Graduate Studies Committee

GRADUATE STUDIES COMMITTEE AGENDA
Friday, September 12, 2014, 10-11:30 a.m.
2711 MHRA

I. Approval of Minutes from April 25, 2014 and April 30, 2014

II. Report of the Chair —Kenneth Klase

III. Report of the Senate Representative –David Ayers

IV. Report of the Dean —William Wiener

V. Report of the Curriculum Subcommittee — Nancy Callanan

ROUTINE CHANGES (Form D - No enclosures)

Motion to approve:

1. AFS 554: Independent Black Politics in the Nineteenth Century – Remove restrictions limiting course to AFS graduate students.

2. ATY 595: Contemporary Issues in Anthropology – A capstone seminar focusing on current issues in various sub-fields of anthropology, how they relate to the discipline, and their significance to anthropology’s role in the modern world. Prerequisites: Senior status. Should be taken during the senior year.

3. CRS 614: Textile Global Luxury Products Market Analysis. Quantitative and qualitative approaches to the Analysis of global markets for textiles and apparel luxury apparel products. Embraces Employ information sources and techniques for market, competitor, and company analysis to support strategic marketing decisions.

4. CSD 638: Instruction for speech-language pathology majors in performing hearing screenings the minor area of hearing assessment. Helps obtain the 20 clock hours in the minor area required by the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA). Provides training and supervised clinical experiences in hearing screenings.

5. ECO 643: Econometric Methods – Introduction to advanced econometric applications. Topics may include seemingly unrelated regressions, simultaneous equations, identification, two-stage least squares, probit, tobit, and sample selection models; application to economic data using Stata or other software. Application to economic data using statistical software emphasized.

6. ECO 644: Econometric Theory – Theory of econometric models: topics include the standard linear model, classical assumptions, violations of assumptions, hypothesis testing, and corrective procedures; application to economic data using SAS or other statistical software. Foundations of mathematical statistics and linear econometric models. Topics include discrete and continuous probability distributions, random sampling and asymptotic analysis, the linear regression model, hypothesis testing, and statistical programming and simulation using SAS or other statistical software.
7. **ECO 725: Data Methods in Economics** – Remove prerequisite ECO 721; Add prerequisite ECO 643; Advanced techniques in data preparation; topics include data formats, error checking, merging data, large data sets, and missing observations. Students work extensively with SAS and STATA in the UNIX environment.


9. **ECO 734: Public Policies Toward Innovation and Sustainability** – Remove prerequisites ECO 642 and ECO 644; Keep prerequisite ECO 731 or permission of instructor.

10. **ECO 721, 722, 723, 735, 736, 737, 738** – Change number of course hours from 1-4 to 3:3 hours.

11. **PSY 624**: Remove corequisite PSY 610

**NEW/AMENDED COURSE PROPOSALS (Form A)**

**Motion to approve:**
1. **CRS 570: Apparel Brand Management** – Effective Spring 2015
2. **CRS 632: Supervised Industry Practicum in Consumer, Apparel and Retail Studies (amended)** – Effective Fall 2015
3. **CRS 682: Graduate Seminar in Consumer, Apparel, and Retail Studies (amended)** – Effective Fall 2015

**Motion to approve with minor revisions:**
1. **BIO 636: Ecotoxicology** – Effective Spring 2015
2. **LAT 627: Latin Teacher Leadership and Research** – Effective Spring 2015

**PROGRAM REVISION (Form G)**

**Motion to approve:**
1. **CARS – MS (non-thesis)** – Change concentration title from Global Apparel Supply Chain Management to Global Apparel Management; Concentration hours redistributed; Hours required reduced from 31 to 30 – Effective Fall 2015
2. **CARS – MS (Thesis)** – Increase credit hours for CRS 682 from 1 to 3; Total hours required would therefore increase from 30 to 32 – Effective Fall 2015
3. **CARS – PhD** – Increase credit hours for CRS 682 from 1 to 3, thus increasing Core from 19 to 21; Total hours required would therefore increase from 58 to 60 – Effective Fall 2015
4. **Classical Studies – MED in Latin** – Remove Electronic Portfolio as program requirement; LAT 627 and the comprehensive exam will be the capstone; Remove TED 676, 677; Add LAT 627; Move LAT 552 from Core to Professional Education; Change required Study in Latin hours from 12-15 to 15-18; Change required Core hours from 9 to 6 – Effective Spring 2012 (retroactive)
5. **ECO – MA in Applied Economics** – Reduce the Core Knowledge Requirement from 18 to 12 hours; Add an Advanced Theory Requirement of 3 hours; Expand Applied Research Methods requirement from 6 to 9 hours; Add a more appropriate capstone requirement for the Policy Analysis concentration (ECO 723 or ECO 734) – Effective Spring 2015
6. **ECO – PhD in Economics** – Remove ECO 743 from required courses; Add ECO 642 – Effective Spring 2015
7. **ECO – MA/PhD in Economics** – In program requirements, remove ECO 743; Add ECO 642; Additional re-categorizations and re-sequencing of courses to accommodate two new MA concentrations – Effective Spring 2015
ADDITION OR DISCONTINUATION OF CONCENTRATIONS, SECOND MAJOR OPTION, AND/OR MINORS (Form F)

2. Teacher Education – MEd, Concentration in Reading – Change from face-to-face to online – Effective Fall 2014

VII. Report of the Student Affairs Subcommittee – Anthony Cuda
VIII. New Business/Other
IX. Adjournment

Enclosures