

# General Curriculum Report #213

UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO - REGISTRAR'S OFFICE

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To: MEMBERS OF THE RESIDENT FACULTY

The items listed below will be considered to have the necessary faculty approvals unless a petition requesting further consideration of specific items is signed by five faculty members and submitted to the chair of the Faculty Council within 14 calendar days after the date of circulation. If no petition is received within 14 days, the entire report will be submitted to the president for approval and transmittal to the regents, if regents action is required. If a petition is received, the items in the report for which further consideration is requested will be referred to the Faculty Council and the remainder of the report will move forward. On items referred to it, the council may: (1) affirm the action and report it to a meeting of the university faculty, (2) amend the action and report it to a meeting of the university faculty, or (3) rescind the action. NOTE: If a petition concerns courses or curricula in the College of L & S or in the College of Agriculture, and is signed by five faculty members of the respective college, those items will be returned to the college concerned for further consideration.

## ACCOUNTING

1. Change the prerequisite to Acct 385, Cost and Management Accounting (3 cr), from "Prereq: Acct 300; prereq or coreq: Acct 301 and 305, and Bus 370 or 340-345" to "Prereq: Acct 201, 202, and Stat 251 or 271." [Summer 2001]
2. Change the prerequisite to Acct J430/J530, Accounting for Public Sector Entities (3 cr), from "Prereq: Acct 301" to "Prereq: Acct 201, 202." [Summer 2001]
3. Change the prerequisite to Acct 483, Federal and State Taxes I (3 cr), from "Prereq: BLaw 265, Acct 301," to "Prereq: Acct 201, 202." [Summer 2001]
4. Change the major in accounting (B.S.Bus.) by (a) moving Acct 483, Federal and State Taxes I, from the elective list to a required course and (b) decreasing the credits required for accounting electives from "9 cr" to "6 cr." [Summer 2001]
5. Add the following academic minor [Summer 2001]:

### ACCOUNTING MINOR

- Acct 201 Introduction to Financial Accounting (3 cr)
- Acct 202 Introduction to Managerial Accounting (3 cr)
- Acct 300 Accounting Concepts and Systems (3 cr)
- Acct 305 Accounting Information Systems (3 cr)
- Two courses selected from the following (6 cr)
  - Acct 301 Corporate Accounting & Reporting

- Acct 381 Accounting for Managers & Investors or 385 Cost & Mgt Accounting
- Acct 430 Accounting for Public Sector Entities
- Acct 483 Federal & State Taxes I
- Acct 484 Federal & State Taxes II
- Acct 486 Contemporary Management Accounting Issues
- Acct 490 Advanced Corporate Accounting & Reporting
- Acct 492 Auditing & Controls
- BLaw 420 Commercial Law

## **AGRICULTURAL ECONOMICS**

1. Change the B.S.Ag.Econ. core course requirements by (a) deleting "may not also be used to satisfy the core requirements in regulation J-3-d" from Econ 201-202 (6 cr) and (b) deleting "may not include Econ 201-202" from humanities and social sciences (at least 6 cr of each) (14 cr). [Summer 2001]
2. Change the major in agricultural economics (B.S.Ag.Econ.) by changing the required credits for the degree from 132 credits to 128 credits. [Summer 2001]
3. Change the major in agribusiness (B.S.Ag.Econ.) by (a) deleting "Math, stat, or CS electives above the specific requirements (3-4 cr)" and (b) changing the required credits for the degree from 132 credits to 128 credits. [Summer 2001]
4. Change the major in natural resources and rural development (B.S.Ag.Econ.) by (a) deleting "Math, stat, or CS electives above the specific requirements (3-4 cr)" and (b) changing the required credits for the degree from 132 credits to 128 credits. [Summer 2001]

## **ANIMAL AND VETERINARY SCIENCE**

Change the title and description of AVS J411/J511 to read [Summer 2001]:

AVS J411/J511 ~~Microbiology and Physiology of Ruminant Nutrition~~ (3 cr). ~~Physiology and microbiology aspects of ruminant digestion and their influence on the metabolism of extraruminal tissues; interpretation of nutritive requirements in terms of rumen microbiology activities; evaluation of research techniques~~ Intro to anatomy of digestive tract of ruminant; focus on ruminal and postruminal carbohydrate, protein, and lipid metabolism; ruminal bacteria, protozoa and fungi, microbe-microbe interactions and their role in nutrients utilization; compartmentation of the rumen and microbial protein synthesis; practical aspects of ruminant nutrition and intro to current feeding systems; research techniques in studying ruminal degradation and digesta kinetics. Additional projects/assignments reqd for grad cr. Prereq: perm. (Alt/yrs)

## **BIOLOGY**

Change the title of Biol 211 from "General Entomology" to "Insect Biology." [Summer 2001]

## **BUSINESS**

1. Change the description of Bus 101, Introduction to Business Enterprises (3 cr), by (a) deleting "Open to freshmen and sophomores only (less than 58 credits)" and (b) adding "May not be taken for credit after Bus 311 or 342." [Summer 2001]
2. Add Bus 260 Student Investment Fund Management (1 cr, max arr). Open only to freshman and sophomore students participating in the A.D. and J.E. Davis Student Investment Program. "Hands on" experience in investment management; students manage a funded portfolio in terms of establishing objectives, security selection, asset allocation, and portfolio performance. Graded P/F. Prereq: perm. [Summer 2001]
3. Add Bus 424 Pricing Strategy and Tactics (3 cr). Formulation of pricing strategies and tactics for new and existing products and services; survey of pricing dynamics; competitor response to pricing strategies at the firm and product level; assessment of buyer price sensitivity. Prereq: Bus 321 or 345. [Summer 2001]
4. Drop Bus 436, Economic and Business Forecasting (3 cr) [dormant]. [Summer 2000]
5. Add Bus 460 Advanced Student Investment Fund Management (1 cr, max arr). Open only to students participating in the A.D. and J.E. Davis Student Investment Program. "Hands on" experience in investment management; students manage a funded portfolio in terms of establishing objectives, security selection, asset allocation, and portfolio performance. Graded P/F. Prereq: perm. [Summer 2001]
6. Drop Bus 513, Human Behavior in Organizations (3 cr) [dormant]. [Summer 2000]
7. Drop Bus 525, Industrial Management (3 cr) [dormant]. [Summer 2000]
8. Drop Bus 532, Quantitative Techniques (3 cr) [dormant]. [Summer 2000]
9. Drop Bus 541, Labor Relations (3 cr) [dormant]. [Summer 2000]
10. Drop Bus 572, Operations Planning and Scheduling (3 cr) [dormant]. [Summer 2000]
11. Drop Bus 580, Business Policy (3 cr) [dormant]. [Summer 2000]

## **CHEMISTRY**

Change the major in chemistry: professional (B.S.) as follows [Summer 2001]:

Required course work includes the university requirements (see regulation J-3), the general L&S requirements for the B.S. degree, the courses listed in the "Chemistry General" curriculum (above), and:

- Chem 454 Instrumental Analysis (3 cr)

- Chem 463-464, 465 Inorganic Chemistry & Lab (7 cr)
- MMBB 380 Introductory Biochemistry or Chem 472 Rationale Design of Pharmaceuticals (3-4 cr)
- Foreign language courses (8 cr)

and either two additional chemistry courses having Chem 306 as a prerequisite, or ~~an alternate upper division course in math or physics in combination with one chemistry course having Chem 306 as a prerequisite~~ two advanced chemistry courses approved by the Chemistry Department in accordance with American Chemical Society stipulations.

## COMMUNICATION

1. Change the description of Comm 374, Broadcast Newswriting and Reporting (3 cr), by adding "Prereq: Comm 121 or perm." [Summer 2001]
2. Change the credits of Comm 375, Video Program Production, from "2-4 cr, max 4" to "3 cr," and change the prerequisite from "Comm 374" to "Comm 275." [Summer 2001]
3. Change the description of Comm 433, Organizational Communication Theory and Research (3 cr), by adding "Prereq: Comm 235." [Summer 2001]
4. Change the description of Comm 458, Public Relations Case Studies and Issues Management (3 cr), by changing the prerequisite from "Comm 452" to "Comm 252." [Summer 2001]
5. Change the description of Comm 475, Advanced Video Production (3 cr), by changing the prerequisite from "Comm 275" to "Comm 375." [Summer 2001]
6. Change the requirements for all majors in the School of Communication by deleting "one 3-credit course in computer science." [Summer 2001]

## ENTOMOLOGY

1. Change the title and description of Ent 211 to read [Summer 2001]:

Ent 211 ~~General Entomology~~ Insect Biology (4 cr). *May be used as core credit in J-3-b.* Same as Biol 211. ~~Structure, development, classification, habits, and ecology of insects~~ Classification, structure, and ecology of insects, and their importance to human society. Three lec and one 3-hr lab a wk.

2. Drop Ent 544, Systematic Entomology (3 cr) [dormant]. [Fall 2000]

## FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCE

1. Change the number, title, and description of FCS ID429 to read [Summer 2001]:

~~FCS ID429 Current Issues in Clothing and Textiles~~ ID119 Fashion from Concept to Consumer (3 cr) (FCS ID429). WSU AMT 314. Discussion of major topics of current interest in clothing and textiles including theory, research, and application in today's world Intro to the sewn product manufacturing and merchandising industry; focus on social-psychological, cultural, historic, aesthetic, design, business, and economic factors; emphasis on careers in the sewn products industry. Prereq: ~~FCS 129, 329~~ or perm.

2. Change the title of FCS 560 from "Family Resource Management" to "Resource Management Across the Lifespan." [Summer 2001]

## **FISHERY RESOURCES**

1. Change the title of Fish ID422 from "Aquaculture" to "Concepts in Aquaculture." [Fall 2000]

2. Change the credits of Fish 511, Fish Physiology, from "4 cr" to "2 cr." [Fall 2000]

3. Add Fish 515 Large River Fisheries (2 cr). Management issues and problems in large river fisheries in North America and globally; importance of flood plains; ecological bases for management actions in large rivers; river fisheries in the context of multiple use of large rivers. (Alt/yrs; fall only) [Summer 2001]

## **FOOD SCIENCE AND TOXICOLOGY**

Drop FST ID210, The Science of Viticulture and Enology (2 cr). [Summer 2000]

## **FOREST RESOURCES**

1. Change the credits and description For 472 to read [Spring 2001]:

For 472 Remote Sensing of the Environment (~~3-cr~~ 3-4 cr). Current airborne and satellite systems, data acquisition on ground and from remote locations, instrumentation, imagery interpretation and digital analysis, applications for natural ~~resources~~ resource management. One additional two-hour lab per week for fourth credit.

2. Change the major in forest resources (B.S.For.Res.) by [Summer 2001]:

- dropping "Math 144 or high school trigonometry" as a deficiency
- adding For 102 as a required course
- changing the elective list to include "ForP 250," "Rnge 251," "RRT 287," or "Fish/WLF 290 or Fish 314 or WLF 314" (4-6 cr).

3. Change the major in forest resources (administration option) by [Summer 2001]:

- changing the name of the option from "Administration Option" to "Business Minor Option"
- changing For 476 and 477 to For 476 OR 477

- dropping Acct 201, the operating environment restrictive electives, the business skills restrictive electives, and the additional upper-division course from either of the above restrictive elective groups
- adding the Business Minor
- adding For 375, Air Photo Interpretation and Mapping, as a required course

4. Change the major in forest resources (forest ecosystem management option) by adding WLF 314 and Fish 314 to the list of ecology restrictive electives. [Summer 2001]

## **HISTORY**

1. Add Hist 456 Anti-Semitism and the Holocaust (3 cr). The roots and character of European anti-Semitism from the Roman Empire to the Nazis and beyond; special focus on the Third Reich and World War II. [Summer 2001]

2. Change the title of Hist J470/J570 from "Germany and Central Europe Since 1815" to "Modern Germany, 1815-present." [Summer 2001]

## **LAW**

1. Add Law 912 Civil Mediation (2 cr). Dynamics, benefits, and skills needed in third-party intervention in the settlement of civil disputes; step-by-step introduction to mediation process; examination of mediation as a collaborative process of resolving conflicts and assisting disputants to reach mutually satisfactory agreements. The final paper required in this course does not count toward the upper-division writing requirement. Graded P/F. [Spring 2001]

2. Add Law 913 Family Mediation (2 cr). The process of divorce mediation from initial consultation through and beyond settlement; dispute resolution theory and the practical application of these theories. The final paper required in this course does not count toward the upper-division writing requirement. Graded P/F. [Spring 2001]

3. Add Law 976 Semester in Practice (12 cr). Open only to students in their last year of law school. Externing in the public sector under the supervision of a field placement supervisor and the College of Law director of external programs. Field placement and a weekly classroom component. [Spring 2001]

## **MEDICAL SCIENCE**

Move MedS ID&WS530, Epidemiology (2 cr), to the dormant list. [Fall 2000]

## **MICROBIOLOGY, MOLECULAR BIOLOGY AND BIOCHEMISTRY**

Change the credits of MMBB 382, Introductory Biochemistry Laboratory, from "1 cr" to "2 cr." [Summer 2001]

## **NATURAL RESOURCES**

Change the major in natural resources ecology and conservation biology (B.S.Nat.Res.Ecol.-Cons.Biol.) (both options) by (a) deleting Bot 432, Plant Ecology, from the ecology restricted electives list and (b) adding Fish 314, Fish Ecology, to the ecology restricted electives list. [Summer 2001]

## **PHYSICS**

1. Change the title, credits, and description of Phys 200 to read [Summer 2001]:

Phys 200 (s) Physics Seminar (re-arr 1 cr, max 8). Prereq: perm. Introductory-level discussion of topics in modern physics; introduction to physics research topics and scientific information search techniques; written and/or oral reports of a pertinent topic in current physics.

2. Change the major in physics (B.A. or B.S.) by adding Phys 200, Physics Seminar (4 cr). [Summer 2000]

## **PLANT SCIENCE**

1. Drop PISc WS411, Seed Science and Technology (3 cr) [dormant]. [Fall 2000]

2. Drop PISc WS527, Experimental Methods in Weed Science (2 cr) [dormant]. [Fall 2000]

3. Drop PISc ID541 Analytical Methods for Phytopathological Research (3 cr). [Spring 2001]

4. Drop PISc WS550, Advanced Cell Biology (3 cr) [dormant]. [Fall 2000]

## **RANGELAND ECOLOGY AND MANAGEMENT**

Change the course prefix description from "Range Resources (Rnge)" to "Rangeland Ecology and Management (Rnge)." [Summer 2001]

## **RESOURCE RECREATION AND TOURISM**

1. Change the number of RRT 394, Natural Resources Communication (3 cr), to RRT 494. [Summer 2001]

2. Change the major in resource recreation and tourism (B.S.Res.Rc.) by (a) dropping RRT 398, Internship (6-9 cr) and (b) adding RRT 498, Internship (6-9 cr). [Summer 2001]

## **SOILS**

1. Drop Soil 401, Undergraduate Research (1-2 cr, max 4) [dormant]. [Fall 2000]

2. Drop Soil WS531, Advanced Soil Biochemistry and Microbiology (2 cr, max 4) [dormant]. [Fall 2000]

## **FOR THE FACULTY'S INFORMATION**

The following actions concerning cooperative courses have been approved since the most recent report:

- Add "ID" to FCS 411, Global Nutrition (3 cr). WSU FSHN 411. [Spring 2001]
- Change the title of FST WS506 from "Principles of Pharmacology I" to "Principles of Pharmacology" and change the credits from "3 cr" to "2 cr." [Spring 2001]

Add "ID" to MMBB 450, Molecular Mechanisms in Microbiology (2 cr). WSU Micro 450. [Summer 2000]