450H to Area D. Update MATH141 to 241.
BS in Biology-Medical Tech	Inactivate Program
BS in Math-Teacher Cert	Inactivate Program

The following 44 course action items were approved at CUC Level and require no further action:

Course	Action
ANTH331 Rise of Inequality/Complexity	New Course
BIOL203 Principles of Biology Laborato	Inactivate Course
BIOL203H Principles of Biology Laborato	Inactivate Course
BIOL204 Principles of Biology	Inactivate Course
BIOL204H Principles of Biology	Inactivate Course
BIOL207 SEA PHAGES Discovery Lab	Inactivate Course
BIOL360 Peer Mentoring in Biology	Edit Course: Update course description. Remove BIOL203, 204, 205, 206 from prerequisites. Add CHEM210 or 211 to prerequisites. Change number of credits that can be earned for the course from 0.5 to 1.
BIOL480 Integration of Biological Prin	Edit Course: Update prerequisite to clarify that two BIOL courses from Areas A, B, C do not need a C- to satisfy prerequisite.
ECED300 Foundations of Early Childhood	Edit Course: Add Educational Studies and Special Education majors to list of students who can register for the course.
ECON508 Forecast & Predict. Analytics	New Course
ENGL492 Seminar in Science Communicati	Inactivate Course

ENGL527 English Romantic	Inactivate Course
Poetry,Prose	
ENTR370 Leadership in Free	Inactivate Course
Enterprise	
ENVS355 Earth's Changing Climate	New Course
FINC518 Blockchain and AI in	New Course
Finance	
FINC522 Options and Futures	New Course
Markets	
MGMT322 Intro to Talent	Edit Course: Remove MGMT321 from the
Management	prerequisite and add HXCT301 as an alternative to
	HMXP102.
MGMT422 HR for Sport Management	Inactivate Course
NUTR223 The Science of Human	Edit Course: Clarify in prerequisite that course is for
Nutrition	Human Nutrition, Exercise Science, Biology, and
	Chemistry majors.
NUTR227 Medical Terminology	Edit Course: Add NUTR223 as an option in
	prerequisites.
NUTR231 Food Composition	Inactivate Course
NUTR232 Food Composition	Inactivate Course
Laboratory	
NUTR380 Nutr Education	Edit Course: Add NUTR223 to the prerequisite.
NUTR421 Nutrition Through the Life	Edit Course: Change prerequisite from NUTR321 to
Spa	NUTR229.
NUTR423 Food Science Principles	Inactivate Course
NUTR428 Community and Cultural	Edit Course: Change prerequisite from NUTR427 to
Nutriti	NUTR380.
NUTR471 Food & Nutr Mgmt II	Edit Course: Change prerequisite from NUTR371 to
	NUTR223 and 323.

NUTR490A Practicum Experience	Edit Course: Change prerequisite from NUTR 421 with a C- or higher to NUTR 421 (C- or higher) for Health promotion option students and NUTR 427 (C- or higher) for dietetic option students.
NUTR521 Nutritional Biochemistry &	Edit Course: Change prerequisite from NUTR431 to
Met	NUTR321.
SCIE301 Biology of Aging	Inactivate Course
SCIE594 ST: Content/Pedagogy ST	Inactivate Course
SCIE594L ST Lab for Teachers	Inactivate Course
SOCL320 Sociology of	Edit Course: Reactivate course. Update
Contemporary Afri	description.
SPED581 Intro to Accessible	New Course
Education	
SUBU330 Sustainable Bus Practices	Inactivate Course
SUBU330H Sustainable Bus	Inactivate Course
Practices	
THED542 Theatre for Youth	New Course
WRIT431 Academic Internship in	Edit Course: Delete "Open to English majors only.
Writing	WRIT 366, 367, or 465 are highly recommended."
	from course description. Add "Non-majors may
	enroll with the permission of the Department Chair if
	they meet the other requirements for the course" to
	the prerequisite.
WRIT432 Academic Internship in	Edit Course: Delete "Open to English majors only.
Writing	WRIT 366, 367, or 465 are highly recommended."
	from course description. Add "Non-majors may
	enroll with the permission of the Department Chair if
	they meet the other requirements for the course" to
	the prerequisite.
WRIT433 Academic Internship in	Edit Course: Delete "Open to English majors only.
Writing	WRIT 366, 367, or 465 are highly recommended."

WRIT461 Internship Science	from course description. Add "Non-majors may enroll with the permission of the Department Chair if they meet the other requirements for the course" to the prerequisite. Inactivate Course
Communication	
WRIT462 Internship Science Communication	Inactivate Course
WRIT566 Writing in STEM, Med, & Health	Edit Course: Change title from Writing for Sciences and Technology. Update transcript title and description. Change prerequisite from "HMXP 102 with a grade of C- or better; and either ENGL 380 or successful completion of a 200-level or higher course in BIOL, CHEM, CSCI, ENVS, GEOG, GEOL, GRNT, NUTR, MATH, PHYS, PSYC, SCIE, or WELL, or permission of the instructor; or graduate status" to "CRTW 201 or HXCT 301 with a grade of C- or better, and a WRIT course numbered above 299; OR successful completion of a 200-level or higher course in BIOL, CHEM, CSCI, ENVS, GEOG, GEOL, GRNT, HCMT, NUTR, MATH, PHYS, PSYC, SCIE, SPMA, or SPFA; OR graduate status; OR permission of the instructor."
WRIT566H Writing in STEM, Med, & Health	New Course

The following 4 course action items were approved at College Assembly Level and require no further action:

Course	Action
ARTS542 Advanced Painting	Edit Course: Change number of credits that can be
	earned for the course from 6 to 9.
ARTS542H Advanced Painting	Edit Course: Change number of credits that can be
	earned for the course from 6 to 9.
SPED515 Family & Professional	Edit Course: Change title from Consultation and
Collab	Collaboration in Special and General Education.
WRIT501 Writing for New Media	Edit Course: Update description.