

Cover Sheet: Request 13492

ALS 3203 PC Use In Agriculture

Info

Process	Course Modify Ugrad/Pro
Status	Pending at PV - University Curriculum Committee (UCC)
Submitter	Jennifer Weeks jenweeks1@ufl.edu
Created	1/9/2019 10:54:50 AM
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Description of request	The Department of Entomology and Nematology is requesting to terminate this course.

Actions

Step	Status	Group	User	Comment	Updated
Department	Approved	CALS - Entomology and Nematology 514914000	Heather Mcauslane		1/9/2019
No document changes					
College	Approved	CALS - College of Agricultural and Life Sciences	Joel H Brendemuhl	Approved by CALS CC 2/15/19.	2/20/2019
No document changes					
University Curriculum Committee	Commented	PV - University Curriculum Committee (UCC)	Lee Morrison	Added to March 3-26 agenda.	3/22/2019
No document changes					
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Statewide Course Numbering System					
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Submitter: Jennifer Weeks jenweeks1@ufl.edu

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Responses

Current Prefix ALS

Course Level 3

Number 203

Lab Code None

Course Title PC Use in Agriculture

Effective Term Earliest Available

Effective Year Earliest Available

Requested Action Terminate Course

Change Course Prefix? No

Change Course Level? No

Change Course Number? No

Change Lab Code? No

Change Course Title? No

Change Transcript Title? No

Change Credit Hours? No

Change Variable Credit? No

Change S/U Only? No

Change Rotating Topic Designation? No

Change Repeatable Credit? No

Maximum Repeatable Credits 0

Change Course Description? No

Change Prerequisites? No

Change Co-requisites? No

Rationale The main audience for this course is students from the College of Communications fulfilling an elective from the quantitative track (to replace the foreign language requirement). Given the advancement of technology within the discipline, the content of the course is no longer providing educational value to that audience. The course material is redundant to the knowledge and skills learned within the coursework of the majors for that college.

From: Weigold, Michael <mweigold@jou.ufl.edu>
Sent: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 9:20 AM
To: Brendemuhl,Joel H <brendj@ufl.edu>
Subject: RE: Discontinuing ALS 3203 - PC Use in Agriculture

Understood Joel, and thanks for letting me know. It has been a popular course in our quantitative option but with changing tech and savvier students I can see why you would discontinue

Best

Mike

From: Brendemuhl,Joel H <brendj@ufl.edu>
Sent: Tuesday, January 8, 2019 2:10 PM
To: Weigold, Michael <mweigold@jou.ufl.edu>
Cc: Brendemuhl,Joel H <brendj@ufl.edu>
Subject: Discontinuing ALS 3203 - PC Use in Agriculture

Good afternoon Mike,

I hope you had a great break and things are not too crazy yet for you. I wanted to let you know that we are planning to discontinue offering ALS 3203 – PC Use in Agriculture after spring semester 2019. I'm hopeful that this does not negatively impact your students since it appears they have many options to choose from to fulfill their requirement (see below). Please contact me should you feel this may be a hardship for any of your students.

Kind regards,
Joel

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Foreign Language Proficiency or Quantitative Option

This requirement is satisfied by demonstrating proficiency or completing college-level credits in a single foreign language.

Students who elect the foreign language option may meet the requirement by successfully completing the second or third beginning-level course in one foreign language. Or, students can complete two college semesters of American Sign Language. This is *not* a credit requirement, but a *proficiency* requirement, and it is satisfied by earning a minimum grade of C or S.

Students who previously have studied French, German, Latin or Spanish must take the SAT II placement exam for the appropriate language (unless the student has AP or IB

scores for that subject). The exam places the student *into* the correct course in the sequence or *out of* the requirement. Students do not receive college credit for SAT II. Refer to the undergraduate catalog for information about SAT II exam scores: <https://catalog.ufl.edu/ugrad/current/advising/info/SAT-subject-test-placement.aspx>.

CLEP

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Students may also take the corresponding CLEP test for foreign language. From the university catalog: "Students beginning in the fall or spring term must have taken the exams... and have their scores reported to the university before the end of their first term of enrollment at UF."

For other languages not listed above, students should consult an advisor to discuss acceptable options for demonstrating proficiency. Students who wish to demonstrate proficiency must do so before earning 90 credits.

To meet the quantitative option, take any three of the following courses:

Course List		
Code	Title	Credits
<u>ACG 2021</u>	Introduction to Financial Accounting	4
<u>ACG 2071</u>	Introduction to Managerial Accounting	4
<u>CGS 2531</u>	Problem Solving Using Computer Software	3
<u>CGS 3063</u>	Computers and Modern Society	3
<u>COP 3275</u>	Computer Programming Using C	3
<u>EME 2040</u>	Introduction to Educational Technology	3
or <u>ALS 3203</u>	PC Use in Agriculture	
<u>ISM 3004</u>	Computing in the Business Environment	4
<u>STA 2023</u>	Introduction to Statistics 1	3
<u>STA 3024</u>	Introduction to Statistics 2	3
<u>STA 4222</u>	Sample Survey Design	3

Statistics and computer courses listed under the quantitative option can apply three credits toward the general education mathematics requirement. Courses used for the quantitative option cannot be taken for S-U grades.