
Agenda for the November 19, 2015 CAA Meeting

Items Approved: 15-147, HIS 4922, Doing Media History (New Course)
15-148, HIS 3160, Ancient Iran (New Course)
15-149, MUS 2502, Comprehensive Musicianship IV (Revised Course)
15-150, RUR 3960A, B, D, E: Special Topics in Rural Studies (New Course)
15-151, RUR 4400A, B, D, E: Independent Study in Rural Studies (New Course)
15-152, Rural Studies Minor (Revised Minor)

Items Pending: 15-104, Review of the Faculty Laureate Award Nomination Process and Procedures
15-146, CTE 3000G, Consumers in the Marketplace (Revised Course)
15-153, EDP 2330, Educational Psychology: Foundations for Teachers (New Course)
15-154, Finance Major (Revised Major)
15-155, AET 3163, Computer Programming in Technology (New Course)
15-156, AET 4163, Computer Database in Technology (New Course)
15-157, FCS 4752, Focus on Diabetes (Revised Course)
15-158, FCS 4755, Nutrition for Physical Performance (Revised Course)
15-159, FCS 4756, Adult Weight Management (Revised Course)

Ongoing: Multi-year plan regarding the University Learning Goals (For details concerning the plan, see agenda Item 13-83, CAA Learning Goals Committee's Recommendations & Resolution, which was approved by CAA at its 4/25/13 meeting)

Council on Academic Affairs Minutes

November 19, 2015

The November 19, 2015 meeting of the Council on Academic Affairs was held at 2:02 p.m. in the Room 4440 at Booth Library.

Members Present: Dr. Anthony, Mr. Aydt, Dr. Bruehler, Ms. Duffin, Dr. Gronnvoll, Dr. Martinez, Dr. Reid, Mr. Simpson, Ms. Smith, Dr. Throneburg, and Dr. White.

Members Absent: Dr. Ruholl.

Staff Present: Provost Lord and Ms. Fopay.

Guests Present: Ms. Cassie Buchman, *Daily Eastern News*; Dr. Stefan Eckert, Music; Interim Associate Dean Chris Mitchell, College of Arts & Humanities; Dr. Lee Patterson, History; and Dr. Anita Shelton, History.

I. Approval of the October 29, 2015 CAA Meeting Minutes.

Dr. Reid moved and Ms. Duffin seconded the motion to approve the minutes. The minutes of October 29, 2015, were approved as written.

II. Communications:

a. College Curriculum Committee Minutes:

1. Minutes of the October 30, 2015 College of Sciences Curriculum Committee meeting.
2. Minutes of the November 4, 2015 College of Arts & Humanities Curriculum Committee meeting.
3. Minutes of the November 9, 2015 College of Education & Professional Studies Curriculum Committee meeting.
4. Minutes of the November 10, 2015 Lumpkin College of Business & Applied Sciences Curriculum Committee meeting.

Dr. White arrived at 2:04 p.m.

b. Executive Actions:

1. October 19, 2015 memorandum from Dean Izadi, LCBAS, requesting executive action to change the prerequisites for AET 4863 and AET 4865.

Ms. Smith arrived at 2:05 p.m.

c. Waiver Reports:

1. Academic Waiver Reports for October 2015 from Lumpkin College of Business & Applied Sciences, College of Arts & Humanities, College of Education & Professional Studies, and College of Sciences.

III. Committee Reports:

1. CASL:

Dr. Throneburg reported that the CASL had finished its work on the learning goals data and would like to share that information with the CAA at a future CAA meeting.

IV. Items Added to the Agenda:

1. 15-153, EDP 2330, Educational Psychology: Foundations for Teachers (New Course)
2. 15-154, Finance Major (Revised Major)
3. 15-155, AET 3163, Computer Programming in Technology (New Course)
4. 15-156, AET 4163, Computer Database in Technology (New Course)
5. 15-157, FCS 4752, Focus on Diabetes (Revised Course)
6. 15-158, FCS 4755, Nutrition for Physical Performance (Revised Course)
7. 15-159, FCS 4756, Adult Weight Management (Revised Course)

Dr. Anthony moved and Dr. Martinez seconded the motion to add these items to the agenda.

V. Items Acted Upon:

1. 15-147, HIS 4922, Doing Media History (New Course).

Dr. Shelton presented the proposal and answered questions of the council. The council requested a minor revision to the proposal.

Dr. Martinez moved and Dr. Reid seconded the motion to approve the proposal. The motion passed unanimously.

The proposal, with revision, was approved, effective Fall 2016.

HIS 4922. Doing Media History. (3-0-3) On Demand. This course serves as an introduction to media history and media archaeology, focusing on interdisciplinary approaches to the study of both “new” and “old” media. By working with archival sources both on campus and online, students learn and practice historical and critical approaches to media. WI

Mr. Simpson arrived at 2:07 p.m.

2. 15-148, HIS 3160, Ancient Iran (New Course).

Dr. Patterson presented the proposal and answered questions of the council. The council requested revisions to the proposal.

Dr. Reid moved and Mr. Simpson seconded the motion to approve the proposal. The motion passed unanimously.

The proposal, with revisions, was approved, effective Fall 2016.

HIS 3160. Ancient Iran. (3-0-3) On Demand. This course surveys the history, institutions, and culture of ancient Iran (Persia) from c.550 BCE to c.650 CE. Topics will include internal political structures (king and nobility, etc.), the nature and function of religion (Zoroastrianism, Christianity, etc.), Persian relations with the Greeks and the Romans, and Islamic-era legacies of ancient Persia. WI, NUS

3. 15-149, MUS 2502, Comprehensive Musicianship IV (Revised Course).

Dr. Eckert presented the proposal. There were no questions.

Mr. Simpson moved and Dr. Martinez seconded the motion to approve the proposal. The motion passed unanimously.

The proposal was approved, effective Fall 2016.

MUS 2502. Comprehensive Musicianship IV. (3-2-4) Building on the chromatic alterations and extensions covered in MUS 2501, this course focuses on part-writing, analysis, and performance of eighteenth- and nineteenth-century tonal compositions. Students analyze, write, recognize, perform, and explain compositions using tonal theory. A limit of 4 hours may be applied to a major or minor. Prerequisite: Placement through the Transfer Exam or successful completion of MUS 2501 with a grade of "C" or better.

4. 15-150, RUR 3960A, B, D, E: Special Topics in Rural Studies (New Course).

Dr. Reid presented the proposal and answered questions of the council.

Dr. Anthony moved and Mr. Simpson seconded the motion to approve the proposal. The motion passed unanimously.

The proposal was approved, effective Spring 2016.

RUR 3960A, B, D, E. Special Topics in Rural Studies Special Topics. (3-0-3) On Demand. Special Topics. Study of a rural topic (or topics) not typically presented in standard courses. Topics to be announced. Course may be repeated once. A limit of 3 hours may be applied to a major or minor.

5. 15-151, RUR 4400A, B, D, E: Independent Study in Rural Studies (New Course).

Dr. Reid presented the proposal and answered questions of the council. The council requested revisions to the proposal.

Dr. Martinez moved and Mr. Simpson seconded the motion to approve the proposal. The motion passed unanimously.

The proposal, with revisions, was approved, effective Spring 2016.

RUR 4400A, B, D, E. Independent Study in Rural Studies. (Arr.-0-1 to 3) On Demand. Independent Study. Intensive individual study on a topic selected by student under the supervision of a faculty member, and with the approval of the faculty mentor, department chair of the faculty mentor, and the Rural Studies minor's curricular chair. A limit of 3 hours may be applied to a major or minor. WI

6. 15-152, Rural Studies Minor (Revised Minor).

Dr. Reid presented the proposal. There were no questions.

Dr. Martinez moved and Mr. Simpson seconded the motion to approve the proposal. The motion passed unanimously.

The proposal (**See Attachment A**) was approved, effective Fall 2016.

VI. Pending:

1. 15-104, Review of the Faculty Laureate Award Nomination Process and Procedures.
2. 15-146, CTE 3000G, Consumers in the Marketplace (Revised Course)

VII. Ongoing:

1. Multi-year plan regarding the University Learning Goals (For details concerning the plan, see agenda Item 13-83, CAA Learning Goals Committee's Recommendations & Resolution, which was approved by CAA at its 4/25/13 meeting.)

VIII. Meeting Adjournment:

1. Dr. Reid moved and Dr. White seconded the motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was approved by acclamation.

The meeting adjourned 2:20 p.m.

The next meeting will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, December 3, 2015.

–Minutes prepared by Ms. Janet Fopay, Recording Secretary

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***** **ANNOUNCEMENT OF NEXT MEETING** *****
December 3, 2015
Room 4440, Booth Library @ 2:00 p.m.

Agenda:

1. 15-153, EDP 2330, Educational Psychology: Foundations for Teachers (New Course)
2. 15-154, Finance Major (Revised Major)
3. 15-155, AET 3163, Computer Programming in Technology (New Course)
4. 15-156, AET 4163, Computer Database in Technology (New Course)
5. 15-157, FCS 4752, Focus on Diabetes (Revised Course)
6. 15-158, FCS 4755, Nutrition for Physical Performance (Revised Course)
7. 15-159, FCS 4756, Adult Weight Management (Revised Course)

Pending:

1. 15-146, CTE 3000G, Consumers in the Marketplace. (Revised Course)

Approved Executive Actions:

BAS

Effective Spring 2016

1. Remove the writing-intensive designation from MAR 4100.

MAR 4100 - Special Topics in Marketing. (3-0-3) On Demand. Special topics in marketing. Topics to be announced. . Course may be repeated once, with permission of the School of Business Associate Chair, as topics change. **WI** Prerequisites & Notes: BUS 3470, admission to the School of Business or permission of the School of Business Associate Chair. Specific additional prerequisites will depend on the topic. Credits: 3

CAH**Effective Spring 2016**

1. Add the cultural diversity designation to PHI 2590G and RLS 1290G.

General Education***Cultural Diversity**

Eastern Illinois University seeks to foster cultural understanding to assist its students to become responsible citizens in a diverse world. The general education curriculum furthers this objective by requiring students to complete at least one course carrying the cultural diversity designation.

To receive the cultural diversity designation, courses will:

1. Include one or more of the following as their focus or as a means to explore some other topic:
 - a. the study of diverse peoples (including issues of class, disability, ethnicity, gender, race, and sexual orientation) in the U.S. and abroad;
 - b. the history, language, and/or traditions (anthropological, artistic, literary, philosophical, political, or sociological) of other countries or cultures;
 - c. the role of cultural sensitivity in making informed and ethical decisions.
2. Reinforce the importance of attending to a plurality of voices (including those from traditionally underrepresented groups) to better understand human history, culture, and decision making.
3. Include among their outcomes the goal of enabling students to appreciate, live, and work with people who are different from them.

Cultural diversity courses are marked with an asterisk following the course title.

General Education Courses Listed by Segment

Complete descriptions of courses are available in catalog section titled "Course Descriptions".

Humanities and Fine Arts**(9 Semester Hours)**

The student must successfully complete at least one course from humanities and one from fine arts; courses must represent at least two different disciplines.

Humanities**Religious Studies**

- RLS 1200G - Introduction to Religious Studies. Credits: 3
(See above *)
- RLS 1290G - Introduction to Religious Studies, Honors. Credits: 3
(See above *)

Social and Behavioral Sciences**(9 Semester Hours)**

Courses must be selected from at least two different disciplines.

Philosophy

- PHI 2500G - The Good Life: An Introduction to Ethics. Credits: 3
(See above *)
- PHI 2590G - The Good Life: An Introduction to Ethics, Honors. Credits: 3
(See above *)
- PHI 3050G - Social and Political Philosophy. Credits: 3
- PHI 3700G - Language and Human Nature. Credits: 3

Pending Executive Actions:

BAS

Effective Summer 2016

1. Remove all of the course prerequisites from AET 4863.

AET 4863 - Packaging Technologies. (2-2-3) On-Demand. Detailed study of the practical applications of package design for specific products including membrane switches, and theory of Radio Frequency Identification (RFID) printing processes. Specialty inks and coatings such as conductive inks, UV inks, food-grade inks, and microencapsulated inks will be explored. ~~Prerequisites and Notes: AET 1363, AET 3343, junior standing; or permission of instructor.~~ Credits: 3

2. Delete all of the course prerequisites from AET 4865.

AET 4865 - Digital Media Publishing Technologies. (2-2-3) On Demand. A study of e-Publishing technology. This course will focus on the study of authoring multimedia and web technologies for creating applications and solutions for web sites, education, training, and advertising solutions via the internet and mobile devices. ~~Prerequisites and Notes: A grade of "C" or better in AET 1363 and AET 3343 or permission of chair.~~ Credits: 3

Attachment A**Rural Studies Minor**

(18 hours)

The minor in rural studies provides students with opportunities to learn about rural issues from multiple disciplinary perspectives, and apply interdisciplinary research theory and method to address real rural issues.

Core Courses (6 hours)

- GEG 3330 - Agricultural Geography. Credits: 3
- HIS 3801 - Rural History. Credits: 3

Elective Courses (12 hours; no more than 6 hours earned from one discipline)

- **ANT 3900 - Hunters and Gatherers. Credits 3**
- CMN 3260 - Communication of Class in US Culture. Credits 3
- ECN 3810 - Economics of Natural Resources. Credits 3
- ECN 3870 - Agricultural Economics. Credits 3
- ENG 3706 - American Regional Literature. Credits 3
- FCS 4854 - Parent-Child Study and Community Involvement. Credits 3
- ~~GEG 3310 - Introduction to Biogeography. Credits 3~~
- GEG 3320 - Natural Resource Conservation. Credits 3
- **GEG 3340 - Land Change Science. Credits 3**
- GEG 3780 - Land Use Planning. Credits 3
- HIS 3810 - History of Illinois. Credits 3
- PLS 3603 - State and Local Government. Credits 3
- PLS 3763 - Environmental Politics and Policy. Credits 3
- PLS 4793 - Civic and Nonprofit Leadership. Credits 3
- **RUR 3960A, B, D, E - Special Topics in Rural Studies. Credits 3**
- **RUR 4400A, B, D, E - Independent Study. Credits 3**
- **SOC 3622 - Population. Credits 3**
- **SOC 3820 - Environmental Sociology. Credits 3**
- **SOC 4131 - Sociology of Poverty and Social Welfare. Credits 3**