LUMPKIN COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND TECHNOLOGY EASTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY

EA-LCBT-19-38 Effective Spring 2020

TO: Council on Graduate Studies

FROM: Bill Minnis, Interim Dean

SUBJECT: EXECUTIVE ACTION

DATE: May 20, 2019

ACTION REQUESTED:

Add language to course description to allow repeat credit:

TEC 4970 - Special Topics in Technology. Credits: 1-4

EFFECTIVE DATE: Spring 2020

Request from Dr. Cheney attached.

Lumpkin College of Business and Technology Executive Action Request

TO: William Minnis FROM: Austin Cheney DATE: May 15, 2019

ACTION REQUESTED:

Allow TEC 4970: Special Topics in Technology to be repeated.

RATIONALE:

Special Topics courses in technology are offered in a variety of subject areas. When a student takes two of these courses, it becomes problematic, as we are often compelled to add a letter to differentiate the two courses, often after the course is enrolled. We want to avoid these complications in the future by simplifying the process, and avoid what has been the proliferation new versions of the course with letter suffixes.

EFFECTIVE DATE: (i.e.: Fall 20XX, Spring 20XX): Spring 2020

Current Course Description:

TEC 4970(AET 4970) - Special Topics in Technology.

(Arr.-Arr.-1-4) On Demand. Study of special topics and emerging areas in technology not ordinarily covered in standard courses. Topics to be announced. Study may include readings, reports, group discussions, and laboratory activities.

Prerequisites & Notes: Permission of the instructor.

Credits: 1 to 4

Proposed Course Description:

TEC 4970(AET 4970) - Special Topics in Technology.

(Arr.-Arr.-1-4) On Demand. Study of special topics and emerging areas in technology not ordinarily covered in standard courses. Topics to be announced. Study may include readings, reports, group discussions, and laboratory activities. May be repeated to maximum of six semester hours of elective credit for disciplines in the School of Technology.

Prerequisites & Notes: Permission of the instructor.

Credits: 1 to 4