

## A MEMORANDUM

DATE: April 2, 2026

TO: Academic Deans Council

FROM: Dr. Andy Perkins  
UCCC Chair

RE: Change Notice 7

Listed below are curriculum change proposals which have been recommended by the University Committee Courses and Curricula. Under current procedure, members of the Academic Deans Council may question the approval of these proposals at any time prior to 5:00 p.m. on April 16, 2026 by contacting Dr. Andy Perkins (5-0004) or the office of the Vice President for Academic Affairs (5-3742). If no questions have been raised, the proposals will be considered approved automatically.

1. Course Proposals by college/school

**AGRICULTURE AND LIFE SCIENCES**

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| <p>Addition<br/>+Distance</p> <p><a href="#">PSS 4533/6533</a></p> | <p>Approved</p> | <p><b>PSS 4533/6533 Agricultural Climatology</b><br/>(Prerequisite: Junior standing). Three-hour lecture. Physical processes in the atmosphere and their links to crop growth and development; agroclimatology fundamentals; ET and soil–water balance; climate classification; crop &amp; climate models; climate-change impacts, adaptation/mitigation; decision support for crop management in field systems.<br/>Method of Instruction: C<br/>Method of Delivery: F &amp; O<br/>Campus: 1 &amp; 5<br/>CIP: 010308<br/>30 Char: Ag Climatology<br/>Effective: Fall 2026</p> |
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**ARCHITECTURE ART AND DESIGN**

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| <p>Modification</p> <p><a href="#">BCS 3116</a></p> | <p>Approved</p> | <p><b>FROM: BCS 3116 Building Construction Studio 3</b><br/>(Prerequisite: BCS2226). Three hours of lecture and six hours of laboratory. In-depth study of health and safety, project management, construction management, plant and equipment management, logistics and operations management, and building pathology.<br/><b>TO: BCS 3116 Building Studio</b> (Prerequisite: BCS 3126 Collaborative Studio and BCS 1243 Construction Site Safety). Three hours of lecture and six hours of laboratory. In-depth study of construction systems, material applications, and quality assurance/control in the construction process. Students will engage in research, hands-on fabrication, and project-based learning, developing expertise in construction sequencing, cost estimating, and scheduling.<br/>CIP: 040902<br/>30 Char: Building Studio<br/>Effective: Fall 2026</p> |
| <p>Modification</p> <p><a href="#">BCS 3126</a></p> | <p>Approved</p> | <p><b>FROM: BCS 3126 Building Construction Studio 4</b><br/>(Prerequisite: BCS3116). Twelve hours of laboratory. In-depth evaluation of the principles and applications of construction productivity, estimating and bidding procedures, cost alternatives, scheduling, sequencing, budgeting and project cashflow management.<br/><b>TO: BCS 3126 Collaborative Building Studio</b><br/>(Prerequisite: BCS 2333 Construction Equipment). Three Twelve hours of lecture and six hours of laboratory. This course is structured around the development of a comprehensive construction project proposal, requiring students to integrate land acquisition, market analysis, scheduling, estimating,</p>   |

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|              |                          |          | <p>project management, and construction cost analysis. Students will work individually and in teams, simulating a real-world construction firm to develop a professional-level submission. The course emphasizes collaboration, leadership, and technical proficiency in construction management processes.</p> <p>Method of Instruction: B<br/>30 Char: Collaborative Building Studio<br/>Effective: Fall 2027</p>   |
| Modification | <a href="#">BCS 4116</a> | Approved | <p><b>FROM: BCS 4116 Building Construction Studio 5</b> (Prerequisite: BCS3126). Three hours of lecture and six hours of laboratory. In-depth evaluation of the legal and contractual environment for construction activities/projects. Emphasis on specifications; dispute resolution; construction contracts and procurement systems; and project delivery modeling.</p> <p><b>TO: BCS 4116 Pre-Construction Studio</b> (Prerequisite: BCS 3116 Building Studio and BCS 3233 Construction Scheduling). Three hours of lecture and six hours of laboratory. In-depth study of project estimation, control, and scheduling.<br/>30 Char: Pre-Construction Studio<br/>Effective: Fall 2027</p>   |
| Modification | <a href="#">BCS 4126</a> | Approved | <p><b>FROM: BCS 4126 Building Construction Studio 6</b> (Prerequisite: BCS4116). Three hours of lecture and six hours of laboratory. In-depth study of project controls, risk management, strategic management, construction accounting, facilities and maintenance management, and international construction and contracting.</p> <p><b>TO: BCS 4126 Construction Capstone Studio</b> (Prerequisites: BCS 4116 Pre-Construction Studio and BCS 4133 Construction Contracts). Three-hour lecture, six-hour laboratory. In-depth evaluation of project controls, risk management, strategic management, construction accounting, facilities, maintenance management, and international construction and contracting.<br/>30 Char: Construction Capstone Studio<br/>Effective: Spring 2027</p> |

## ARTS AND SCIENCES

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| Modification | <a href="#">AS 1101</a> | Approved | <p><b>FROM: AS 1102 Air Force ROTC General Military Course Leadership Lab</b> (Prerequisite: AFROTC Cadet only). Four hours laboratory. A dynamic and integrated grouping of leadership development activities designed to meet the needs and expectations of prospective Air Force second lieutenants and complement the AFROTC academic program.</p> <p><b>TO: AS 1101 Air Force ROTC General Military Course Leadership Lab</b> Two hours laboratory. A dynamic and integrated grouping of leadership</p> |
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|              |                                | development activities designed to meet the needs and expectations of prospective Air Force second lieutenants and complement the AFROTC academic program. This course is restricted to active Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps cadets.<br>Repeatability: Yes, 4, 4<br>Effective: Fall 2026   |
| Modification | <a href="#">AS 3101</a>        | <b>Approved</b><br><b>FROM: AS 3102 Air Force ROTC Professional Officer Course Leadership Lab</b> (Prerequisite:AFROTC CadetsOnly). Four hours lab. A dynamic and integrated grouping of leadership development activities designed to meet the needs and expectations of prospective Air Force second lieutenants and complement the AFROTC academic program.<br><b>TO: AS 3101 Air Force ROTC Professional Officer Course Leadership Lab</b> Two hours laboratory. A dynamic and integrated grouping of leadership development activities designed to meet the needs and expectations of prospective Air Force second lieutenants and complement the AFROTC academic program. This course is restricted to active Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps cadets in the Professional Officer Course.<br>Repeatability: Yes, 4, 4<br>Effective: Fall 2026 |
| Modification | <a href="#">ATM 4523/ 6523</a> | <b>Approved</b><br><b>FROM: GR 4522/6522 Practicum in Broadcast Meteorology III</b> Prerequisite: GR 4512/6512. One hourlecture.Two hourslaboratory. Emphasis on advanced weathercasting, including field reporting, severe weather, and building graphics. Students are assigned actual television weather shows, with performance emphasis in the lab.<br><b>TO: ATM 4523/6523 Practicum in Broadcast Meteorology III</b> Prerequisite: ATM 4512/6512. One-hour lecture, two-hour lab, two-hour studio. Detailed examination of the advanced elements of the field of meteorology, with an emphasis on advanced storytelling and building a resume portfolio.<br>Method of Instruction: C, B, K, & Q<br>Method of Delivery: F<br>Campus: 1<br>Effective: Fall 2026  |
| Modification | <a href="#">ATM 4533/ 6533</a> | <b>Approved</b><br><b>FROM: GR 4532/6532 Practicum in Broadcast Meteorology IV</b> (Prerequisite:GR 4522/6522).One hour lecture.Two hours laboratory.Emphasis on the weathercasting job market in television.Students create actual television weather shows, and focus on producing a resume tape during the semester.<br><b>TO: ATM 4533/6533 Practicum in Broadcast Meteorology IV</b> (Prerequisite: ATM 4523/6523). One-   |

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|                  |                                |          | hour lecture, two-hour lab, two-hour studio. Detailed examination of the advanced elements of the field of meteorology, with an emphasis on career management, work-life balance, instilling public confidence and key industry topics.<br>Method of Instruction: C, B, K, & Q<br>Method of Delivery: F<br>Campus: 1<br>Effective: Fall 2026  |
| Addition         | <a href="#">ATM 4953/ 6953</a> | Approved | <b>ATM 4953/6953 Weather Risk Communication</b> (Prerequisites: GR 1133) Three-hour lecture. This course will investigate how weather risk information is communicated by multiple sectors and perceived and understood by end users.<br>Method of Instruction: C<br>Method of Delivery: F<br>Campus: 1<br>CIP: 400401<br>30 Char: Weather Risk Communication<br>Effective: Spring 2027   |
| Technical Change | <a href="#">FL 8681</a>        | Approved | <b>FL 8681 Practicum on World Language Teaching</b><br>Repeatability: Yes, 4, 4<br>Effective: Fall 2026   |
| Technical Change | <a href="#">FLG 2133</a>       | Approved | <b>FROM: FLG 2133 German III</b> (Prerequisite: FLG1123). Three hours lecture. Rapid review of German grammar; oral-aural practice; reading of intermediate texts.<br><b>TO: FLG 2133 German III</b> (Prerequisite: FLG 1123 or equivalent). Three hours lecture. Rapid review of German grammar; oral-aural practice; reading of intermediate texts.<br>Effective: Fall 2026   |
| Technical Change | <a href="#">FLG 2143</a>       | Approved | <b>FROM: FLG 2143 German IV</b> (Prerequisite: FLG2133). Three hours lecture. Oral-aural practice; reading of intermediate texts.<br><b>TO: FLG 2143 German IV</b> (Prerequisite: FLG 2133 or equivalent). Three hours lecture. Oral-aural practice; reading of intermediate texts.<br>Effective: Fall 2026   |
| Technical Change | <a href="#">FLG 3114</a>       | Approved | <b>FROM: FLG 3114 Advanced German Composition</b> (Prerequisite: FLG 2143 or consent of instructor). Three hours lecture. Two hour laboratory. Required of all majors. Advanced instruction concentrating on German composition.<br><b>TO: FLG 3114 Advanced German Composition</b> (Prerequisite: FLG 2143 or equivalent). Three hours lecture. Two hour laboratory. Required of all majors. Advanced instruction concentrating on German composition.<br>Effective: Fall 2026 |

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| Technical Change <a href="#">FLG 3124</a>       | <b>Approved</b> | <p><b>FROM: FLG 3124 Advanced German Conversation</b> (Prerequisite:FLG 2143 or consent of instructor). Three hours lecture. Two hours laboratory. Required of all majors. Advanced instruction concentrating on German conversation.</p> <p><b>TO: FLG 3124 Advanced German Conversation</b> (Prerequisite: FLG 2143 or equivalent). Three hours lecture. Two hours laboratory. Required of all majors. Advanced instruction concentrating on German conversation.</p> <p>Effective: Fall 2026</p>   |
| Technical Change <a href="#">FLG 3313</a>       | <b>Approved</b> | <p><b>FROM: FLG 3313 Business German I</b> (Prerequisites: FLG2143).Three hours lecture. The German language as used in business; emphasis on acquisition and application of German commercial terminology on import/export correspondence.</p> <p><b>TO: FLG 3313 Business German I</b> (Prerequisites: FLG 2143 or equivalent). Three hours lecture. The German language as used in business; emphasis on acquisition and application of German commercial terminology on import/export correspondence.</p> <p>Effective: Fall 2026</p>                                 |
| Technical Change <a href="#">FLG 3323</a>       | <b>Approved</b> | <p><b>FROM: FLG 3323 Business German II</b> (Prerequisite: FLG2143).Three hours lecture. The German language as used in the German stock market, trade, and exchange controls; acquisition and application of written and oral German business terminology.</p> <p><b>TO: FLG 3323 Business German II</b> (Prerequisite: FLG 2143 or equivalent). Three hours lecture. The German language as used in the German stock market, trade, and exchange controls; acquisition and application of written and oral German business terminology.</p> <p>Effective: Fall 2026</p> |
| Technical Change <a href="#">FLG 4143/ 6143</a> | <b>Approved</b> | <p><b>FROM: FLG 4143/6143 Verwandlungen</b> (Prerequisites FLG 2143 or permission of the instructor). Three hours lecture. A study of the theme of metamorphosis in various literary genres of the German speaking countries.</p> <p><b>TO: FLG 4143/6143 Verwandlungen</b> (Prerequisites FLG 2143 or equivalent). Three hours lecture. A study of the theme of metamorphosis in various literary genres of the German speaking countries.</p> <p>Effective: Fall 2026</p>   |
| Technical Change <a href="#">FLG 4163/ 6163</a> | <b>Approved</b> | <p><b>FROM: FLG 4163/6163 History of the German Language</b> (Prerequisite: FLG3124).Three hours lecture. The relationship of High German to the parent Indo-European and to the remaining Germanic dialects; linguistic development from the earliest times to the present.</p>  |

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|   |          | <p><b>TO: FLG 4163/6163 History of the German Language</b> (Prerequisite: FLG 2143 or equivalent). Three hours lecture. The relationship of High German to the parent Indo-European and to the remaining Germanic dialects; linguistic development from the earliest times to the present.<br/>Effective: Fall 2026</p>  |
| Technical Change <a href="#">FLG 4533/ 6533</a> | Approved | <p><b>FROM: FLG 4533/6533 Art, Politics, and Propaganda</b> (Prerequisite: FLG 2143 or equivalent or consent of instructor). Three hours lecture. A study of the inter-connections of German aesthetics, artistic movements, and political theory from the age of Enlightenment through the 20th Century.<br/><b>TO: FLG 4533/6533 Art, Politics, and Propaganda</b> (Prerequisite: FLG 2143 or equivalent). Three hours lecture. A study of the inter-connections of German aesthetics, artistic movements, and political theory from the age of Enlightenment through the 20th Century.<br/>Effective: Fall 2026</p>   |
| Technical Change <a href="#">FLG 6593</a>       | Approved | <p><b>FROM: FLG 6593 Contemporary German Literature</b> (Prerequisite: Graduatestanding). Three hours lecture. A study of contemporary German literature. Taught in German.<br/><b>TO: FLG 6593 Contemporary German Literature</b> (Prerequisite: FLG 2143 or equivalent). Three hours lecture. A study of contemporary German literature. Taught in German.<br/>Effective: Fall 2026</p>  |
| Technical Change <a href="#">FLG 8553</a>       | Approved | <p><b>FROM: FLG 8553 Scoundrels in German Literature</b> (Prerequisite: FLG 2143 and Graduate Standing or consent of the instructor). Three hours lecture. A study of German literature from the Classical period to the twentieth century featuring the figure of the scoundrel and with an emphasis on preparation for the MA exam.<br/><b>TO: FLG 8553 Scoundrels in German Literature</b> (Prerequisite: FLG 2143 or equivalent). Three hours lecture. A study of German literature from the Classical period to the twentieth century featuring the figure of the scoundrel and with an emphasis on preparation for the MA exam.<br/>Effective: Fall 2026</p> |
| Technical Change <a href="#">FLS 3143</a>       | Approved | <p><b>FROM: FLS 3143 Hispanic Civilization</b> (Prerequisite: FLS 2143 or FLS 2125). Three hours lecture. Illustrated survey of Hispanic cultural heritage.<br/><b>TO: FLS 3143 Hispanic Civilization</b> (Prerequisite: FLS 2143). Three hours lecture. Illustrated survey of Hispanic cultural heritage.<br/>Effective: Fall 2026</p>  |
| Technical Change <a href="#">FLS 4223/6223</a>  | Approved | <p><b>FROM: FLS 4223/6223 Spanish Novel of the Golden Age</b> (Prerequisite: FLS3513). Three hours lecture. A</p>  |

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|  |                 | <p>study of the picaresque novel and the short novel of the Golden Age.<br/> <b>TO: FLS 4223/6223 Spanish Novel of the Golden Age</b> (Prerequisite: FLS 3113 or equivalent). Three hours lecture. A study of the picaresque novel and the short novel of the Golden Age.<br/> Effective: Fall 2026</p>  |
| Technical Change <a href="#">FLS 4233/6233</a> | <b>Approved</b> | <p><b>FROM: FLS 4233/6233 Cervantes</b> (Prerequisite: FLS3513). Three hours lecture. A critical reading of Don Quixote. Lectures and reports on the life and works of Cervantes.<br/> <b>TO: FLS 4233/6233 Cervantes</b> (Prerequisite: FLS 3113 or equivalent). Three hours lecture. A critical reading of Don Quixote. Lectures and reports on the life and works of Cervantes.<br/> Effective: Fall 2026</p>   |
| Technical Change <a href="#">FLS 4243/6243</a> | <b>Approved</b> | <p><b>FROM: FLS 4243/6243 Modern Spanish Essay</b> (Prerequisite: FLS 3113, FLS 3233 or equivalent, or consent of instructor). Three hours lecture. An introduction to modern Spanish Essay.<br/> <b>TO: FLS 4243/6243 Modern Spanish Essay</b> (Prerequisite: FLS 3113 or equivalent). Three hours lecture. An introduction to the modern Spanish essay.<br/> Effective: Fall 2026</p>  |
| Technical Change <a href="#">FLS 4253/6253</a> | <b>Approved</b> | <p><b>FROM: FLS 4253/6253 19<sup>th</sup> Cen Sp Nov &amp; Ss</b> (Prerequisite: FLS3513). Three hours lecture. The Spanish novel and short story from the Romantic period to the Generation of 1898.<br/> <b>TO: FLS 4253/6253 19<sup>th</sup> Cen Sp Nov &amp; Ss</b> (Prerequisite: FLS 3113 or equivalent). Three hours lecture. The Spanish novel and short story from the Romantic period to the Generation of 1898.<br/> Effective: Fall 2026</p>               |
| Technical Change <a href="#">FLS 4273/6273</a> | <b>Approved</b> | <p><b>FROM: FLS 4273/6273 Modern Spanish Drama</b> (Prerequisite: FLS 3113, FLS 3223 or equivalent, or consent of instructor). Three hours lecture. An introduction to modern Spanish drama.<br/> <b>TO: FLS 4273/6273 Modern Spanish Drama</b> (Prerequisite: FLS 3113 or equivalent). Three hours lecture. An introduction to modern Spanish drama.<br/> Effective: Fall 2026</p>  |
| Technical Change <a href="#">FLS 4283/6283</a> | <b>Approved</b> | <p><b>FROM: FLS 4283/6283 The Contemporary Spanish-American Novel and Short Story</b> (Prerequisite: FLS 3523 or consent of instructor). Three hours lecture. A study of major contemporary Spanish-American novels and short stories.<br/> <b>TO: FLS 4283/6283 The Contemporary Spanish-American Novel and Short Story</b> (Prerequisite: FLS 3113 or equivalent). Three hours lecture. A study of major contemporary Spanish-American novels and short stories.</p> |

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| Technical Change <a href="#">FLS 4323/6323</a> | Approved | <p><b>FROM: FLS 4323/6323 Spanish Drama of the Golden Age</b> (Prerequisite: FLS3513).Three hours lecture. A study of dramatic works of Lope de Vega, Tirso de Molina, Calderon, and minor dramatic writers of the 17th century.</p> <p><b>TO: FLS 4323/6323 Spanish Drama of the Golden Age</b> (Prerequisite: FLS 3113 or equivalent). Three hours lecture. A study of dramatic works of Lope de Vega, Tirso de Molina, Calderon, and minor dramatic writers of the 17th century.</p> <p>Effective: Fall 2026</p>   |
| Technical Change <a href="#">FLS 4353/6353</a> | Approved | <p><b>FROM: FLS 4353/6353 Cultural (Mis)encounters: Hispanic America and its Diversity</b> (Prerequisite: FLS 3113, 3233 or equivalents or consent of the instructor). Three hours lecture. A study of the diversity of Hispanic American literature and culture from its indigenous origins through the Colony, the Independence and up to the late 19th century.</p> <p><b>TO: FLS 4353/6353 Cultural (Mis)encounters: Hispanic America and its Diversity</b> (Prerequisite: FLS 3113 or equivalent). Three hours lecture. A study of the diversity of Hispanic American literature and culture from its indigenous origins through the Colony, the Independence and up to the late 19th century.</p> <p>Effective: Fall 2026</p> |
| Technical Change <a href="#">FLS 4423/6423</a> | Approved | <p><b>FROM: FLS 4423/6423 Survey of Spanish Lyric Poetry</b> (Prerequisite: FLS3513).Three hours lecture. Reading and interpretation of masterpieces of Spanish lyric poetry and poetic theory from the Middle Ages to the present.</p> <p><b>TO: FLS 4423/6423 Survey of Spanish Lyric Poetry</b> (Prerequisite: FLS 3113 or equivalent). Three hours lecture. Reading and interpretation of masterpieces of Spanish lyric poetry and poetic theory from the Middle Ages to the present.</p> <p>Effective: Fall 2026</p>   |
| Technical Change <a href="#">FLS 4523/6523</a> | Approved | <p><b>FROM: FLS 4523/6523 The Renaissance</b> (Prerequisite: FLS3513).Three hours lecture. Spanish literature and thought of the Renaissance.</p> <p><b>TO: FLS 4523/6523 The Renaissance</b> (Prerequisite: FLS 3113 or equivalent). Three hours lecture. Spanish literature and thought of the Renaissance.</p> <p>Effective: Fall 2026</p>   |
| Technical Change <a href="#">FLS 4543/6543</a> | Approved | <p><b>FROM: FLS 4543/6543 Survey of Modern Spanish-American Literature</b> (Prerequisite:FLS 3223 or equivalent). Three hours lecture. A survey of Spanish-American Literature from Modernism to the present.</p> <p><b>TO: FLS 4543/6543 Survey of Modern Spanish-American Literature</b> (Prerequisite: FLS 3113 or</p>   |

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|                           |                               |          | equivalent). Three hours lecture. A survey of Spanish-American Literature from Modernism to the present. Effective: Fall 2026   |
| Technical Change          | <a href="#">FLS 4553/6553</a> | Approved | <b>FROM: FLS 4553/6553 Sur Spanish-Amer Lit</b> (Prerequisite: FLS3523). Three hours lecture. A study of Spanish-American literature from the period of Modernism to the present.<br><b>TO: FLS 4553/6553 Sur Spanish-Amer Lit</b> (Prerequisite: FLS 3113 or equivalent). Three hours lecture. A study of Spanish-American literature from the period of Modernism to the present. Effective: Fall 2026  |
| Technical Change          | <a href="#">FLS 4573/6573</a> | Approved | <b>FROM: FLS 4573/6573 Contemporary Spanish-American Drama</b> (Prerequisite: FLS 3223 or equivalent). Three hours lecture. An analysis of representative works of twenty-century Spanish-American dramatic literature.<br><b>TO: FLS 4573/6573 Contemporary Spanish-American Drama</b> (Prerequisite: FLS 3113 or equivalent). Three hours lecture. An analysis of representative works of twenty-century Spanish-American dramatic literature. Effective: Fall 2026   |
| Modification              | <a href="#">GG 4114/ 6114</a> | Approved | <b>FROM: GG 4114/6114 Mineralogy</b> (Prerequisites: GG 1113 and CH 1223). Three hours lecture. Three hours laboratory. The physical and chemical properties of minerals; crystallography, origin, distribution, association, uses, and identification of minerals.<br><b>TO: GG 4114/6114 Introduction to Mineralogy and Petrology</b> (Prerequisite: GG 1113 and CH 1223). Three hours lecture and two hours laboratory. The physical and chemical properties of minerals, crystallography, origin, distribution, association, uses, and identification of minerals using hand samples. Classification of igneous and metamorphic rocks, and interpretation of thin sections of the rocks.<br>Method of Instruction: C & K<br>Method of Delivery: F<br>Campus: 1<br>30 Char: Intro Mineral Petrol<br>Effective: Fall 2026 |
| Modification<br>+Distance | <a href="#">GG 4123/ 6123</a> | Approved | <b>FROM: GG 4123/6123 Petrology</b> (Prerequisite: GG 4114, orequivalent). Two hours lecture. Three hours laboratory. The origin, occurrence, and classification of the major rock types.<br><b>TO: GG 4123/6123 Petrogenesis and Mineral Resources</b> (Prerequisite: GG 4114). Three hours lecture. The course explores the petrogenesis of igneous and metamorphic rocks, along with the formation of associated critical mineral deposits. Students will integrate geochemical, mineralogical, and petrological   |

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|                           |                               | evidence to interpret the origins and evolution of rocks and mineral resources.<br>Method of Instruction: C<br>Method of Delivery: F & O<br>Campus: 1, 2, & 5<br>30 Char: Petrogenesis and Mineral Res<br>Effective: Fall 2026   |
| Modification<br>+Distance | <a href="#">GG 4503/ 6503</a> | <b>Approved</b><br><b>FROM: GG 4503/6503 Geomorphology</b> Three hours lecture. The origin and characteristics of land forms based on a consideration of geologic processes, stages of development, and geological structure.<br><b>TO: GG 4503/6503 Geomorphology</b> Three hours lecture. The origin and characteristics of landforms based on a consideration of geologic processes, stages of development, and geological structure.<br>Method of Delivery: F & O<br>Campus: 1, 2, 5, & 8<br>Effective: Fall 2026  |
| Technical Change          | <a href="#">PH 1113</a>       | <b>Approved</b><br><b>FROM: PH 1113 General Physics I</b> (Prerequisite: MA 1323 or an ACT Math subscore of at least 26). Two hours lecture, one hour drill, two hours laboratory). Non-calculus-based study of the fundamental laws of mechanics and fluids.<br><b>TO: PH 1113 General Physics I</b> (Prerequisite: ACT Math subscore of 26, or a grade of C or better in MA 1323 or MA 1453). Two hours lecture, one hour drill, two hours laboratory. Non-calculus-based study of the fundamental laws of mechanics and fluids.<br>Effective: Summer 2026 |
| Technical Change          | <a href="#">PH 1123</a>       | <b>Approved</b><br><b>FROM: PH 1123 General Physics II</b> (Prerequisite: PH 1113 or PH 2213). Two hours lecture, one hour drill, two hours laboratory. Noncalculus-based study of thermal physics, waves, sound, and light.<br><b>TO: PH 1123 General Physics II</b> (Prerequisite: Grade of C or better in PH 1113 or PH 2213). Two hours lecture, one hour drill, two hours laboratory. Noncalculus-based study of thermal physics, waves, sound, and light.<br>Effective: Summer 2026  |
| Technical Change          | <a href="#">PH 1133</a>       | <b>Approved</b><br><b>FROM: PH 1133 General Physics III</b> (Prerequisite: PH 1113 or PH 2213). Two hours lecture, one hour drill, two hours laboratory. Noncalculus-based study of electricity and magnetism and selected topics in modern physics.<br><b>TO: PH 1133 General Physics III</b> (Prerequisite: Grade of C or better in PH 1113 or PH 2213). Two hours lecture, one hour drill, two hours laboratory. Noncalculus-based study of electricity and magnetism and selected topics in modern physics.<br>Effective: Summer 2026                    |

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| Technical Change | <a href="#">PH 2223</a> | Approved | <p><b>FROM: PH 2223 Physics II</b> (Prerequisites: PH 2213 and MA 1723). Two hours lecture, one hour recitation, two hours laboratory. Calculus-based introduction to gravitation, electricity and magnetism. Laboratory emphasizes concepts of force and motion, conservation laws, and simple electrical circuits. Honors section available.</p> <p><b>TO: PH 2223 Physics II</b> (Prerequisites: Grade of C or better in PH 2213 and MA 1723). Two hours lecture, one hour recitation, two hours laboratory. Calculus-based introduction to gravitation, electricity and magnetism. Laboratory emphasizes concepts of force and motion, conservation laws, and simple electrical circuits. Honors section available.</p> <p>Effective: Summer 2026</p> |
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## BUSINESS

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| Technical Change | <a href="#">ACC 3003</a> | Approved | <p><b>FROM: ACC 3003 Accounting Information Systems I</b></p> <p><b>TO: ACC 3003 Accounting Information Systems</b></p> <p>30 Char: AIS</p> <p>Effective: Fall 2026</p>                   |
| Technical Change | <a href="#">ACC 8143</a> | Approved | <p><b>FROM: ACC 8143 Accounting Data Analytics</b></p> <p><b>TO: ACC 8143 Advanced Accounting Analytics</b></p> <p>30 Char: Advanced Accounting Analytics</p> <p>Effective: Fall 2026</p> |

## EDUCATION

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| Technical Change                   | <a href="#">ED 8653</a>  | Approved | <p><b>ED 8653 Applied Inquiry in Policy and Organizational Design</b></p> <p>Department: 0613 Meridian Division of Education</p> <p>Effective: Fall 2026</p>   |
| Addition<br>+Meridian<br>+Distance | <a href="#">EDE 8103</a> | Approved | <p><b>EDE 8103 Elementary Assessment and Evaluation</b></p> <p>Three hours lecture. A study of elementary (grades K-6) assessment and instructional evaluation for monitoring individual student progress, general effectiveness of instruction, and communicating assessment results.</p> <p>Method of Instruction: C</p> <p>Method of Delivery: F &amp; O</p> <p>Campus: 1, 2, &amp; 5</p> <p>CIP: 131202</p> <p>30 Char: Elementary Assessment and Eval</p> <p>Effective: Fall 2026</p> |
| Modification<br>+Distance          | <a href="#">EPY 8293</a> | Approved | <p><b>EPY 8293 Cognitive and Affective Development</b></p> <p>Method of Delivery: F &amp; O</p> <p>Campus: 1, 2, &amp; 5</p> <p>CIP: 422701</p> <p>Effective: Fall 2026</p>  |
| Modification<br>+Distance          | <a href="#">KI 8303</a>  | Approved | <p><b>FROM: KI 8303 Research in Kinesiology</b> Three hours lecture. Study of the methods and techniques used</p>  |

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|  |  | <p>in kinesiology research. During the course of the semester students prepare a research proposal.</p> <p><b>TO: KI 8303 Research Methods in Kinesiology</b> Three hours lecture. Study of the methods and techniques used in kinesiology research. During the course of the semester students will prepare a research proposal.</p> <p>Method of Delivery: F &amp; O<br/>Campus: 1 &amp; 5<br/>30 Char: Res Methods in Kinesiology<br/>Effective: Summer 2026</p> |
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## ENGINEERING

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| Modification<br>+Distance            | <a href="#">ECE 4833/6833</a> | Approved | <p><b>FROM: ECE 4833/6833 Data Communications and Computer Networks</b> (Prerequisite: CSE 1384 or ECE 3732, and ECE 3724, both with a grade of C or better). Three hours lecture. The concepts and practices of data communications and networking to provide student with an understanding of the hardware and software used for data communications. (Same as CSE 4153/6153).</p> <p><b>TO: ECE 4833/6833 Data Communications and Computer Networks</b> (Prerequisite: CSE 1384 and ECE 3724, both with a grade of C or better). Three hours lecture. The concepts and practices of data communications and networking to provide student with an understanding of the hardware and software used for data communications. (Same as CSE 4153/6153).</p> <p>Method of Delivery: F &amp; O<br/>Campus: 1, 2, 5, &amp; 6<br/>Effective: Fall 2026</p> |
| Modification<br>+Distance            | <a href="#">ECE 8733</a>      | Approved | <p><b>ECE 8733 Parallel Computing Architectures I</b><br/>Method of Delivery: F &amp; O<br/>Campus: 1, 2, 5, &amp; 6<br/>Effective: Fall 2026</p>   |
| Addition<br>+Distance<br>+Gulf Coast | <a href="#">IE 2913</a>       | Approved | <p><b>IE 2913 Programming Foundations for Engineering Applications</b> Three hours lecture. An introduction to Python programming for use in engineering applications. This course covers minimal theory and focuses mainly on the coding aspects of using Python. The topics will include the foundation of Python programming, computational tools, data aggregation, visualization, and simple regression and classification algorithms.</p> <p>Method of Instruction: C<br/>Method of Delivery: F &amp; O<br/>Campus: 1, 5, &amp; 6<br/>CIP: 142701<br/>30 Char: Programming Fndns for Engi App<br/>Effective: Fall 2026</p>  |

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| Technical Change | <a href="#">ME 2133</a> | Approved | <p><b>FROM: ME 2133 Modeling and Manufacturing</b> (Prerequisite: Grade of C or better in ME 1111 and Sophomore standing). Two hours lecture. Three hours laboratory. Introduction to industry standard safety practices, measuring tools and applications, manufacturing and fabrication options, assembly best practices, as well as elementary drafting and design techniques using solid modeling software.</p> <p><b>TO: ME 2133 Modeling and Manufacturing</b> (Prerequisite: Grade of C or better in ME 1111 or consent of instructor and Sophomore standing). Two hours lecture. Three hours laboratory. Elementary drafting and design techniques using solid modeling software: introduction to manufacturing options. Effective: Fall 2026</p>   |
| Technical Change | <a href="#">ME 3113</a> | Approved | <p><b>FROM: ME 3113 Engineering Analysis</b> (Prerequisites: Grade of C or better in MA 3113, MA 3253, PH 2213, and CSE 1233 or equivalent course). Three hours lecture. Analysis of engineering problems requiring the use of engineering fundamentals and mathematical techniques of analysis with computer applications.</p> <p><b>TO: ME 3113 Engineering Analysis</b> (Prerequisites: Grade of C or better in MA 3113, MA 1723, PH 2213, and CSE 1263 or equivalent course). Three hours lecture. Analysis of engineering problems requiring the use of engineering fundamentals and mathematical techniques of analysis with computer applications. Effective: Fall 2026<br/>Method of Delivery: F<br/>Campus: 1 &amp; 6<br/>Effective: Fall 2026</p> |
| Technical Change | <a href="#">ME 3613</a> | Approved | <p><b>FROM: ME 3613 System Dynamics</b> (Prerequisites: Grade of C or better in EM 2433, ME 3113, and EM 3313). Three hours lecture. Mathematical description of mechanical, electrical, hydraulic and pneumatic systems. Transient and frequency response of linear systems.</p> <p><b>TO: ME 3613 System Dynamics</b> (Prerequisites: Grade of C or better in EM 2433, ME 3113, and MA 3253). Three hours lecture. Mathematical description of mechanical, electrical, hydraulic and pneumatic systems. Transient and frequency response of linear systems. Effective: Fall 2026</p>  |
| Technical Change | <a href="#">ME 4301</a> | Approved | <p><b>FROM: ME 4301 Thermo-Fluids Laboratory</b> (Prerequisites: ME 3103, ME 3313, ME 3523, Grade of C or better in EM 3313, and a technical junior-level writing course). Two hours laboratory. Selection, use of pressure, temperatures, fluid flow, heat transfer instrumentation. Experiments with fluid flow,</p>  |

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|  |                 | thermodynamic systems, heat transfer. Statistical design of experiments.<br><b>TO: ME 4301 Thermo-Fluids Laboratory</b><br>(Prerequisites: ME 3523, and a technical junior-level writing course, Corequisite: ME 3313). Two hours laboratory. Selection, use of pressure, temperatures, fluid flow, heat transfer instrumentation. Experiments with fluid flow, thermodynamic systems, heat transfer. Statistical design of experiments.<br>Effective: Fall 2026   |
| Technical Change <a href="#">ME 4401</a> | <b>Approved</b> | <b>FROM: ME 4401 Solid Mechanics Laboratory</b><br>(Prerequisites: ME 3103, ME 3403, Grade of C or better in EM 3213 and EM 2433, and a technical junior-level writing course). Two hours laboratory. Selection and use of strain gages, dimensional measurements, load cells, accelerometers; hands-on experiments with quasi-static and dynamic-impact testing, spring constants and vibrations.<br><b>TO: ME 4401 Solid Mechanics Laboratory</b><br>(Prerequisites: Grade of C or better in EM 3213 and EM 2433, and a technical junior-level writing course, corequisite: ME 3403). Two hours laboratory. Selection and use of strain gages, dimensional measurements, load cells, accelerometers; hands-on experiments with quasi-static and dynamic-impact testing, spring constants and vibrations.<br>Effective: Fall 2026 |
| Technical Change <a href="#">ME 4403</a> | <b>Approved</b> | <b>FROM: ME 4403 Machine Design</b> (Prerequisite: Grade of C or better in EM 3213, ME 2133, and ME 3423; Co-requisite ME 3403). Three hours lecture. Applied stress analysis and material strength theories for sizing and selecting materials of machine elements. Selection of gears, cams, belts, springs. Design projects.<br><b>TO: ME 4403 Machine Design</b> (Prerequisite: Grade of C or better in EM 3213 and ME 2133; Co-requisite ME 3403 and ME 3423). Three hours lecture. Applied stress analysis and material strength theories for sizing and selecting materials of machine elements. Selection of gears, cams, belts, springs. Design projects.<br>Effective: Fall 2026   |
| Technical Change <a href="#">ME 4433</a> | <b>Approved</b> | <b>FROM: ME 4433 Capstone Design and Innovation</b><br>(Prerequisites: ME 3423 and ME 4403). Two hours lecture, two hours laboratory. Semester capstone design experience simulating professional mechanical engineering practice. Emphasis is on the application of engineering fundamentals to a comprehensive design project utilizing computer-aided design and analysis tools.<br><b>TO: ME 4433 Capstone Design and Innovation</b><br>(Prerequisite: ME 3423, Corequisite: ME 4403). Two hours lecture, two hours laboratory. Semester capstone  |

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## FOREST RESOURCES

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| Addition<br>+Distance | <a href="#">WFA 4863/ 6863</a> | Approved | <b>WFA 4863/6863 Principles of One Health</b> (Prerequisites: WFA – 3133 or graduate standing). Two hours lecture. Two hours laboratory. Introduction to systems thinking and One Health concepts exploring interconnections between human, animal, and environmental health. Examines zoonotic disease emergence, antimicrobial resistance, food security, and ecosystem services through collaborative case-based learning and application of systems approaches to complex health challenges.<br>Method of Instruction: B<br>Method of Delivery: F & O<br>Campus: 1 & 5<br>CIP: 030601<br>30 Char: Principles of One Health<br>Effective: Fall 2026 |
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## NURSING

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| Addition     | <a href="#">NSG 6000</a> | Approved | <b>NSG 6000 Emphasis Area Elective</b> (Prerequisite: Admission to the MSN Program). 1-3 hours directed individual study. This elective course provides the opportunity for in-depth exploration of a selected area of professional interest. In collaboration with the faculty advisor, the student will design individualized learning objectives, course topics, and scholarly deliverables that align with the student’s selected emphasis area. The course may be repeated up to four times.<br>Method of Instruction: I<br>Method of Delivery: F<br>Campus: 2<br>CIP: 513801<br>30 Char: Emphasis Area Elective<br>Effective: Fall 2026 |
| Modification | <a href="#">NSG 6002</a> | Approved | <b>FROM: NSG 6002 Professionalism I: Socialization into Nursing</b> (Prerequisite: Admission into AMSN program). Two hours lecture. This course is designed to cultivate a sustainable professional nursing identity that integrates the experiences of individuals and the characteristics and values of nursing.<br><b>TO: NSG 6002 Professionalism I: Foundations of Graduate Nursing Practice</b> (Prerequisite: Admission  |

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|          |                          |          | into MSN program). Two hours lecture. This course is designed to cultivate a sustainable professional nursing identity that integrates the experiences of individuals and the characteristics and values of nursing.<br>Effective: Fall 2026  |
| Addition | <a href="#">NSG 6100</a> | Approved | <b>NSG 6100 Graduate Nursing Practicum</b> (Prerequisite: Admission to MSN Program). 1-3 hours practicum. Students will apply concepts of professionalism, leadership, and scholarship in a practical setting that aligns with their selected area of program emphasis. This practicum aims to develop students practical competency in the role of a graduate-prepared nurse in settings such as health sciences education, policy, population health, and leadership. This course may be repeated four times.<br>Method of Instruction: H<br>Method of Delivery: F<br>Campus: 2<br>CIP: 513801<br>30 Char: Graduate Nursing Practicum<br>Effective: Fall 2026 |
| Addition | <a href="#">NSG 8221</a> | Approved | <b>NSG 8221 Synthesis and Capstone Practicum</b> (Prerequisite: NSG 6100. Corequisite: NSG 8222). 1 hour practicum. Students will integrate advanced concepts of professionalism, leadership, and scholarship. Outcomes are application and dissemination of the capstone project written in NSG 8222. This practicum demonstrates the student's ability to operationalize theory, research, and clinical expertise to improve patient, population, or organizational outcomes.<br>Method of Instruction: H<br>Method of Delivery: F<br>Campus: 2<br>CIP: 513801<br>30 Char: Synthesis and Capstone Practic<br>Effective: Summer 2027                           |
| Addition | <a href="#">NSG 8222</a> | Approved | <b>NSG 8222 Synthesis and Capstone</b> (Prerequisite: NSG 6000, NSG 6002. Corequisite: NSG 8221). 2 hours lecture. Students will integrate advanced concepts of professionalism, leadership, and scholarship and produce a capstone project related to their selected area of emphasis. The capstone demonstrates ability to apply theory, research, and clinical expertise to improve patient, population, or organizational outcomes.<br>Method of Instruction: C<br>Method of Delivery: F<br>Campus: 2<br>CIP: 513801<br>30 Char: Synthesis and Capstone<br>Effective: Summer 2027   |

**2. Program Proposals by college/school:**

**AGRICULTURE AND LIFE SCIENCES**

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| Modification | <a href="#">Minor: Animal and Dairy Sciences</a> | <b>Approved</b> | See proposal for changes Effective Fall 2026 |
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**ARCHITECTURE ART AND DESIGN**

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| Modification | <a href="#">BFA: Art</a>                             | <b>Approved</b> | See proposal for changes Effective Fall 2026 |
| Addition     | <a href="#">Minor: Building Construction Science</a> | <b>Approved</b> | New undergraduate minor Effective Fall 2026  |

**ARTS AND SCIENCES**

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| Modification | <a href="#">BS: Geosciences</a> | <b>Approved</b> | See proposal for changes Effective Fall 2026 |
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**EDUCATION**

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| Modification | <a href="#">EDD: Education-Educational Policy &amp; Organizational Design</a> | <b>Approved</b> | See proposal for changes Effective Summer 2026 |
| Modification | <a href="#">BS: Elementary Education</a>                                      | <b>Approved</b> | See proposal for changes Effective Fall 2026   |
| Modification | <a href="#">MAT: Elementary Level Alternate Route</a>                         | <b>Approved</b> | See proposal for changes Effective Summer 2026 |

**INTEGRATIVE STUDIES**

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| Addition | <a href="#">BS: Tourism and Destination Development</a> | <b>Approved</b> | New degree program Effective Fall 2026 |
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