3-17-2025 UCC MEETING REPORT FOR 3-20-2025 FACULTY SENATE MEETING



UCC MEETING SUMMARY

CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS: FALL 2025 (7 TOTAL)

- Course Title Updates: (1)
 - COMM 3240: Investigative War Reporting updated to Investigative Reporting
- Course Description Update: (1)
 - COMM 3240: Investigative Reporting
- Course Deletions: (4)
 - COMM 2400: Writing for Electronic Media
 - COMM 2720: Intro to Internet
 - COMM 3650: Popular Culture in the South
 - HHP 5530: Financial Accounting in Healthcare
- Program Department Update (1)
 - Film Studies Minor moved to Department of Communication



ACTION AGENDA ITEMS (FALL 2025 IMPLEMENTATION)

COAL

- Department of Languages and Literature
 - Undergraduate New Course
 - GREK 4999: Advanced Reading in Ancient Greek Authors
 - LATN 4999: Advanced Readings in Latin Literature
- Department of History & Philosophy
 - Undergraduate Program Modification
 - History, BS
 - Removing minor requirement and adding 3 upper-level credits to major requirements
 - History Education Concentration in BS History
 - Changing capstone course from HIST 4950 (Teaching Social Studies in Secondary Schools to EDUC 4955 (Teaching Social Studies in the 6-12 Classroom
 - Adding additional hour of EDUC 2100 (Foundations of Education)

ACTION AGENDA ITEMS (CONTINUED)

CoBHS

- Department of Health & Human Performance
 - Undergraduate Program Modification
 - Sport, Wellness, and Coaching Concentration in BS HHP
 - Update program name from Sport and Wellness Specialist to Sport, Wellness, and Coaching concentration
 - Undergraduate New Certificate
 - Physical Education
 - For those interested in PE in K-12 environments to add PE endorsement to an existing license
 - Graduate New Certificate
 - Healthcare Administration
 - 9-hour online graduate credential
- Department of Leadership
 - Graduate Program Modification
 - Community Leadership Concentration and Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion
 Concentration in MSL Leadership
 - Removing LDSP 5105 (Project Planning and Scheduling) and LDSP 5420 (Applied Project Management) from electives
 - Adding LDSP 5999 (Graduate Civic Leadership Program Completion) to electives)
 - Community and Organizational Leadership Certificate
 - Reducing hours from 12 to 9; reducing electives from 2 to 1
 - Adding LDSP 5999 to electives
- Department of Political Science and Public Management
 - Undergraduate New Course
 - PM 3009: Bioterrorism, Preparedness, Surveillance, and Mitigation
 - Undergraduate Program Modification
 - Public Management, BS
 - Adding PM 2000 (Introduction to Emergency Management) as elective
 - Public Management Minor
 - Adding PM 2000 as elective
 - Public Policy Minor
 - Will take POLS 2010, POLS 2040, PM 3235, and 9 credits of electives in a variety of fields.
- Department of Social Work
 - Graduate Program Modification
 - Trauma-Focused Concentration in MSW Social Work
 - Updating electives to include SW 6430 Children's Mental Health

ACTION AGENDA ITEMS (CONTINUED)

College of Business

- Department of Management and Marketing
 - Undergraduate New Course
 - BUS 0900: Business Student Success
 - Non-credit course for business majors experiencing academic struggles or needing structure.
 - Provides a quiet space to focus on study skills.

College of Education

- Department of Teaching and Learning
 - Undergraduate Program Modification
 - 6-8 Middle School (Math) Concentration in BS Education
 - Updating the 12 hours of the Grow Your Own electives which take the place of the student teaching requirements.
 - 6-8 Middle Grades (Social Studies) in BS Education
 - Updating multiple courses and course numbers
 - Updating the title



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University Curriculum Committee Meeting Summary (March 17, 2025)

Category	Item	Department/Program	Description
Consent Agenda	Course Title Update	COMM 3240	Changing from "Investigative War Reporting" to "Investigative Reporting"
	Course Description Update	COMM 3240	Old: "Student will delve into the intellectual and practical worlds of investigative war reporting" New: "Students will delve into the intellectual and practical worlds of investigative reporting"
	Course Deletion	COMM 2400	"Writing for Electronic Media" - No longer part of curriculum, material covered in other courses
	Course Deletion	COMM 2720	"Intro to Internet" - No longer part of curriculum, material covered in other courses
	Course Deletion	COMM 3650	"Popular Culture in the South" - Has not been taught in six years
	Course Deletion	HHP 5530	"Financial Accounting in Healthcare" - Part of Executive Certificate in Healthcare Administration which never had enrollment
	Program Department Update	Film Studies Minor	Moving from Languages and Literature to Communication department
Action Agenda	College of Arts and Letters		
	New Course	Languages & Literature	GREK 4999 - "Advanced Reading in Ancient Greek Authors" - Selected advanced readings in Greek prose or poetry including authors like Herodotus, Homer, Lysias, Plato, Euripides, and Sophocles
	New Course	Languages & Literature	LATN 4999 - "Advanced Readings in Latin Literature" - Selected advanced readings in Latin prose or poetry including authors like Caesar, Vergil, Livy, Cicero, and Ovid

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	Program Modification	History, BS	Removing the minor requirement (History Education will still require Professional Education Secondary minor); Adding three upper level credits to major requirements
	Program Modification	History Education Concentration	Changing required capstone from HIST 4950 to EDUC 4955; Adding the additional hour of EDUC 2100 into program calculation
	College of Behavioral and Health Sciences		
	Program Modification	Health & Human Performance	Updating name from "Sport and Wellness Specialist" to "Sport, Wellness, and Coaching concentration"; Updating courses and layout
	New Certificate (Undergrad)	Physical Education	Program for completing required coursework to add PE endorsement to existing teaching license
	New Certificate (Graduate)	Healthcare Administration	9-hour online program with courses in Management, Law, Policy, Conflict Management, Economic Policy, Quality Outcomes, Financial Planning, and Health Informatics; Credits transfer to MHA degree
	New Certificate (Graduate)	Physical Education	Program for K-12 PE endorsement with preparation for PE Praxis Exam
	Program Modification	MSL Leadership (Community)	Removing LDSP 5105 and LDSP 5420 from electives; Adding LDSP 5999 to electives
	Program Modification	Community & Organizational Leadership Certificate	Reducing from 12 to 9 hours; Reducing electives from "Complete two" to "Complete one"; Adding LDSP 5999 to electives
	Program Modification	MSL Leadership (DEI)	Removing LDSP 5105 and LDSP 5420 from electives; Adding LDSP 5999 to electives
	New Course	Political Science	PM 3009 - "Bioterrorism, Preparedness, Surveillance, and Mitigation" - Interdisciplinary approach covering public

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			health, epidemiology, emergency management, and biodefense
	Program Modification	Public Management, BS	Adding PM 2000 "Introduction to Emergency Management" as an elective
	Program Modification	Public Management Minor	Adding PM 2000 "Introduction to Emergency Management" as an elective
	Program Modification	Public Policy Minor	Structured around POLS 2010 and two- course sequence (POLS 2040 and PM 3235); Students choose 9 hours of electives for specialization in areas like economic policy, social policy, healthcare, etc.
	Program Modification	MSW Social Work (Trauma)	Adding SW 6430 "Children's Mental Health" to course electives
	College of Business		
	New Course	Management & Marketing	BUS 0900 - "Business Student Success" - Non- credit course for business majors experiencing academic struggles; Provides structured quiet space for academic preparation
	College of Education		
	Program Modification	6-8 Middle School (Math)	Updating 12 hours of "Grow your Own Electives" which replace student teaching requirements
	Program Modification	6-8 Middle Grades (Social Studies)	Updating multiple courses and course numbers; Confirming title as "6-8 Middle Grades (Social Studies)"