THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT GREENSBORO
UNDERGRADUATE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE
MINUTES
October 13, 2023 • 2:00 – 4:00 PM
Virtual Meeting

Members Present: Sara MacSween, Patrick Giamario, David Holian, Aimee Motley, Maggie Murphy, Brett Nolker, Karen Poole, Colin Post, Heather Searcy, Cliff Smyth, Danielle Wright (for Lisa Henline)

AGENDA ITEMS:

I.   Approval of September 8, 2023 meeting minutes.

II. New Business

College of Arts and Sciences

Anthropology

01.	Program:	Anthropology, B.A. (key 403)
	Request:	Update program requirements
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Motion/Action: (Nolker, Murphy) Approved		

02.	Course:	ATY 447 Myth, Magic, and Religion
	Request:	Change course number (ATY 347)
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Motion/Action: (Giamario, Nolker) Approved		

Biology

03.	Course:	BIO 301 Principles of Ecology
	Request:	Revise prerequisites
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Motion/Action: (Poole, Giamario) Approved with 1 opposed		

04.	Course:	BIO 330 Evolution
	Request:	Revise prerequisites
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Motion/Action: (Poole, Giamario) Approved with 1 opposed		

Chemistry & Biochemistry

05.	Course:	CHE 468 Introduction to Chemical Biology
	Request:	New Course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Motion/Action: (Poole, Giamario) Approved		

Classical Studies

06.	Course:	CCI 100 Introduction to Greek Civilization
	Request:	Revise title (The Greeks) and course description; update SLOs
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Motion/Action: (Giamario, Holian) Approved, 1 opposed		

07.	Course:	CCI 101 Introduction to Roman Civilization
	Request:	Revise title (The Romans) and course description; update SLOs
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Motion/Action: (Giamario, Holian) Approved, 1 opposed		

08.	Course:	CCI 323 The World of Alexander the Great
	Request:	Remove prerequisites
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Note – Proposal was on the Electronic Review agenda (approval was not unanimous)		
Motion/action: (Holian, Giamario) Approved with updated rationale		

09.	Course:	CCI 450 Internship in Classical Studies
	Request:	Revise schedule type and course description
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Motion/Action: (Poole, Motley) Approved Pending examples of settings applicable to new schedule type and description.		

10.	Program:	Classical Studies, B.A. Classical Archaeology Concentration (key 17)
	Request:	Update program requirements (Program Learning Outcomes previously approved)
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Motion/Action: (Giamario, Poole) Approved		

11.	Program:	Classical Studies, B.A. Classical Civilization Concentration (key 18)
	Request:	Update program requirements (Program Learning Outcomes previously approved)
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Motion/Action: (Giamario, Poole) Approved		

12.	Program:	Classical Studies, B.A. Classical Language and Literature Concentration (key 19)
	Request:	Update program requirements (Program Learning Outcomes previously approved)
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Motion/Action: (Giamario, Poole) Approved		

English

13.	Course:	ENG 327 Writing for Professionals and Entrepreneurs
	Request:	Revise prerequisite language
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Motion/Action: (Murphy. Poole) Approved with updated prerequisite language		

Geography, Environment, and Sustainability

14.	Program:	Environment and Sustainability, B.A. (key 555)
	Request:	Update Overall Requirements; update program learning outcomes; revise program requirements (add minor requirement)
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Motion/Action: (Post, Giamario) Approved		

History

15.	Course:	HIS 217 The World in the Twentieth Century
	Request:	Revise title (The World, 1900-1945)
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Motion/Action: (Holian, Giamario) Approved		

16.	Course:	HIS 223 European Revolutions, 1789-1989
	Request:	Revise title (The Making of Modern Europe)
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Motion/Action: (Giamario, Holian) Approved		

Interior Architecture

17.	Program:	Design Studies Undergraduate Minor (key 121)
	Request:	Discontinue the Minor
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Motion/Action: (Murphy, Giamario) Approved		

Languages, Literatures, and Cultures

18.		Course:	LLC 340 Topics: Languages for Professions
		Request:	Update course description and revise prerequisites; revise allowable repeat for credit hours
		Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Motion/Action: (Post, Giamario) Approved			

Mathematics and Statistics

19.		Course:	STA 445 Nonparametric Statistics
		Request:	Revise prerequisites
		Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
(9/8/23) Tabled – additional rationale needed. Additional rationale received; form updated.			
Motion/Action: (Post, Giamario) Approved, 1 recusal			

Physics and Astronomy

20.		Course:	PHY 321 Introduction to Modern Physics
		Request:	Revise course description; remove corequisites and update SLOs
		Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Motion/Action: (Murphy, Holian) Table for consultation with Mathematics & Statistics			

21.		Course:	PHY 327 Thermal Physics
		Request:	Revise course description and prerequisites; update SLOs
		Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Motion/Action: (Murphy, Holian) Table for consultation with Mathematics & Statistics			

22.		Course:	PHY 421 Quantum Mechanics
		Request:	Revise course description and prerequisites; update SLOs
		Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Motion/Action: (Murphy, Holian) Table for consultation with Mathematics & Statistics			

23.		Program:	Physics, B.S. Mathematical Physics Concentration (key 920)
		Request:	New Concentration
		Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Motion/Action: (Post, Murphy) Approved			

24.		Program:	Physics, B.S. Nanoscience Concentration (key 919)
		Request:	New Concentration
		Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Motion/Action: (Post, Murphy) Approved			

25.	Program:	Physics, B.S. (key 48)
	Request:	Revise program requirements; update program learning outcomes; selection of a concentration will now be required
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Motion/Action: (Post, Murphy) Approved		

Joint School of Nanoscience and Nanoengineering

Nanoscience

26.	Course:	NAN 422 Nanotechnology
	Request:	New Course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Motion/Action: (Murphy, Holian) Table, syllabus needed		

V.   Announcements/Other

The committee discussed the possibility of future program discontinuations.

Committee members discussed the use of close readers for future meetings. Motion to assign close readers when agenda items total more than 40 (Giamario, Holian), motion approved.

Electronic Review week of September 18, 2023

The following items were reviewed and voted on during the week of September 18, 2023. Voting results are as follows:

01.		Course:	CCI 323 The World of Alexander the Great
		Request:	Remove prerequisites:
		Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Move to 10/13 agenda: *I am skeptical that this can be a 300-level course with no pre-requisites at all. I don't want to approve this without discussion.* Item is on the 10/13/23 agenda			

02.		Course:	GRK 203 Intermediate Ancient Greek I
		Request:	Update prerequisites
		Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Approved			

03.		Course:	LAT 203 Intermediate Latin I
		Request:	Update prerequisites
		Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Approved			

04.		Course:	PSY 311 Research Methods in Psychology
		Request:	Update prerequisites
		Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Approved			

05.		Course:	PSY 211 Statistics in Behavioral Science Research
		Request:	Update prerequisites
		Eff. Term:	Fall 2024
Approved			