

**University Committee on Courses and Curricula**  
**Mississippi State University**  
**November 20, 2015**

Present: Amy Adkerson, Shrinidhi Ambinakudige, Tracey Baham, Russell Carr, Mike Cox, Amy Crumpton, Dana Franz, Robert Frey, Robert Harland, Christina Hillesheim, Trey Howell, Kevin Hunt, Skip Jack, Sundar Krishnan, Pat Matthes, Qingmin Meng, Lynda Moore, Rob Moore, Bob Otondo, Emily Owen, Tommy Parker, Andy Perkins, John Rigsby, Barry Stewart, Pam Sullivan, Kirk Swortzel, Jenny Turner, Tom White, Robert Wolverton, Arnelle Woods, Chien Yu

Excused: Brenda Kirkland, John Riggins

Absent: Kelly Moser

Proxy: Christen Mingione for Lynn Reinschmiedt

Guests: Laura Lemons, Quisto Settle, Kathy Sherman-Morris, John Thomason

Swortzel called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m. on Friday, November 20, 2015 in Room 324 of the Student Union. Swortzel announced the next UCCC meeting will be Tuesday, December 15, 2015 at 1:30 p.m.

Carr moved to approve the October 16, 2015 minutes. Hunt seconded the motion. The October 16, 2015 minutes were approved unanimously.

Otondo moved to approve the addition of distance education to BIS 8413 Data Analysis. Yu seconded the motion. The motion to approve the addition of distance education to BIS 8413 Data Analysis was approved unanimously.

Carr moved to approve the addition of PE 1243 Methods of Teaching Games and Sports, the addition of PE 3533 Coaching Sports, and the modification of PE 4533/6533 Developing Coaching Expertise. Crumpton seconded the motion. For PE 3533 Coaching Sports, Committee members pointed out that the methods of evaluation on the proposal and the course syllabus do not match and need to be clarified. Crumpton moved to pass PE 1243, PE 3533, and PE 4533/6533 contingent upon the above issue being addressed. Otondo seconded the motion. The motion to pass PE 1243, PE 3533, and PE 4533/6533 contingent was approved unanimously.

Hunt moved to approve the modification to the BS in Forestry: Environmental Conservation; Urban Forestry. Stewart seconded the motion. The motion to approve the modification to the BS in Forestry was approved unanimously.

Jack moved to approve the addition of CVM 5273 Population Medicine, CVM 5301 Clinicopathological Conference, CVM 5452 Small Animal Physical Rehabilitation, and a modification to the Doctor of Veterinary Medicine. Carr seconded the motion. Committee members pointed out the information on the cover/signature sheet for the program modification was not in the correct areas for "Degree to be offered at:" and "Current Degree Program Name/Major." Committee members also pointed out on the proposal for CVM 5452, the attached syllabus does not have a course number. Crumpton moved to pass CVM 5273, CVM 5301, CVM 5452, and the modification to the Doctor of Veterinary Medicine contingent upon the above issues being addressed. Franz seconded the motion. The motion to pass CVM 5273, CVM 5301, CVM 5452, and the modification to the Doctor of Veterinary Medicine contingent was approved unanimously.

Carr moved to approve the modification of the Master of Science in Geosciences: Applied Meteorology, Broadcast Meteorology, Environmental Geosciences, Geography, Geology, Geospatial Sciences, Professional Meteorology/Climatology, and Teachers in Geosciences. Otondo seconded the motion. Dr. Kathy Sherman-Morris appeared in support of the proposal. Committee members discussed the differences in the thesis and non-thesis based programs. The motion to approve the modification of the Master of Science in Geosciences was approved unanimously.

Crumpton moved to approve the addition of HS 8123 The Effects of Poverty on Children and Families. Otondo seconded the motion. Committee members pointed out there is a typographical error in the grading scale on the syllabus. Cox moved to pass HS 8123 contingent upon the above concern being addressed. Stewart seconded the motion. The motion to pass HS 8123 contingent was approved unanimously.

Cox moved to approve the modifications of AIS 2413 Orientation to Agricultural Education, Leadership & Communication, AIS 3013 Field Experience in Agricultural Education, Leadership and Communications, AIS 3500 Internship in Agricultural Leadership, AIS 4113/6113 Methods of Teaching Agriscience; AIS 4203/6203 Applications of Computer Technology to Agricultural Education, Leadership and Communications; AIS 4703/6703 Experiential Learning Programs in Agriculture; AIS 4873 Professional Seminar in Agricultural Education; AIS 4886 Teaching Internship in Agricultural Education; AIS 4896 Teaching Internship in Agricultural Education; the deletion of AIS 8606 Teaching Internship in Agricultural Information Science and Education; and the modification of the Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Information Science: Teaching, Agricultural Leadership, and Agricultural Communications; and the name change of the Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Information Science: Teaching, Agricultural Leadership, and Agricultural Communications under IHL Form 9a. Rigsby seconded the motion. Committee members were concerned the program modification includes revising the course prefix for all AIS courses, but all of those courses are not being modified on the current agenda. Committee members were also concerned the program modification will require that all equivalent classes be entered into Banner, and it is a time consuming transition. Committee members pointed out the IHL name change could move forward while the program and course modification

issues are being worked out. Franz moved to move forward the name change of the Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Information Science; Teaching, Agricultural Leadership, and Agricultural Communications under IHL Form 9a, and then to table the modification to the Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Information Science: Teaching, Agricultural Leadership, and Agricultural Communications, and the modifications of AIS 2413, AIS 3013, AIS 3500, AIS 4113/6113, AIS 4203/6203, AIS 4703/6703, AIS 4873, AIS 4886, AIS 4896, and the deletion of AIS 8606. Carr seconded the motion. The motion to move forward the program name change under IHL Form 9a, and table the program modification and the course modifications was approved unanimously.

Carr moved to adjourn. Franz seconded the motion. The motion to adjourn was approved unanimously. The meeting was adjourned at 2:45 p.m.