

VALDOSTA STATE UNIVERSITY  
ACADEMIC COMMITTEE MINUTES  
October 14, 2019

The Academic Committee of the Valdosta State University Faculty Senate met in the University Center Rose Room on Monday, October 14, 2019. Dr. Sharon Gravett, Associate Provost for Academic Affairs, presided.

Members Present: Ms. Catherine Bowers, Dr. Brian Sowa (Proxy for Ms. Gabrielle Stellmacher), Dr. Candace Witherspoon, Mr. Joe Mason, Dr. Brian Sowa, Dr. Nicole Cox, Dr. Eric Chambers, Dr. Ray Elson, Dr. Ray Elson (Proxy for Dr. Ellis Heath), Dr. Yunseon Choi, Dr. Yunseon Choi (Proxy for Dr. Colette Drouillard), Mr. Chuck Conner, Ms. Catherine Bowers (Proxy for Ms. Laura Wright), and Ms. Amy Chew.

Members Absent: Dr. Michele Blankenship, Ms. Gabrielle Stellmacher, Dr. Diane Wright, Mr. Brian Nelson, Dr. Fleming Bell, Dr. Ben Wescoatt, Dr. Ellis Heath, Dr. Colette Drouillard, Dr. Vicki Wetter, and Ms. Laura Wright.

Catalog Editor: Dr. Jane Kinney.

Visitors Present: Dr. Kristy Litster, Mr. Brian Williams, Dr. Anne Price, Mr. Ernest Smith, Dr. Shaun Ault, Dr. Barney Rickman, Dr. Michael Black, and Dr. Doug Farwell.

The Minutes of the September 9, 2019 meeting were approved by email on September 12, 2019. (pages 1-3).

**A. College of the Arts**

1. Revised course descriptions were approved effective Fall Semester 2019. (pages 4-6).
  - a. MUSC 1210, 1220, 1240, 3220, 3240 – Private Piano
  - b. MUSC 1410, 1420, 1440, 3420, 3440 – Private Voice
  - c. MUSC 1610, 1620, 1640, 3620, 3640 – Private Brass
  - d. MUSC 1910, 1920, 1940, 3920, 3940 – Private Woodwinds
  - e. MUSC 2310, 2320, 2340, 4320, 4340 – Private Percussion
  - f. MUSC 2410, 2420, 2440, 4420, 4440 – Private Strings
  - g. MUSC 2411 – Secondary Class Guitar
  - h. MUSC 3610 – Applied Music for Minors
  - i. MUSC 3710 – Upper Division Secondary Applied
  - j. MUSC 3800 – Musical Union
  - k. MUSC 3810 – Chamber Singers
  - l. MUSC 3820 – Concert Choir
  - m. MUSC 3830 – The Spotlighters
  - n. MUSC 3840 – Opera and Musical Theatre
  - o. MUSC 3850 – Concert Band
  - p. MUSC 3860 – Orchestra
  - q. MUSC 3861 – String Ensemble
  - r. MUSC 3870 – Jazz Ensemble
  - s. MUSC 3880 – Marching Band
  - t. MUSC 3890 – Instrumental Ensembles
  - u. MUSC 4850 – Wind Ensembles
  - v. MUSC 4870 – Jazz Combo
  - w. MUSC 4900 – Directed Study in Music

**B. College of Science and Mathematics**

1. New course, Mathematics (MATH) 0996, “Support for Elementary Statistics”, (SUPPORT FOR ELEM STATISTICS – 2 credit hours, 2 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 2 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2020. (pages 7-14).
2. New course, Mathematics (MATH) 0997, “Support for Quantitative Reasoning”, (SUPPORT FOR QUANT REASONING – 2 credit hours, 2 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 2 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2020. (pages 15-22).

**C. College of Nursing and Health Sciences**

1. Revised title and description, Health Science Exercise Physiology (HSEP) 3650, “Resistance Training and Program Development I, (RESIST TRAIN PRGM DEVELOP I – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2020. (pages 23-24).
2. Revised title and description, Health Science Exercise Physiology (HSEP) 4050, “Resistance Training and Program Development II, (RESIST TRAIN PRGM DEVELOP II – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2020. (pages 25-26).
3. Revised senior curriculum for the BSEP was approved effective Fall Semester 2020. (pages 27-28).

**D. College of Humanities and Social Science**

1. New course, History (HIST) 3270/5270, “Culture and Ethnicity in Pre-Modern East Europe”, (CULT/ETHN PRE-MOD EAST EUROPE – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2020. (pages 29-38).
2. New course, History (HIST) 3280/5280, “War and Romance in the Middle Ages”, (WAR & ROMANCE IN MIDDLE AGES – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2020. (pages 39-44).
3. Revised credit hours and description, French (FREN) 4980, “Community Practicum”, (COMMUNITY PRACTICUM – 1-3 credit hours, 1-3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 1-3 contact hours), was approved effective Spring Semester 2020 with the description change to read – An experiential learning... . (pages 45-47).
4. Revised credit hours and description, Spanish (SPAN) 4980, “Community Practicum”, (COMMUNITY PRACTICUM – 1-3 credit hours, 1-3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 1-3 contact hours), was approved effective Spring Semester 2020 with the description change to read – An experiential learning... . (pages 48-50).
5. Revised description, Spanish (SPAN) 6220, “Hispanic Women Writers”, (HISPANIC WOMEN WRITERS – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Spring Semester 2020 with the description changed to read ...strategies The development of feminist... . (pages 51-53).
6. Revised title, Sociology (SOCI) 3000, “Social Statistics”, (SOCIAL STATISTICS – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Spring Semester 2020. (pages 54-55).
7. Revised title, prerequisite, and description, Sociology (SOCI) 3510, “Social Research Methods”, (SOCIAL RESEARCH METHODS – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Spring Semester 2020 with the last sentence of the description deleted. (pages 54-5556-57)
8. Revised description, Sociology (SOCI) 4690, “Sociology of Queer and LGBT Communities”, (SOCIOLOGY OF QUEER & LGBT – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Spring Semester 2020. (pages 54-55).

**E. College of Education and Human Services**

1. Deactivation of the BAS in Human Capital Performance and Human Capital Performance Online - no new admits – they will work with the current students so they can complete their degree. (pages 60-61).
2. Revised degree requirements for the MED in Counselor Education – School Counseling Concentration was approved effective Fall Semester 2020. (pages 62-63).
3. Item 6-C – changes to the MED in Educational Leadership – Higher Education Leadership Option were TABLED (pages 64-108).
4. Revised degree requirements for the MED in Instructional Technology – Technology Applications Concentration was approved effective Fall Semester 2020. (pages 109-111).

**F. Miscellaneous**

1. Determination of Credit Hours Policy – was review and discussed – Dr. Michael Black will provide an updated policy for review at the November meeting. (pages 112-115).

Respectfully submitted,

Stanley Jones  
Registrar