CURRICULUM REVIEW COUNCIL  
February 23, 2010  
Room 203 Russell Hall, 3:15 P.M.  
MINUTES

Called to order: 3:19 p.m  
Adjourned: 3:46 p.m

Present:
Members:
Dr. Steve Horton, Acting Chair  
Ms. Lillie Frazier Bell  
Ms. Abbie Landry  
Mr. John G. Williams  
Dr. Kimberly McAlister  
Dr. Jonathan Akin  
Ms. Martha Stanton  
Dr. Barbara Duchardt  
Dr. Mike Cundall  
Dr. Sharon Joy  
Dr. Alexei Muravitsky  
Ms. Billie Bitowski (for Laura Aaron)  
Ms. Diane Webb (for Shirley Cashio)

Guests:
Mr. Joe Morris  
Dr. Elizabeth Guin  
Dr. Brenda Woodard  
Dr. Kathryn Kelly  
Dr. Susan T. Barnett  
Dr. Sarah McFarland  
Dr. Frank Fuller  
Ms. Patricia Clark

I.  Department of Criminal Justice
A. Allow Fire and Emergency Medical Service Administration (256B) concentration students who have completed National Registry Emergency Medical Technician – Paramedic (NREMT-P) to be given credit for: CJ 4475, UPSA 2000, 2100, 2250, 2400, 2500, 2700, 2900, and 1 hour elective upon presentation of their credentials.
B. Make the following changes to the Unified Public Safety Administration (UPSA) curriculum:
   - 3rd year – Add CJ 4200 or UPSA 4200; Delete UPSA 4400.
   - 4th year – Add UPSA 4400; Delete UPSA 4200.

Action: All items approved without opposition.

II.  Department of Social Work
A. Add the following new course for graduate credit:
   - SOWK 5290 – Coaching and Mentoring New Child Welfare Supervisors (3-3-0)

Action  Approved without opposition.
**College of Nursing**

A. **Delete NURB 3224 from the catalog but retain in database.**

B. **Add the following new courses for undergraduate credit:**
   - NURB 3330 – Nursing Research I for Registered Nurses (2-2-0).
   - NURB 3340 – Nursing Research II for Registered Nurses (1-1-0).

C. **Make the following changes to the RN to BSN (410A) curriculum:**
   - Major requirements: Delete NURB 3224; Add NURB 3330 and 3340.
   - 3rd year – Delete NURB 3224; Add NURB 3330 and 3340.

D. **Make the following changes to the Radiologic Sciences (615) and RT to BSRS (615A) curriculum requirements:**
   - 1st year – Delete CHEM 1080-1091; Add ALHE 1020; change total hours for year from 31 to 29.
   - 2nd year – Delete ALHE 1020; change total hours for year from 36 to 34.
   - Reduce total hours for degree from 124 to 120.

**Action:** All items approved without opposition.

**College of Education**

A. **Make the following course changes:**
   - EDUC 5020 – add prerequisite
   - EDUC 5030 – add prerequisite
   - EDAE 5730 – add prerequisite
   - EDAE 5750 – add prerequisite
   - EPSY 2020 – change course title, syllabus, description, terms offered; remove cross-listing with EPSY 3010; republish in the catalog
   - EPSY 5700 – change course prefix and course number

B. **Revise the Adult Education (510) program** to the following, adding three concentration areas:

   **Adult Education (510)**
   The program is designed for persons providing or managing adult learning activities in workforce development, business, educational, and social services agencies. The program consists of a minimum of 33-semester hours, including a 15-semester hour core, a 9 semester hour concentration area emphasizing a workplace setting, a 6 semester hour support area, and a 3 semester hour application area. The program addresses the standards of the Commission of Professors of Adult Education. All courses are offered through distance learning delivery.

   Foundation courses cover history and conditions of the profession, adult learning theory, program development, design of adult instruction. The research course focuses on data-driven activities for assessing the criteria, standards, and strategies that practitioners need to make sound, empirically supported professional decisions. The program concentration areas are continuing education administration, homeland security, and technology management.

   **Requirements for Adult Education in all concentration areas include 33 semester hours as follows:**
A. Foundations: Education 5010; Adult Education 5700, 5720, 5730, 5750.
B. Concentration Area: To be selected from courses in the candidate's area of concentration.
C. Support Area: To be selected from courses that support the candidate's area of concentration.
D. Application Area: Education 5950 or HS 5850.

A. Continuing Education (510A)
A. Foundations: Education 5010; Adult Education 5700, 5720, 5730, 5750.
B. Concentration Area: EDAE 5740, EDAE 5760, EDAE 5800.
C. Support Area: EDAE 5830; ETEC 5780.
D. Application Area: Education 5950.

B. Homeland Security (510B)
A. Foundations: Education 5010; Adult Education 5700, 5720, 5730, 5750.
B. Concentration Area: HS 5050, HS 5150, HS 5400.
C. Support Area: Support: HS 5550, HS 5700.
D. Application Area: Education 5950 or HS 5850.

C. Technology Management (510C)
A. Foundations: Education 5010; Adult Education 5700, 5720, 5730, 5750.
B. Concentration Area: ETEC 5770, ETEC 5780, ETEC 5790.
C. Support Area: Support: ETEC 5730, ETEC 6040.
D. Application Area: Education 5950.

**Action**: All items approved without opposition.

V. Louisiana Scholars' College

A. Change course prefix and course title for the following:
   - SCPN 1830, 1831, 1850, 1851, 1840, 1841, 1860, 1861, 1910, 1911, 1920, and 1921.

B. Add the following new course for undergraduate credit:
   - SPHI 3900 – Philosophy of Science (3-3-0).

C. Add the following new concentration areas to the joint major program in Political Science:
   - **International Relations (853A)**; support courses SECO2810, SLSC4000, SHUM480T, 482T; major courses PSCI2010, 2020, 2090, 2910, 3090, 4010, 4060, 4070, 4080, 4090, 4150, 4390, SST4020, SOC4190 and 6 hours of Political Science Electives. LSC electives – 18 hours.
   - **Public Administration (853B)**; support courses SECO2810, SLSC4000, SHUM480T, 482T; major courses PSCI2010, 2020, 2910, 3090, 3330, 3340, 4150, 4330, 4343, 4350, SST4020, SOC4190 and 6 hours of Political Science Electives. LSC electives – 18 hours.

**Action**: All items approved without opposition.
VI. School of Social Sciences

A. Make the following course changes:
   - HR 5200 – change course title, description, syllabus
   - HR 5220 – change course title, description, syllabus
   - HR 5600 – change course title, description, syllabus
   - HR 5700 – add new subtitle
   - SOC 3050 – change course description, syllabus; add prerequisite

B. Add the following new course for graduate credit:
   - HPRE 5150 – American Architecture Before 1860 (3-3-0)

C. Add the following new course for undergraduate credit:
   - HR 4700 – Special Topics Seminar in Heritage Resources (3-3-0)

Action: All items approved without opposition.

VII. Psychology Department

A. Change the terms offered to fall, spring, summer for the following courses:
   - PSYC 5130, 5260, 5270, 5320, and 6000

B. Make the following changes to the Master of Science program in Psychology, Clinical (552):
   - Core Requirements: Delete PSYC 5400 and 5780; add “or three hours selected from any 5000-level psychology course not already required for the MS in Clinical Psychology” as an option to PSYC 5980 and reduce hours required from 6 to 3; reduce total core requirement hours from 48 to 39.
   - In the program description paragraph: Change total required hours from 48 to 39; add or paper-in-lieu as an option to the empirical thesis; change practica to practicum and externship.

C. Delete concentration areas in Substance Abuse (552B) and Prevention Specialist (552C) and the Special Requirements for concentrations information.

Action: All items approved without opposition.

VIII. Department of Biological Sciences

A. Make the following changes to the Biology (618) program:
   - Delete the Applied Biology (618O) concentration area.
   - Add a new concentration area in Veterinary Technology (618V).
Add BIOL 1060 as an option in the Biomedical (618M) concentration.

- Add BIOL 2120-2121 as an option in the Natural Science (618N) concentration.

Revise major requirements based on above changes/additions to read:

Biological Science Major Requirements: (56 semester hours for 618 M, N, R, S and T; 70 semester hours for 618V). Students seeking a major in Biological Sciences must complete the following:

- Biology core: 13 semester hours of Biology 1010-1011, 1020-1021, 2020-2021, and either 4900 or 4910.
- Concentration-dependent courses: 32-57 semester hours in one of six available concentrations (see specific concentration for semester hour requirement).
- Biology electives: 618 M, N, and R must take 11 semester hours; 618T must take 9 semester hours of any Biology course, to give students the opportunity to explore subjects outside of their concentration. 618S students must select 12 semester hours from BIOL 3250-3251, 3280, 4310-4311, 4320, 4350-4351, 4610, 4620, or 4940; CSC 3050; MATH 3090, 3150, or 3160; STAT 4060, or 4270. 618V students are not required to take biology electives.

Revise the Biology minor requirements to read:

Biology Minor Requirements: (21 semester hours) BIOL 1010-1011, 1020-1021; 7 semester hours of any BIOL course at the 2000 level or above; 6 BIOL hours at the 4000 level.

- Change footnote #6 to read: Any academic course is acceptable, but no more than six semester hours may be taken at the 1000 level.

B. Add the following new courses for undergraduate credit:

- VTEC 4090 – Veterinary Clinical Pharmacology (3-3-0)
- VTEC 4200 – Veterinary Technology Comprehensive Review (3-3-0)
- VTEC 4900 – Veterinary Technology Specialty Internship (6-0-6)

C. Make the following course changes:

- VTEC 2090 – change hour values, prerequisite
- VTEC 2091 – change hour values
- VTEC 2100 – change course number to 3100; change syllabus
- VTEC 2101 – change course number to 3101; change hour values, prerequisite
- VTEC 2190 – change course number to 3190; change course description, prerequisite, syllabus
- VTEC 2191 – change course number to 3191; change prerequisite
- VTEC 2200 – change course number to 3200; change prerequisite, syllabus
- VTEC 2201 – change course number to 3201; change prerequisite
- VTEC 2700 – change course number to 3700; change course title, prerequisite, syllabus
- VTEC 2701 – change course number to 3701; change course title, prerequisite

D. Revise the Veterinary Technology (725) curriculum based on the above course number changes.

Action: All items approved without opposition
Addendum
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IX. Department of Language and Communication
A. Add the following new course for undergraduate credit:
   • ENGL 2110 – Introduction to Literature (3-3-0).

Action: Approved without opposition.

X. College of Nursing
A. Revise the LPN to ASN (400A) articulation program admission criteria to read:

LPN to ASN (400A)
1. The LPN who has successfully completed a state approved PN/VN program and has worked full time in nursing practice for one year must meet the same admission criteria as the generic student with the exception of completing Nursing 1050. This student must enroll in and successfully complete the Nursing 1060 Transition to Technical Nursing Course; must achieve a Fundamentals Test Score of Level II or higher. The test may be repeated only one time; must achieve a TEAS score of 64 or higher. The test may be repeated only one time.
2. If an LPN to ASN student scores below a Level II on the Fundamentals test or below a 64 on the test, that student Academic Skills test is eligible to petition to enter Nursing 1100 and Nursing 110 on a competitive basis with generic students. The student must also enroll in Nursing 1050.
3. Upon successful completion of Nursing 1060, 2100, and 2110, 14 credit hours in nursing will be awarded for the following nursing courses: 1100 (4 credit hours); 1100 (3 credit hours); 1500 (4 credit hours); 1510 (3 credit hours); Nursing 1060 will substitute for Nursing 1050.
4. The LPN student may enroll in Nursing 1060 only one time.
5. If a grade below a “C” is earned in Nursing 1060, the LPN to ASN student is eligible to enroll in Nursing 1500, 1510 and 1050 on a “space available” basis. If a grade of less than “C” is earned in any of these courses, the student will be dismissed from the College of Nursing.

Action Approved without opposition

XI. Dr. Steve Horton, Associate Provost

A. Effective Fall, 2011, replace the University core requirements for Baccalaureate, Associate of Arts, Associate (non-designated), and Associate of Science degrees with the following:

The University core requires that each curriculum includes the following:

English (6 hours): English 1010, English 1020.
Mathematics (6 hours taken in pairs indicated and in sequence):
Mathematics 1020 and 1060; Mathematics 1020 and 1090; Mathematics 1020 and 2010; Mathematics 1810; Mathematics 2100 and 2110.
Natural Sciences (9 hours): Six hours shall be earned in either physical or biological science with the other three hours selected from the other science area. Both biological and physical science courses must be completed to fulfill the natural science core requirement. Certain course combinations are not permitted. These are described in the list of Courses of Instruction.

**Physical** – Science 1010, 2010; Chemistry 1030 and 1031, Chemistry 1040 and 1041, Chemistry 1070, Chemistry 1080 and 1091; Physics 2030 and 2031, Physics 2510 and 2511.

**Biological** – Science 1020, 2020; Biology 1010 and 1011, Biology 2060 and 2061, Biology 2220 and 2221, Biology 2230 and 2231.

**Fine Arts** (3 hours): Fine Arts 1040.

**Humanities** (9 hours):

- **Literature** – 3 hours English 2070 (English majors only), 2110;
- **History** – 3 hours from History 1010, 1020, 2010, or 2020;
- **Communication** – 3 hours in Communication 1010.

**Social Science** (3 hours): Anthropology 1510; Economics 2000; Political Science 2010; Geography 1010, 1020, 2020; or Philosophy 1010.

**Behavioral Science** (3 hours): Educational Psychology 2020; Psychology 1010, 2050; or Sociology 1010.

**Action**: On presentation to the council, Dr. Horton requested the amendment of Educational Psychology 2010 in the Behavioral Science component to Educational Psychology 2020 to correct a typographical error in the proposal. Item approved with a majority vote. (One opposed – Dr. Bill Dickens).