GCC Course Report for October 4, 2024 Meeting (CHAS)

Status	(X) UCC Also Reviews	Code	Title	College	Department	Is this proposal editorial or substantive?
Added	X	ARTHIST 4330	ARTHIST 4330: American Art	CHAS	Art	
Edited		COMM 4022	COMM 4022: Qualitative Research Methods	CHAS	Communication and Media	substantive
Added		CSD 6290	CSD 6290: SLP Practicum in Education Setting	CHAS	Communication Sciences & Disorders	
Edited		CSD 6580	CSD 6580: Internship in Clinical Settings	CHAS	Communication Sciences & Disorders	substantive
Deleted		ENGLISH 6120	ENGLISH 6120: Feminist Literary Theories and Practice	CHAS	Languages & Literatures	
Deleted		ENGLISH 6140	ENGLISH 6140: Contemporary Literary Theory	CHAS	Languages & Literatures	
Added		ENGLISH 6300	ENGLISH 6300: Seminar in English Literature: Topic	CHAS	Languages & Literatures	
Deleted		ENGLISH 6310	ENGLISH 6310: Medieval English Literature	CHAS	Languages & Literatures	
Added		ENGLISH 6400	ENGLISH 6400: Seminar in American Literature: Topic	CHAS	Languages & Literatures	
Added		ENGLISH 6510	ENGLISH 6510: Seminar in Writing: (Topic)	CHAS	Languages & Literatures	

GCC Program Report for October 4, 2024 Meeting - CHAS

Status	Code	Title	College	Department	Is this proposal editorial or substantive?
Edited	TECH-MS	TECH-MS: Master of Science in Applied Engineering	CHAS	Applied Engineering & Technical Management	substantive
Edited	BIOLOGY-MS	BIOLOGY-MS: Major in Biology	CHAS	Biology	substantive
Edited	SPEECHLANG-MA	SPEECHLANG-MA: Major in Speech Language Pathology	CHAS	Communication Sciences & Disorders	substantive
Edited	ENGLISH-MA	ENGLISH-MA: Major in English	CHAS	Languages & Literatures	substantive
Added	PUBLITERARY-CERTGR	PUBLITERARY-CERTGR: Graduate Certificate in Publishing & Literary Arts	CHAS	Languages & Literatures	
Edited	TESOL-MA	TESOL-MA: Major in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)	CHAS	Languages & Literatures	substantive
Deleted	TESOLMODLANG-MA	TESOLMODLANG-MA: Major in TESOL/Modern Languages	CHAS	Languages & Literatures	

<div align="center">MINUTES OF

GRADUATE COLLEGE COMMITTEE ON CURRICULA

October 4, 2024</div>

Present: T. Abebe, M. Bunker, S. Coon, K. Cunningham, A. Johnson, R. Kidwell, M. Kline, R. McNeal, S. Moore, A. Shafer

Absent: N. Bird, R. Boody, C. Christopher

Guests: M. Dobosh, J. Garrett, M. Myers, K. Tracey

The meeting was called to order by K. Cunningham at 2:30 pm in Lang 115.

I.   Welcome & Introductions

K. Cunningham welcomed all present.

II.   Call for any proposals to be moved from the consent to regular agenda

The committee voted to not move anything off the consent agenda.

III.   Curriculum Review Procedures for the Department of Communication and Media Course Proposal

Agenda Items – Course

- COMM 4022: Qualitative Research Methods

M. Dobosh explained that adding the 5000-level option to COMM 4022 will give the department some flexibility.

S. Coon asked M. Dobosh what graduate students will do differently from the undergraduate students.
M. Dobosh stated that graduate students will do individual/bigger research projects.

K. Cunningham called for a vote on the motion to approve the Department of Communication and Media course proposal. The motion passed unanimously.

IV.   Curriculum Review Procedures for the Department of Biology Program Proposal

Agenda Items – Program

- BIOLOGY-MS: Major in Biology

M. Myers told the committee that the department is creating two tracks within the MS program. The non-thesis track will have 'landmark assignments'. The idea is that students' substantial artifact will be a portfolio compiled of the assignments/projects they've completed.

R. Kidwell asked if the department intends to count only Biology courses as the 5000-level and above electives. M. Myers explained that they do allow some courses to count from other departments. R. Kidwell confirmed that any Biology course will count, but anything outside of Biology will need to be counted through a student request. M. Myer stated that's correct.

S. Coon suggested that the department add a statement to the non-thesis track stating, no more than 3 credits of BIOL 6299 can count towards the degree. 'Maximum of 3 hours of BIOL 6299 may count' will be added to the non-thesis option.

K. Cunningham called for a vote on the motion to approve the Department of Biology program proposal. The motion passed unanimously.

V.   Curriculum Review Procedures for the Department of Communication Sciences & Disorders Proposals

Agenda Items – Program

- SPEECHLANG-MA: Major in Speech Language Pathology

J. Garrett stated that for an educational endorsement, the department needed to have some sort of indication to know that students completed a school placement. With this in mind, the department decided to have students take 10 hours of a medical-based internship or if students are doing a school placement, they will take 5 hours under the school number and 5 hours as the departments medical number. This will help the department identify what students have taken and allow the courses to be held within the Communication Sciences and Disorders department.

S. Coon confirmed that students will have to take 10 credits either way. J. Garrett confirmed that's true. S. Coon wondered if doing this changed the total hours for the Major in Speech Language Pathology. J. Garrett stated that the major is now at 53 credit hours rather than 52.

Agenda Items – Courses

- CSD 6290: SLP Practicum in Education Setting

- CSD 6580: Internship in Clinical Setting

K. Cunningham called for a vote on the motion to approve the Department of Communication Sciences & Disorders proposals. The motion passed unanimously.

VI.   Curriculum Review Procedures for the Department of Applied Engineering & Technical Management Program Proposal

Agenda Items – Program
- TECH-MS: Master of Science in Applied Engineering

S. Coon asked if TECH 3100/5100 already exists as a 5000-level course R. Kidwell explained that the course is changing from TECH 6100 to TECH 3100/5100.

K. Cunningham called for a vote on the motion to approve the Department of Applied Engineering & Technical Management program proposal. The motion passed unanimously.

VII.   Curriculum Review Procedures for the Department of Art Course Proposal

Agenda Items – Course
- ARTHIST 4330: American Art

No questions or concerns from the committee.

K. Cunningham called for a vote on the motion to approve the Department of Art course proposal. The motion passed unanimously.

VIII.   Curriculum Review Procedures for the Department of Languages & Literatures Proposals

Agenda Items – Programs
- PUBLITERARY-CERTGR: Graduate Certificate in Publishing & Literary Arts

R. Kidwell noticed that all the courses in the PUBLITERARY-CERTGR are available at the undergraduate and graduate levels – could an undergraduate student take this certificate. K. Tracey stated that there's an undergraduate version of the certificate.

K. Cunningham wanted to confirm whether or not the PUBLITERARY-CERTGR is stackable with the ENGLISH-MA. K. Tracey explained that the two programs are stackable.

- TESOL-MA: Major in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)

- TESOLMODLANG-MA: Major in TESOL/Modern Languages

K. Cunningham explained that the Major in TESOL/Modern Languages is being dropped, but the TESOL MA is absorbing two of the emphases from the Modern Languages MA.

- ENGLISH-MA: Major in English

S. Coon was curious if the department changed the number of emphases. R. Kidwell explained that there are no new emphases. S. Coon went on to ask if there was a change in the thesis vs non-thesis options. R. Kidwell didn't believe so.

Agenda Items – Courses

- ENGLISH 6300: Seminar in English Literature: Topic
- ENGLISH 6400: Seminar in American Literature: Topic
- ENGLISH 6510: Seminar in Writing: (Topic)

A. Johnson asked if ENGLISH 6300, 6400, & 6510 are repeatable. K. Tracey confirmed that the courses are repeatable.

K. Cunningham called for a vote on the motion to approve the Department of Languages & Literatures proposals. The motion passed unanimously.

IX.   Next Meeting – Friday, October 18, 2:30 pm, Lang 115

The meeting adjourned at 3:26 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Ava Shafer

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Guests