

Greetings,

At the UGCC meeting on 3/03/06 the following items were addressed:

1. The Consent Agenda was approved unanimously. The following items were included in this agenda:
 - a. Adding a new course, CSE 4400, Independent Study in Computing, to the curriculum. (The approved form has been sent to the Registrar.)
 - b. Amending the second sentence of the catalog definition of Minors to read "...may designate minors that require 18-21 credit hours of selected coursework, excluding the core courses COM 1101, COM 1102, HUM 2051 and HUM 2052."
 - c. Changing prerequisites for AVF 1001, AVF 1002, AVF 2001, AVF 2002 (The approved forms have been sent to the Registrar.)
2. The following courses in the catalog were approved unanimously as repeatable courses with appropriate designation as to the maximum number of credits allowed: CVE 4090 and 4095, CSE 4510 and 4520, BUS 4504, AVF 4090, AVM 3501, 4600, 4602 and 4603, AVT 3501, ENS 4901, 4902, 4903, 4911 and 4912, MET 1999, OCE 4591, 4592, 4593, 4911 and 4912, OCN 4901, 4902, 4903. 4911 and 4912. Departments with repeatable undergraduate courses not listed here are reminded to send an email to Liz Fox indicating the course(s) with the maximum number of credits allowed.
3. The new course MET 4410, Mesoscale Meteorology, was approved unanimously. (The approved form has been sent to the Registrar.)
4. The request to restrict PHY 1050 to Physics and Space Sciences majors was tabled. One objection was that all first year students should be given the opportunity to learn more about these majors if they are uncertain about their career goals. Another objection was that some transfer students receive only 3 credits for a first semester physics course they have taken elsewhere and use this 1-credit course to compensate.
5. The request to remove the restriction against Humanities majors obtaining a History Minor if they meet all the requirements for that minor was approved with four abstentions after much discussion. Many members, including the Humanities representative, would prefer to recognize a Concentration in History on the diploma of a Humanities major rather than award a History Minor to that student. The Registrar will look into that possibility.
6. The new course MSC 4003, Independent Study in Military Science, was approved unanimously although the Committee expressed concern that the title would be confused with other independent study courses on campus that are far less structured. The Military Science Department will look into the possibility of changing the title if the course would still be recognized properly by the military.

7. The following new courses in Aeronautics were approved unanimously. (The approved forms have been sent to the Registrar.)
 - a. AVF 3005, Technically Advanced Instrument Flight Training
 - b. AVF 3006, High Performance Airplane Transition Training
 - c. AVF 3009, Intermediate Aerobatic Flight Course
 - d. AVF 3010, International Operations
 - e. AVF 3012, Conventional Gear Aircraft Training Course
 - f. AVF 4006, Advanced Multi-Engine Crew Operations
 - g. AVT 1001, Aeronautics 1
 - h. AVT 1002, Aeronautics 2
 - i. AVT 2001, Aeronautics 3
 - j. AVT 2002, Aeronautics 4
 - k. AVF 1000, Private Pilot Certificate
 - l. AVF 1003, Commercial Pilot Stage One

8. The request to add a new major, Information Management, to the curriculum was tabled, in part because some prerequisites for required courses were not listed as part of the graduation requirements.

9. The request to add a new major, e-Commerce Technology, was tabled for the reasons given in the item above.

Regards,
Clayton