Curriculum Bulletin #1

The following curriculum information is presented to the University Community for its consideration. In accordance with the procedures of the University Curriculum Committee, Graduate Council and Undergraduate Council, objections to all proposed new courses, programs or program/course modifications should be communicated, in writing, within two weeks of the publication date of this bulletin, to Professor Nagarajan Prabakar, Engineering (Curriculum Committee), Professor Fred Blevens, Journalism (Graduate Council) or Professors Tania Rivera, Public Health, and Karen Fuller, CARTA (Undergraduate Council).

Hearings

NAME: New Majors in Ph.D. – Global and Sociocultural:
1. Geography
2. Sociocultural Anthropology
3. Sociology

COLLEGE: College of Arts and Sciences
DATE: Friday, October 22, 2010
TIME: 9:00AM – 9:45AM
PLACE: GL 835 and LIB 155
CONTACT: Kathleen Martin (Joint Graduate Council & Curriculum Committee Hearing)

NAME: New Major in Ph.D. Public Administration: Criminal Justice

COLLEGE: College of Arts and Sciences
DATE: Friday, October 22, 2010
TIME: 9:45AM – 10:15AM
PLACE: GL 835 and LIB 155
CONTACT: Allan Rosenbaum (Joint Graduate Council & Curriculum Committee Hearing)

NAME: New Degree in Decision Sciences: M.S in Health Informatics and Management Systems Contact: Gloria Deckard
New Track in Decision Sciences M.B.A.: Hospitality Management Contact: Clark Wheatley

COLLEGE: College of Business Administration
DATE: Friday, October 22, 2010
TIME: 10:15AM- 11:00AM
PLACE: GL 835 and LIB 155 (Joint Graduate Council & Curriculum Committee Hearing)

NAME: Graduate Admission Standards – GRE Requirement Change and TOEFL Requirement Change

Changes to the Ph.D. in Nursing

COLLEGE: College of Nursing and Health Sciences
DATE: Friday, October 22, 2010
TIME: 11:00AM-Noon
PLACE: GL 835 and LIB 155
CONTACT: Anahid Kulwicki (Graduate Council)
COURSE REVISION FOR GLOBAL LEARNING DESIGNATION

The following proposals have been submitted for Global Learning Designation and will be heard by the Faculty Senate Ad Hoc Global Learning Curriculum Oversight Committee. You may click on the course name to view the proposal’s supporting documents.

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PROPOSALS AND CHANGES LISTED BY COLLEGE AND DEPARTMENT

The following proposals and changes, which do not require hearings, are listed below for review by the university community and may be accessed by clicking on the hyperlinks. Faculty contact names are listed and may be reached with questions and problems.

COLLEGE OF ARCHITECTURE AND THE ARTS

- **Music**
  - Changes to the Graduate Track in Choral Conducting – Contact: John Augenblick
  - Changes to the Graduate Track in Composition – Contact: Orlando Garcia
  - Changes to the Graduate Track in Jazz Performance – Contact: Gary Campbell
  - Changes to the Undergraduate Track in Jazz Performance – Contact: David Dolata

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

- **Asian Studies**
  - Changes to the Graduate Certificate in Asian Globalization – Contact: Steven Heine
  - Changes to the Graduate Certificate in Asian Studies – Contact: Steven Heine

- **Criminal Justice**
  - Changes to the B.S. in Criminal Justice – Contact: Lisa Stolzenberg
  - Changes to the M.S. in Criminal Justice – Contact: Lisa Stolzenberg

- **Earth and Environment**
  - Changes to the Graduate Certificate in Geographic Information Systems – Contact: Dean Whitman
  - Changes to the Undergraduate Certificate in Biodiversity Conservation and Management – Contact: Joel Heinen

- **Global and Sociocultural Studies**
  - Changes to the Ph.D. in Global and Sociocultural Studies – Contact: Kathleen Martin

- **Public Administration**
  - Changes to the Graduate Track in Criminal Justice Administration – Contact: Allan Rosenbaum

- **Psychology**
  - Changes to the B.A. in Psychology – Contact: Mary Levitt
COLLEGE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

- **DECISION SCIENCES AND INFORMATION SYSTEMS**
  Changes to the Graduate Certificate in Health Informatics and Management Systems – Contact: Gloria Deckard

- **GRADUATE SCHOOL**
  Changes to the Professional Master of Business Administration – Contact: Clark Wheatley
  Changes to the Graduate Certificate in Healthcare Management – Contact: Nancy Borkowski

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND COMPUTING

- **BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING**
  Changes to the Graduate Professional Track – Contact: Anthony McGoron

SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM AND MASS COMMUNICATION

- **ADVERTISING AND PUBLIC RELATIONS**
  Changes to the Graduate Certificate: Integrated Communications: Advertising and Public Relations – Contact: C. Suris
  Changes to the Graduate Global Strategic Communications: Creative Track: – Contact: Rosanna Fiske
  Changes to the M.S. in Mass Communication – Contact: Rosanna Fiske
  Changes to the M.S. in Mass Communication - Creative Track – Contact: Rosanna Fiske
  Changes to the Undergraduate Advertising Track – Contact: Carlos Suris
  Changes to the Undergraduate Public Relations Track – Contact: Carlos Suris

- **JOURNALISM**
  Changes to the Undergraduate Track in Journalism – Contact: Carlos Suris

COLLEGE OF NURSING AND HEALTH SCIENCES

- **NURSING**
  Changes to the Graduate Certificate in Culturally Competent Nursing Education – Contact: Lucie Dlugasch
  Changes to the MSN to Foreign-Educated Physician Track – Contact: Liwliwa Villagomeza
  Changes to the Post Master's Certificate in Nursing Education – Contact: Lucie Dlugasch
  Changes to the RN-BSN – Contact: Margaret Hamilton

COLLEGE OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND SOCIAL WORK

- **EPIDEMIOLOGY AND BIOSTATISTICS**
  Changes to the Masters of Public Health and Biostatistics Track – Contact: Theophile Niyonsenga
  Health Policy and Management
  Changes to the Graduate Health Policy and Management Track – Contact: Gilbert Ramirez

NEW COURSES AND COURSE CHANGES – LISTED BY COLLEGE/ SCHOOL/DEPARTMENT

**COLLEGE OF ARCHITECTURE AND THE ARTS**

- **COMMUNICATION ARTS**
  NEW COURSE REQUESTS

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<td>Advanced Communication for Business</td>
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<td>Advanced communication course that emphasizes the identification of communication situations specific to business and the professions. Analysis of variables related to advanced business communication. Prerequisite: Full admittance into the College of Business</td>
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<td>Managerial Communication</td>
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<td>Students examine effective communication in hiring and promoting, in conflict, in community interaction and in the internal communication of an organization.</td>
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<td>COM 3XXX</td>
<td>Nonverbal Communication</td>
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<td>Study of nonlinguistic and paralinguistic aspects of communication, including personal space, body language, eye contact, touch, and paralanguage.</td>
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<td>COM 3XXX</td>
<td>Organizational Communication</td>
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<td>Explores the role of communication in organizations, as well as the role of technology, corporate culture, leadership, teamwork, ethics, and diversity in effective communication among organizations.</td>
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<td>COM 4XXX</td>
<td>Communication on Ethics</td>
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<td>Students will examine conceptual perspectives for understanding and evaluating communication ethics in interpersonal relationships, small groups, organizations, and intercultural contexts.</td>
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COM 4XXX  Communication in Film  3 credits
This course will examine the unique relationship between communication and film from the 1920s (the era of silent film) through today.

COM 4XXX  Conflict Management  3 credits
Students will analyze conflict management concepts, principles, strategies and techniques, and examine the communication skills needed for productive conflict management or resolution.

COM 4XXX  Directed Independent Studies in Communication Arts  1-3 credits
Specialized intensive study in a specific area of special interest to the student.
Prerequisites: Permission of the instructor and the Department Chair

COM 4XXX  Healthcare Communication  3 credits
This course will review health communication through an examination of theoretical frameworks, communication techniques, and technologies that promote the health of individuals and communities.

COM 4XXX  International Business Communication  3 credits
This course will provide students with the theoretical and experiential framework for examining the meaning of communication in global business.

COM 4XXX  Internship in Communication Arts  1-6 credits
On-the-job learning experiences at approved organizations allows interns to assist and observe all job functions and duties related to various aspects of communication within their respective industry.

COM 4XXX  Organizational Change  3 credits
This course introduces students to different concepts of organizational change management and provides strategies for mitigating organizational risks for any initiative.

COM 4XXX  Research Methods in Communication Arts  3 credits
This course will introduce students to a range of social sciences and communication studies research methods (qualitative and quantitative).

COM 4XXX  Special Topics in Communication Arts  3 credits
Intensive study for a small group of students in a particular topic, or a limited number of topics not otherwise offered in the curriculum.

SPC 4XXX  Political Communication  3 credits
This course examines the effect of both (free) political news and (paid) political advertising on politics in America.

COURSE CHANGE/DELETION REQUESTS

COM 3461 New catalog description: Students develop the skills to build and maintain relationships across cultures by focusing on similarities and differences in communication behaviors, perceptions, language usage and social practices.

COM 5108C New alpha prefix: COM
1st digit: 5

COM 5415C New alpha prefix: COM
1st digit: 5
Last 3 digits: 415

SPC 3301 New catalog description: Through an awareness of self-concept students explore the role communication plays in maintaining healthy relationships in areas such as: romantic relationships, friendships, families and colleagues.

SPC 3425C New alpha prefix: SPC
1st digit: 3
Last 3 digits: 425

INTERIOR DESIGN

COURSE CHANGE/DELETION REQUESTS

IND 5285 New prerequisite: Program Approval
New corequisite: none: delete IND 5319 and IND 5475

IND 5438 New prerequisite: IND 6255c

IND 5445C Change credit hours from 6 to 3

IND 5485 New corequisite: IND 6257

IND 5615 New prerequisite: none: delete 6255
New corequisite: IND 6255C

IND 5626 New corequisite: IND 6259C

IND 5628 New prerequisite: IND 5615

IND 6255C New corequisite: IND 5427

IND 6616C Change credit hours from 6 to 3

IND 6906 Change credit hours from 3 to 1-3

IND 6970C New catalog description: The curriculum was reordered and the Masters project is now the terminal studio for all students.
New prerequisite: IND 6259C

MUSIC

COURSE CHANGE/DELETION REQUESTS

MUE 3411 Change credit hours from 2 to 1

MUH 3211 New prerequisite: Music majors or minors only

MUT 1111 New prerequisite: See 8. For catalog clarification
COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES

- **BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES**
- **CRIMINAL JUSTICE**
- **EARTH AND ENVIRONMENT**
- **ENGLISH**
- **GLOBAL & SOCIOCULTURAL STUDIES**
- **MATHEMATICS & STATISTICS**
- **PSYCHOLOGY**
- **RELIGIOUS STUDIES**
- **WOMEN'S STUDIES**

### BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES
- **COURSE CHANGE/DELETION REQUESTS**
  - BSC 4931 New prerequisites/corequisites: Senior standing and PCB 3043, PCB 3063, PCB 4023, and PCB 4674

### CRIMINAL JUSTICE
- **NEW COURSE REQUESTS**
  - CCJ 4361 Death Penalty
    - An examination of the problems and issues related to the death penalty in the United States.
    - 3 credits

### EARTH AND ENVIRONMENT
- **NEW COURSE REQUESTS**
  - EVR 5XXX Advanced Conservation Biology
    - Exploration of modern applications of ecology, genetics and evolutionary biology in the conservation biology. Policy aspects of biological conservation are also discussed.
    - Prerequisites: BSC 1010 and BSC 1011
    - 3 credits
  - GLY 5XXxC Applications of Transmission Electron Microscopy
    - Students will learn to prepare specimens and use for digital recording of publishable images.
    - Prerequisites: Graduate-standing or the permission of the instructor
    - 3 credits

### ENGLISH
- **COURSE CHANGE/DELETION REQUESTS**
  - ENC 3213 New prerequisites: ENC 1101, 1102 or ENC 2304

### GLOBAL & SOCIOCULTURAL STUDIES
- **COURSE CHANGE/DELETION REQUESTS**
  - SYA 3949 New title: Internship in Anthropology & Sociology
    - Working in an organization for the semester to acquire relevant professional experience related to the major.
    - New prerequisite: Major with 3.0 GPA & SYA 3300 and ANT 3034 or SYA 4010 or SYA 4011

### MATHEMATICS & STATISTICS
- **COURSE CHANGE/DELETION REQUESTS**
  - STA 3123 Change credit hours from 4 to 3

### PSYCHOLOGY
- **NEW COURSE REQUESTS**
  - CLP 5XXX Theory & Techniques in Couples & Marital Therapy
    - An overview of the theories and techniques used in couples & marital therapy with an examination of treatment approaches and evidence-based practice. Consideration of clinical issues and problems.
    - 3 credits
  - CLP 5XXX Theory & Techniques in Family Therapy
    - An examination of the major theories & techniques used in family therapy with an in-depth exploration of the skills and strategies used for treating clinical issues from multiple perspectives.
    - 3 credits
  - CLP 6XXX Principles & Practices in Couples & Family Therapy
    - An examination of the principles & practices used in couples & family therapy. Counseling skills and practical uses related to couples and family therapy will be examined.
    - 3 credits
  - SOP 4XXX Global Psychology: Cross Cultural Perspectives on Psychological Research & Theories
    - Examination of human behavior and psychological well internationally. Students will examine psychology research through direct application to global phenomena.
    - Prerequisite: PSY 2012: Introduction to Psychology
    - 3 credits
  - SOP 5XXX Contemporary Issues in Family Life & Process
    - An examination of selected issues that are faced during the development & life cycle of the family. Family inter-generational history and sociocultural factors will be explored.
    - 3 credits

### RELIGIOUS STUDIES
- **NEW COURSE REQUESTS**
  - REL 3XXX Healing in Asian Religions
    - Survey of varieties of healing techniques utilized in Asian Religions.
    - 3 credits

### WOMEN'S STUDIES
- **COURSE CHANGE/DELETION REQUESTS**
  - WST 2100 New title: Gender Issues across the Globe
    - New alpha prefix: WST
    - 1st digit: 3
    - Last 3 digits: xxx
    - New catalog description: Exploration of issues of women and gender globally. Focus on experiences and inequalities related to gender, as well as efforts to combat inequalities.
COLLEGE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

MANAGEMENT AND INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS
NEW COURSE REQUESTS

ENT 1113 Introduction to Entrepreneurship 3 credits
Introduction to how to start and run a new enterprise. How to write business plans. Obtaining loans, copyrights, permits, and other resources. Tools & experiences that can be utilized professionally.

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

TEACHING AND LEARNING
COURSE CHANGE/DELETION REQUESTS

SCE 4194C New title: Perspectives in Science and Math Education
New catalog description: This course will help students to develop understanding of the theoretical frameworks and familiarity with literature in science and math education that underpins science and math education.

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING & COMPUTING

BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING
NEW COURSE REQUESTS

BME 4XXXL Undergraduate Research in Biomedical Engineering 1-3 credits
Participate in supervised research activities on current biomedical engineering topics under the direction of a BME faculty member.

BME 5XXX Biomedical Device Design and Ethics 3 credits
User inputs; regulatory, ethical, societal, and environmental considerations; creativity; project management; prototype construction and testing; project feasibility; writing and oral communication.
Prerequisite: Permission of instructor

COURSE CHANGE/DELETION REQUESTS

BME 2740 New prerequisites: Add: BSC 1010 (with a C or better)
New corequisites: Add: (EGN 1002 or EGN 1100)

BME 3032 New prerequisites: Add: CHM 1046 (with a C or better), MAP 2302 (with a C or better), PHY 2049 (with a C or better)

BME 3700 New Prerequisites: Add: PHY 2049 (with a C or better)
New corequisites: Add: (BCH 3033 or CHM 4304)

BME 3701 New prerequisites: Add: (BCH 3033 or CHM 4304)

BME 3710 New prerequisites: Add: (STA 3033 or EIN 3235)

BME 4332 New prerequisite: Add MAC 2313 (with a C or better)

CIVIL AND ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING
COURSE CHANGE/DELETION REQUESTS

ENV 4330 New title: Hazardous Waste Site Assessment

COMPUTING AND INFORMATION SCIENCES
NEW COURSE REQUESTS

CNT 4XXX Advanced Network Management 3 credits
Advanced principles of modern internetworking network design and implementation. Hands on experience with routers and switches and core Internet support protocols.
Prerequisite: CNT 4513

XXX 4XXX Mobile Application Development 3 credits
Design and development of mobile applications. Introduction to the mobile application frameworks, including user interface, sensors, event handling, data management and network interface.
Prerequisite: CEN 4023

COURSE CHANGE/DELETION REQUESTS

CEN 4023 New catalog description: Integrating, exchanging, and transforming XML data, building software from components, understanding security concepts, basic Web services.
New prerequisites: CGS 4366 and CGS 4854

CIS 5900 New grading: Remove: LT; Add: P/F
CIS 5910 New grading: Remove: LT; Add: P/F
CIS 5915 New grading: Remove: LT; Add: P/F
CIS 6900 New grading: Remove: LT; Add: P/F
CIS 6933 New grading: Remove: LT; Add: P/F
CIS 7910 New grading: Remove: LT; Add: P/F
### MECHANICAL AND MATERIALS ENGINEERING

**Course Change/Deletion Requests**

- **EMA 5104**: New prerequisite: Delete: EGM 3311; Add: EGN 3365
- **EML 4804**: New prerequisite: Add: “or EEL 3111L”
- **EML 5505**: New prerequisite: Delete: EML 4312; Add: EML 4804
- **EML 5385**: New prerequisite: Delete: EML 4312; Add: EML 4804
- **EML 5808**: New prerequisite: Delete EML 4312; Add: EML 4804
- **EML 5825**: New prerequisite: Delete: EML 4312; Add: EML 4804
- **EML 5415**: New prerequisite: Delete: EML 4312; Add: EML 4804
- **EML 6805**: New prerequisite: Delete: EML 3262; Add: EML 4806
- **EML 6223**: New prerequisite: Add: “EML 3222 or”
- **EML 6946**: New credit hours: Delete: 1; Add: 1-3

### SCHOOL OF HOSPITALITY & TOURISM MANAGEMENT

**New Course Requests**

- **HFT 399XC**: Nightclub Management  
  The purpose of this course is to provide the student with an understanding of Nightclub Management and how it fits within the Hospitality Industry.

**Course Change/Deletion Requests**

- **HFT 4502C**: New title: Marketing Research in the Hospitality Industry
- **HFT 6946C**: New grading: Change from Pass/Fail to Letter Grade

### SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM & MASS COMMUNICATION

#### Advertising and Public Relations

**Course Change/Deletion Requests**

- **ADV 3200**: New prerequisites: MMC 3104C, full admission into upper division
- **ADV 4101**: New prerequisites: MMC 3104C, ADV 3008, ADV 3200 (with a grade “B” or better), full admission into upper division program
- **ADV 4103**: New prerequisites: MMC 3104C, ADV 3008, ADV 3200 (grade of “B” or better), competency in “In Design,” full admission into upper division program
- **MMC 4609**: New prerequisites: MMC 3104C, ADV 3008 or PUR 3000, full admission into upper division program
- **MMC 4930**: New prerequisites: MMC 3104C, ADV 3008, PUR 3000, ADV 3200 or PUR 4100, full admission into upper division program
- **MMC 4945**: New prerequisites: MMC 3104C, full admission into upper division program, permission from Department’s Chair
- **MMC 5306**: New prerequisite: none
- **MMC 5440**: New prerequisite: none
- **MMC 6416**: New title: The Literature of Strategic Communications  
  New catalog description: Survey of current and important literature in the field of strategic communications and its importance and application for communication managers.  
  New prerequisite: Permission of the instructor
- **MMC 6950**: New prerequisite: Completion of 27 credit hours, PUR 5602 and permission of the instructor.
- **PUR 4100**: New prerequisites: MMC 3104C, PUR 3000, full admission into upper division program
- **PUR 4101C**: New prerequisites: MMC 3104C, PUR 3000, full admission into upper division program
- **PUR 4106**: New prerequisites: MMC 3104C, PUR 3000, PUR 4100, full admission into upper division program
- **PUR 5406**: New catalog description: Explores the multi-cultural dimensions of communications with diverse audiences within the United States.  
  New prerequisite: none
- **PUR 5602**: New prerequisites: Completion of 18 credit hours, MMC 5440, full admission into SJMC graduate program
- **PUR 6607**: New title: Strategic Communications Management  
  New prerequisite: PUR 6806

#### Journalism and Broadcasting

**New Course Requests**

- **MMC 5XXX**: Environmental Communication  
  This graduate level course is designed to bring theoretical principles and professional skills associated with mass communication together with environmental; issues and themes.  
  Prerequisites: Completion of the six-credit project or internship requirement (EVR 5907) and permission of the instructor or department
Prerequisite: Enrolled in the Herbert Wertheim College of Medicine

BCC 7XXX Core Concepts in Medicine 7 credits
Weekly six hour interactive didactic activity, reviewing in a multidisciplinary format core topics across the different disciplines. Emphasis is placed on fostering competence in critical thinking skills, basic science and clinical knowledge, patient care, practice based learning, communication skills, professionalism, system-based practice and social accountability.
Prerequisite: Enrolled in the Herbert Wertheim College of Medicine

BCC 7XXX Family Medicine Geriatric Clerkship 2 credits
The 2013 class will be divided in 2 groups. Each group will be going to Leon Medical Centers approximately twice a month on Mondays from September 2010 to February 2011. Students will be assigned a rotation schedule and are expected to attend a meeting at the Leon Medical Centers to meet his/her preceptor prior to the start of the rotation and to confirm the location, date, and other issues specific to the site. At each Center, students will have the opportunity to attend outpatient clinic, wound care, walk-in clinic, physical therapy, and dermatology clinic. During the rotation, students will also attend Geriatric Core lecture series and discussion of clinical cases at the COM. Students are also required to present a brief discussion of a relevant clinical topic during their Geriatric clerkship. This presentation will be delivered to the faculty and other medical students during the Geriatric clerkship. The Second Period Geriatric Clerkship will provide students with an experience in the evaluation, diagnosis, and management of geriatric patients in the outpatient setting. Throughout patient clinical experiences, students will be exposed to a wide variety of geriatric patients presenting with acute illnesses, chronic illnesses, evaluation of disabilities and preventive health maintenance visits. Students will participate in clinical evaluations, simulated cases, simulated laboratory scenarios, and didactic lectures. The clerkship emphasizes comprehensive assessment and management of core common geriatric conditions.
Prerequisite: Enrolled in the Herbert Wertheim College of Medicine

BMS 6XXX Evidence-Based Medicine 1 credit
This course is intended for students to acquire and develop both the knowledge and the skills for evidence-based medicine (EBM). The emphasis of the course is on the second, third and four steps of EBM: searching clinical evidence, appraising critically the validity and importance of clinical research evidence, and determining the applicability of evidence into practice. This course content complements the previous activities addressing EBM (BMS 6881) where the students learned how to develop answerable clinical (PICO) questions from patient’s problems. In addition, during this course students will use concepts obtained in previous epidemiology courses as they are applied to help solving clinical problems. The course is divided in two major and consecutive workshops: 1) how to search the clinical evidence, and 2) how to appraise the validity, the importance and the applicability of the evidence.
Prerequisite: Enrolled in the Herbert Wertheim College of Medicine

BMS 6XXX Professional Behavior I 1 credit
Professional Behavior I is a course with Professional Development designed to introduce and teach awareness of certain values, emotions and attitudes, behaviors and self-reflection to the medical student. This course applies the philosophy and general understanding for emotionally preparing the future physician for the many diverse psychological experiences associated with the clinical setting and professional life. Specifically, to have an understanding and awareness of one’s behavioral and personal issues, the emotional stress found in practicing medicine, and how these can impact patient care and health outcomes.
Prerequisite: Enrolled in the Herbert Wertheim College of Medicine
This course is a continuation of the Period One Professional Behaviors experience. Where the focus of the course during Period One was on “self-awareness,” Period Two goes more into depth in the development of self-awareness and the developing of the emerging “MD Identity.” Class sessions are structured using the same approach with the introduction, history, development and implications of the Values, Emotions, or Attitude (VEA) on medical practice. However, the vignettes are more evidence-based and discussions include reflections of the student’s clinical experiences as they relate to the VEA. Additionally, the VEAs presented in the class session are more comprehensive and identify greater implications for the MD.

Prerequisite: Enrolled in the Herbert Wertheim College of Medicine

COURSE CHANGE/DELETION REQUESTS

BCC 7110 Change credit hours from 13 to 12
BCC 7120 Change credit hours from 7 to 6
BCC 7130 Change credit hours from 7 to 6
BCC 7140 New title: Pediatrics Clerkship
Change abbreviated course title: Pediatrics Clerkship
Change credit hours from 7 to 6
BCC 7150 Change credit hours from 7 to 6
BCC 7160 Change credit hours from 13 to 12
BCC 7175 Change credit hours from 4 to 3
BMS 6063 Change abbreviated course title: Foundations of Health Care
BMS 6064 Change abbreviated course title: Health Care Policies & End of Life
BMS 6065 New title: Quality Improvement and Medical Jurisprudence II
Change abbreviated course title: Quality Improvement & Med Juris II
Change credit hours from 2 to 1
BMS 6634 Gastrointestinal System and Nutrition
Change abbreviated course title: Gastrointestinal System & Nutrition
BMS 6820 Change abbreviated course title: CAM, Humanism, & Med Juris I
BMS 6826 New title: Ethical Foundations of Medicine
Change abbreviated course title: Ethical Foundations of Medicine
BMS 6827 New title: Addressing the Socio-economic and Cultural Aspects of Health
Change abbreviated course title: Socio-economic & Cultural Aspects
Change credit hours from 2 to 1
BMS 6828 New title: Interdisciplinary Approaches to Health
Change abbreviated course title: Interprofessional Approaches-Health
BMS 6880 New title: Introduction to Measurements and Quantitative Methods
Change abbreviated course title: Measurements and Quantitative Methods
BMS 6881 New title: Foundations of Clinical Epidemiology and Research
Change abbreviated course title: Clinical Epidemiology & Research

COLLEGE OF NURSING & HEALTH SCIENCES

ATHLETIC TRAINING

NEW COURSE REQUESTS

PET 6XXX Independent Study in Athletic Training 1-9 credits
Explores contemporary issues and practices in athletic training, specifically related to health care for life and sport, from a global and/or multidisciplinary perspective.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing and permission of instructor

COURSE CHANGE/DELETION REQUESTS

APK 6118 New corequisite: PET 5312C
PET 5312 New prerequisites: PET 5633C, PET 5635C, PET 5668L
New corequisite: APK 6118C
PET 5405 New prerequisite: (Delete PET 5624)
New corequisite: PET 6535
PET 5608 New corequisite: PET 5609
PET 5609 New prerequisite: PET 5678 and APK 6118C
New corequisite: PET 5608
PET 5672L New corequisite: (Delete PET 5624)
PET 5673L New prerequisite: (Delete PET 5624)
New corequisite: PET 6535
PET 5678 New prerequisite:
PET 6535 New title: Master of Science Research in Athletic Training I
New prerequisites: (Delete EDE 5481 and PET 6597)
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COURSE CHANGE/DELETION REQUESTS
NGR 6917 Change credit hours from 1 to 3
   New prerequisite: Departmental Permission
NGR 6918 Change credit hours from 1 to 3
   New prerequisite: Departmental Permission

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY
COURSE CHANGE/DELETION REQUESTS
OTH 5760 New catalog description: Review of research methodology and statistical concepts in the clinical setting using examples of research in occupational therapy.

COLLEGE OF PUBLIC HEALTH & SOCIAL WORK

HEALTH POLICY AND MANAGEMENT
NEW COURSE REQUESTS
PHC 6XXXC Evidence-based Health Policy for Public Health 3 credits
   This course examines the relationship between scientific evidence and public policy in a population health context. Mechanisms for advancing evidence-based health policy are explored.
   Prerequisites: PHC 6000, PHC 6065
PHC 6XXXC Health Policy Analysis 3 credits
   This course provides an exploration of health policies from an economic perspective. Current issues and policy dilemmas in the areas of healthcare and public health will be analyzed.
   Prerequisite: PHC 6065
PHC 6XXXC Health Policy Database Applications 3 credits
   This course focuses on data management and analysis. Students will analyze databases related to health policy research questions using statistical software packages including SPSS and SAS.
   Prerequisite: PHC 6000, PHC 6065
PHX 6XXXC Public Health Economics 3 credits
   This course focuses on the application of basic microeconomics tools to the analysis of consumers’, producers’, and insurers’ behavior in the market for health care.
   Prerequisite: PHC 6065
PHC 6XXXC Public Health Management and Leadership 3 credits
   This course integrates theory with practice by examining management, leadership and organizational behavior in public health organizations.

EPIDEMIOLOGY & BIOSTATISTICS
NEW COURSE REQUESTS
PHC 6XXX The Master’s thesis in Public Health 3 credits
   The Master’s thesis in Public Health, concentration in Biostatistics at Robert Stempel College of Public Health emphasizes discovery of biostatistical methods and their applications to healthcare.
   Prerequisite: All required core courses