

Professional Curriculum Committee Requests November 2022

Approve	Conditionally Approve	Recycle
Combination degree between Doctorate in Medical Sciences and Doctor of Medicine		
ACG 7XXX- Advanced Data and Regression Techniques		
LAW 7XXX- Introduction to U.S. Tax Law		

Program Requests

1. Combination degree between Doctorate in Medical Sciences and Doctor of Medicine **[A]**
 - <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/17252>
 - Summary:
 - Existing program
 - Total Double counted credits: 40
 - 24 eligible professional credits toward the Ph.D.
 - 16 eligible graduate credits toward the M.D.)
 - Students in the combination graduate/professional Ph.D./M.D. degree program double-count 24 eligible professional credits from the M.D. program to their Ph.D. degree.
 - Doctor of Medicine students who complete the P.hD. may petition the College of Medicine's (COM) Academic Status Committee (ASC) to waive 4 elective credits for each year of training outside of the M.D. program, with a maximum of 16 credits.
 - Comments:
 - Approved by the Academic Assessment Committee and Director of Assessment.

Course Requests

Business

2. ACG 7XXX- Advanced Data and Regression Techniques **[CA][A]**
 - <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/17256>
 - Comments:
 - Previously recycled by UCC (May, 2022) with following comments:
 - Is this course meant for a graduate program or a professional program? **[This course is for the Doctor of Business Administration, which is a professional program.]**

- Please correct missing letters course description and remove underscores. [Updated]
- Is grading on a curve standard for the program? What is the purpose for it in this course? [Many courses in the college are graded on a curve, but in no case can the curve lower the grade a student would have gotten based on the ranges stated in the syllabus.]
- Is this course online or in person? [This course is taught in person, during two weekend residencies.]
- What are the residency requirements for the course, what does residency mean? Is this a program requirement? [The DBA Program is offered in a part-time format for working executives. As such, students attend residency weekends twice/semester where they attend in-person classes. Instructors may have additional online attendance requirements. All DBA courses follow the traditional University semester.]
- UF policy allows for excused absences and students are allowed to submit late work for any university approved absence. Please bring course policy in line with UF policy. [Updated]
 - You may also copy and paste the following statement into the syllabus, as long as the syllabus wording does not contradict UF policy;
 - “Requirements for class attendance and make-up exams, assignments, and other work in this course are consistent with university policies that can be found at: <https://catalog.ufl.edu/ugrad/current/regulations/info/attendance.aspx>
- What grade deductions occur for unexcused absences? This needs to be clearly stated. [A statement has been added in section 2.6: “Each unexcused absence lowers the participation grade by 2 points.]
- Please list course readings which will be provided to students. [Readings are listed on the form, students are referred to the list of readings in the canvas page. Email, 10/24/22]
- Please update the policy links in the syllabus. [Updated]
- Please update the Face-to-face and Covid policy sections to be in line with UF policy. [Updated]
- Please replace the recording policy for the course with the UF policy found here: https://syllabus.ufl.edu/media/syllabusufledu/syllabi_policy_8_5_2021.pdf [Updated]

Law

3. LAW 7XXX- Introduction to U.S. Tax Law

[CA][A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/17114>
- Comments:
 - Previously Conditionally Approved by the UCC (April, 2022), pending “clarification of absences, quiz drops, and late work in consideration of UF policy.”
 - ~~Please update attendance/makeup section of syllabus/request to be in line with UF policy which may be found here: <https://catalog.ufl.edu/ugrad/current/regulations/info/attendance.aspx>~~
 - ~~You may also copy and paste the following statement into the syllabus, as long as the syllabus wording does not contradict UF policy;~~
 - ~~“Requirements for class attendance and make-up exams, assignments, and other work in this course are consistent with university policies that can be found at: <https://catalog.ufl.edu/ugrad/current/regulations/info/attendance.aspx>~~
 - ~~Current make-up policy needs clarification regarding whether or not the make-up assignment for excused absence or religious holiday is the same that students attending class would receive.~~
[Updated]
 - Accommodations and Academic Honesty links need to be updated (currently broken links). [Updated]
 - What is the course schedule in content (module/topic) per day for the 4 day course? [Updated in syllabus to clearly define course hours in compressed schedule. 10/25/22]