

University Curriculum Committee

Program and Course Recommendations

October 15, 2024

PROGRAMS

Design, Construction and Planning

- 1. BS – Construction Management Curriculum Change** [CA]
 - <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20159>
 - Summary:
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 - Comments:
 - ~~The State Core Gen Ed Physical Sciences requirement has been removed (PHY 2053) and it was part of the Critical Tracking: this requirement and this element of Critical Tracking still needs to be replaced. It looks like the course PHY2053L was removed and not the PHY2053 course (so, just remove the lab). BCN3700 moved and is no longer upper division Critical tracking, so it does need a new critical tracking track changes page. Updated~~
 - ~~Model semester plan does not add to 120 credits. Please revise. Updated~~
 - Please submit a tracked change document for Critical Tracking.
Discrepancies between Critical Tracking and Model Semester Plan document – Semester 6.
- 2. BS – Construction Management Reduction to 120 cr. hrs.** [CA]
 - <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20160>
 - Summary:
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 - Comments:
 - ~~There are changes to Critical Tracking in the model semester doc, so they need to submit a Critical Tracking document with tracked changes.~~
Discrepancies between Critical Tracking and Model Semester Plan document – Semester 6.

Education

- 3. Disability in Society Minor (DIS) UFO** [A]
 - <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20068>
 - Summary:

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- Comments:
 - There is no catalog copy but that's ok as the submission form says it's identical to the residential version.

4. Early Childhood Studies Minor UFO

[A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20082>
- Summary:
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- Comments:
 - There is no catalog copy, but it's ok as the request says, "No differences from residential program."

CERTIFICATES

NEW UNDERGRADUATE CERTIFICATES

- None

CHANGES TO EXISTING CERTIFICATES

Center for Latin American Studies

5. Modification of the requirements for the Undergraduate Certificate in Latin American Studies [A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20509>
- Summary:
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- Comments:
 - ~~We will need more detail on courses that are useable so that the degree audit can function automatically.~~ Updated
 - ~~If course lists can be formed, this would also be better for the catalog copy.~~ Updated.
 - ~~Please include catlaog copy.~~ Updated.

COURSE RECOMMENDATIONS

PROPOSED NEW UNDERGRADUATE COURSES

Approved	Conditionally Approved	Recycle
IND 1XXX - Design for Humanity: Intention, Consequence and Change (Q1 Perm)	RTV 3XXX – Reality TV and Influencer Media	
LAA 1XXX - Urban Nature and Society (Q1 Perm)	ARC 1XXX - What is a City? (Q1 Perm)	
EME 2XXX: Making Sense: Understanding the World with Data and AI (Q2 Perm)	BCN 1XXX - Human Shelter Development (Q1 Perm)	
AMS 1XXX: The American Idea (Q1 Perm.)	BCN 2XXX - Foundations, Principles and Applications of Sustainable Development (Q2 Perm)	
AMS 1XXX: What is America For? (Q1 Perm.)	DCP 4XXX Community Resilience: Assessment, Planning, & Action in the Game of Life	
AMS 2XXX: America: Great Debates - (Q2 Permanent)	URP1XXX - This Must Be the Place (Q1 Perm)	
ISS 1XXX - Ancients and Moderns (Q1 Permanent)	EME 2XXX: Creating Enabling Technologies for Differently Abled People (Q2 Perm)	
ISS 1XXX: Capitalism and its Critics (Q1 Perm.)	ISS 1XXX - Faith and Reason in Jewish Thought - (Q1 Permanent)	
ISS 1XXX: Comedy and Citizenship (Q1 Perm.)	ISS 1XXX: Just War (Q1 Perm.)	

ISS 1XXX: Conflict and Character: Great Books in the Ancient World (Q1 Perm.)	ISS 1XXX: The Search for Meaning in a Secular Age (Q1 Perm.)	
ISS 1XXX: Freedom and Equality (Q1 Perm.)	ISS 1XXX: Why Spy? (Q1 Perm.)	
ISS 1XXX: God and Science (Q1 Perm.)		
ISS 1XXX: Immortality (Q1 Perm.)		
ISS 1XXX: Life, Liberty, and Happiness (Q1 Perm.)		
ISS 1XXX: Religion, Revolution, and the Person (Q1 Perm.)		
ISS 1XXX: Religious Freedom in Historical Perspective (Q1 Perm.)		
ISS 1XXX: Rhetoric and Leadership (Q1 Perm.)		
ISS 1XXX: Romanticism: The Storm of Feeling (Q1 Perm.)		
ISS 1XXX - The Art of War - (Q1 Permanent)		
ISS 1XXX: The Crisis of Liberalism (Q1 Perm.)		
ISS 1XXX: The End of Empires: Imperialism to Decolonization (Q1 Perm.)		
ISS 1XXX: The Politics of Nature (Q1 Perm.)		
ISS 1XXX: Utopias and Dystopias (Q1 Perm.)		

ISS 1XXX: War and the Human Condition (Q1 Perm.)		
ISS 1XXX: What is Democracy? (Q1 Perm.)		
ISS 1XXX: What is the Common Good? (Q1 Perm.)		
ISS 1XXX: Who Am I? The Self from Antiquity to 1700 (Q1 Perm.)		
ISS 1XXX: Why Fight? (Q1 Perm.)		
ISS 2XXX - Political Violence and Power (Q2 Permanent)		
ISS 2XXX - The Rule of Law - (Q2 Permanent)		
ISS 2XXX - What is Statecraft? - Q2 Permanent		

College of Journalism and Communications

6. RTV 3XXX – Reality TV and Influencer Media

[CA]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20561>

- Comments:

- ~~Please update the assignments section, as there should also be enough information in the assignment descriptions, so that students will know how they will be assessed, what the products will be (format, how submit, etc.), and what will be the anticipated workload on the student. The due dates should also be included. The syllabus policy does not require to go into that much detail—likely because it would cause each syllabus to be 20 pages. Nowhere does the syllabus policy require detailed descriptions of assessments or precise deadlines. All the details are on Canvas, and students access them there. They don't look for them in the syllabus. Some additional information was added to the current syllabus—including which week assignments are due in, but the details remain on Canvas.~~
- ~~Please check to make sure you follow Disability Awareness language, as this doesn't seem consistent with UF. Updated to standard wording.~~
- ~~Need info on discussion (partial/full credit?). How will students be assessed (accuracy, evidence, post in response to a prompt, etc.)~~ **Some**

additional info added, but the full rubric is available to students on Canvas.

- ~~Please add office location. Office hours 7-9pm — could this perhaps be a typo? 7-9am? The person who has been teaching the course for several years and will continue teaching it in the near future is an adjunct. They can come to campus only at night. Location updated (and hours changed to 6-8 p.m.)~~
- ~~Please update Honor Code and Honesty policy text to standard wording.~~ Updated to standard wording.
- ~~“Exceptions consistent with UF policies are allowed.” Please add wording for excused absences and make up policies.~~ Sentence updated and link to UF policy added.
- ~~Please add link to UF Grading policies.~~ Link added
- ~~Please add standard text and link for course evaluation. (See Syllabus Policy <https://syllabus.ufl.edu/syllabus-policy/#d.en.370530>).~~ Statement added.

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7. ARC 1XXX - What is a City? (Q1 Perm)

[CA]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20398>
 - Comments:
 - Form:
 - Course number should be XXX
 - Catalog Course description: it should not begin with this “This semester” and it should be telegraphed.
 - Syllabus:
 - Office hours (graduate assistant) should not be by appointment only per UF policy.
 - This is probably in the GEC’s purview and not the UCC’s, but the syllabus is from Spring 2023, so it contains the previous Humanities subject area objectives.
 - It should be clear that the paper assignment will be thesis driven as that’s a Quest 1 requirement.
 - The syllabus does not list the required readings.
 - Please update attendance policy – not all excused absences (religious holidays) do not require documentation.
 - Please update honesty policy by removing the sentence about “obligating students to report”. See Syllabus Policy <https://syllabus.ufl.edu/syllabus-policy/#d.en.370530>
 - Covid comments can be removed.

8. BCN 1XXX - Human Shelter Development (Q1 Perm)

[CA]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20394>

- Comments:
 - While I do see the link to the UF attendance policy, I'm just wondering how this will specifically apply to the course – particularly the field trip/site visits. Would you be able to note an alternative assignment for field trips/site visits if needed? If accommodations need to be made for individuals with specific needs.
 - Please revise Honor Code and Honesty Policy to standard wording. (See Syllabus Policy <https://syllabus.ufl.edu/syllabus-policy/#d.en.370530>)
 - Update optional links to more recent info on syllabus template (tutoring is no longer in Broward Hall).

9. BCN 2XXX - Foundations, Principles and Applications of Sustainable Development (Q2 Perm) [CA]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20395>
- Comments:
 - Please update UCC form as it says international credit; syllabus doesn't list this under Gen Ed section along with Quest 2, SBS credit, and writing credit.
 - The course description contains "Quest 2 courses," which it should not for the reasons expressed above.

10. DCP 4XXX Community Resilience: Assessment, Planning, & Action in the Game of Life [CA]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/19919>
- Comments:
 - Please revise the Attendance policy as it must be consistent with UF policy for religious exceptions (no documentation required). There is a sentence later in syllabus about religious holidays, but it seems to be contradicted by the statement under attendance. <https://catalog.ufl.edu/UGRD/academic-regulations/attendance-policies/>
 - Please update weekly topics to reflect 15 weeks.
 - Please add a Participation/discussion rubric, since it is 22% of grade.
 - Please revise Honor Code and Honesty Policy to standard wording. (See Syllabus Policy <https://syllabus.ufl.edu/syllabus-policy/#d.en.370530>)

11. IND 1XXX - Design for Humanity: Intention, Consequence and Change (Q1 Perm) [A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20387>
- Comments:
 - Both courses offered by DCP – no external consult required. Courses feature different content

12. LAA 1XXX - Urban Nature and Society (Q1 Perm) [A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20397>
- Comments:

- Please update “University Honesty Policy” to remove student obligation to report. Updated
- Please remove “Quest 1” from the course description. Updated

13. URP1XXX - This Must Be the Place (Q1 Perm) [CA]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20408>
- Comments:
 - Please update Humanities Subject area objective to current wording (which includes western canon)

Education

14. EME 2XXX: Creating Enabling Technologies for Differently Abled People (Q2 Perm) [CA]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20266>
- Comments:
 - In the participation/attendance policy, it states that: “for an absence to be excused you must speak with the instructor at least a week beforehand or ASAP (for unexpected emergency, sickness).” Should this be changed to contact, rather than speak? Is the student expected to make an appointment or call the professor?
 - Please revise the make-up work, as it states that “no assignment will be accepted after the deadline unless the inability to study is documented for medical reasons.” This is not allowed, as religious holidays do not require documentation.
 - Please strike “Quest 2” from the course description. Attributes are attached separately to courses, and course descriptions should never include attributes for two reasons. First, it’s likely the course could be taken by any student but not for Quest 2. Second, if the course attribute ever changes, there is no mechanism to trigger updating this in the course description.

15. EME 2XXX: Making Sense: Understanding the World with Data and AI (Q2 Perm) [A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20261>
- Comments:
 - Telegraph course description (is this still a university style requirement?)
 - Please remove “Quest 2” from course description for the reasons cited above.

Hamilton Center

16. AMS 1XXX: The American Idea (Q1 Perm.) [A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20301>
- Comments:

- ~~Please add a numerical grading scale to match the letter grades on the participation rubric.~~ **Addressed – Resolution: New Syllabus Uploaded.**

17. AMS 1XXX: What is America For? (Q1 Perm.) [A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20324>
- Comments:
 - ~~Please add a numerical grading scale to match the letter grades on the participation rubric.~~ **Addressed – Resolution – New Syllabus Uploaded.**

18. AMS 2XXX: America: Great Debates - (Q2 Permanent) [A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20427>
- Comments:
 - ~~Please add the established office hours on the syllabus, instead of TBD.~~
 - ~~Please add the number of credit hours this course will be offered for to the syllabus.~~
 - ~~Please add a numerical grading scale to match the letter grades on the participation rubric.~~ **Addressed – Resolution: New Syllabus Uploaded.**

19. ISS 1XXX: Ancients and Moderns (Q1 Permanent) [A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20348>
- Comments:
 - No comments.

20. ISS 1XXX: Capitalism and its Critics (Q1 Perm.) [A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20317>
- Comments:
 - ~~Please add a numerical grading scale to match the letter grades on the participation rubric.~~
 - ~~Please replace instructor listed (no longer at UF) with current instructor, Max Skjonsberg.~~ **The form has been updated.**

21. ISS 1XXX: Comedy and Citizenship (Q1 Perm.) [A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20302>
- Comments:
 - ~~Please add the number of credit hours this course will be offered for to the syllabus.~~
 - ~~Please add a numerical grading scale to match the letter grades on the participation rubric.~~ **Addressed – Resolution: New Syllabus Uploaded.**
 - ~~Please add a catalog description to the syllabus.~~ **Will be resolved at GEC.**

22. ISS 1XXX: Conflict and Character: Great Books in the Ancient World (Q1 Perm.) [A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20307>
- Comments:
 - ~~Please telegraph the course description, if required.~~ **Will be resolved at GEC.**

23. ISS 1XXX - Faith and Reason in Jewish Thought - (Q1 Permanent) [CA]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20347>
- Comments:
 - Form:
 - It is understood that there is a character limit, however, perhaps the transcript title should be updated, unless “Faith and Reason in Jewish Tho” is acceptable.
 - Is the course description telegraphic enough?
 - Please fix the the discrepancy between the page numbers on some readings in the form vs. in the syllabus.
 - Syllabus:
 - Please add a writing manual to the syllabus.
 - The syllabus clarifies how self-reflection will be incorporated in the graded work. Will the graded work include the experiential learning activity? (I think that it is a Quest requirement: https://undergrad.aa.ufl.edu/media/undergradaaufledu/uf-quest/quest-course-materials/quest-call-for-course-proposals/Checklist_Quest_Approval.pdf)
 - Please update attendance policy to be in compliance with the UF Syllabus Policy.
 - Please revise weekly topics for a 15 week term (not 16).
 - The final exam is planned to take place at the conclusion of the course and in-class in the Graded Work section. In that case, it cannot be comprehensive, and it will have to be during week 15.
 - Please add a numerical grading scale to match the letter grades on the participation rubric.

24. ISS 1XXX: Freedom and Equality (Q1 Perm.) [A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20255>
- Comments:
 - No comments.

25. ISS 1XXX: God and Science (Q1 Perm.) [A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20304>
- Comments:
 - ~~Late work policy: Do assignments have a grace period?~~
 - ~~Please specify what your policy is if a student misses a deadline due to reasons not mentioned in UF attendance policy.~~
 - ~~Please provide link to writing studio.~~ Addressed – Resolution: New Syllabus Uploaded.

26. ISS 1XXX: Immortality (Q1 Perm.) [A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20284>
- Comments:

- ~~Please make revisions to attendance policy to be in compliance with the UF Syllabus Policy.~~
 - ~~Please add specification on make up work.~~
- ~~Please update the honesty policy in particular, please remove the part about being “obligated” to report conditions.~~
- ~~Please add a numerical grading scale to match the letter grades on the participation rubric.~~ **Addressed - Resolution – New Syllabus Uploaded.**

27. ISS 1XXX: Just War (Q1 Perm.) [CA]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20356>
- Comments:
 - Please correct “Experiential Learning Component,” because Dr. Neil Weijer no longer works at the library. Please list another librarian or delete the name.
 - ~~Please offer more information about the “short assignment” component since it comprises 10% of the grade.~~
 - ~~Since this course fulfills the Writing Requirement, please make sure to include qualitative feedback on the student’s writing before the final paper is due in Week 13. (This can com in the form of feedback on their writing from the midterm exam in Week 7 or include a rough draft assignment with feedback).~~
 - ~~Please revise weekly topics for a 15 week term.~~
 - ~~Please add a numerical grading scale to match the letter grades on the participation rubric.~~ **Addressed – Resolution: New Syllabus Uploaded.**

28. ISS 1XXX: Life, Liberty, and Happiness (Q1 Perm.) [A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20322>
- Comments:
 - ~~Late work policy: Do assignments have a grace period?~~
 - ~~Please specify what your policy is if a student misses a deadline due to reasons not mentioned in UF attendance policy.~~
 - ~~Please provide link to writing studio.~~ **Addressed – Resolution: New Syllabus Uploaded.**

29. ISS 1XXX: Religion, Revolution, and the Person (Q1 Perm.) [A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20319>
- Comments:
 - ~~Please add to the number of credit hours this course will offered for to the syllabus.~~
 - ~~Please add a numerical grading scale to match the letter grades on the participation rubric.~~ **Addressed – Resolution: New Syllabus Uploaded**

30. ISS 1XXX: Religious Freedom in Historical Perspective (Q1 Perm.) [A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20263>
- Comments:

- Please correct “Details of Experiential Learning Component,” because Dr. Neil Weijer no longer works at the library. Please list another librarian or delete the name.
- Please offer more information about the “short assignment” component since it comprises 10% of the grade.
- Under “II. Graded Work,” please correct the date for the Midterm Exam (Now listed at Week 13).
- Please correct “V. Quest Learning Experiences,” at “Details of Experiential Learning Component,” to better reflect the course topic (i.e. remove “God and Science.”)
- Please be sure to list the specific office hours on the syllabus.
- Please add a numerical grading scale to match the letter grades on the participation rubric.
- Please revise weekly topics for a 15-week term. **Addressed - Resolution – New Syllabus Uploaded.**

31. ISS 1XXX: Rhetoric and Leadership (Q1 Perm.) **[A]**

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20321>
- Comments:
 - Please add a numerical grading scale to match the letter grades on the participation rubric. **Addressed – Resolution: New Syllabus Uploaded.**

32. ISS 1XXX: Romanticism: The Storm of Feeling (Q1 Perm.) **[A]**

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20276>
- Comments:
 - Please add to the number of credit hours this course will offered for to the syllabus.
 - Please add a numerical grading scale to match the letter grades on the participation rubric. **Addressed – Resolution: New Syllabus Uploaded.**
 - Please add a catalog description to the syllabus. **Will be resolved at the GEC level.**
 - This is a dense course for freshmen, but if graded well would serve as a springboard to many majors and topics.

33. ISS 1XXX - The Art of War - (Q1 Permanent) **[A]**

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20428>
- Comments:
 - Late work policy: Do assignments have a grace period?
 - Please specify what your policy is if a student misses a deadline due to reasons not mentioned in UF attendance policy.
 - Please provide link to writing studio.
 - Attendance is listed at two places. Provide link for this one. Or consolidate.
 - **Class Attendance: 10%**
 - i. On-time class attendance is required for this component of the course grade. You may have two unexcused absences

~~without any penalty, but starting with the third class missed your grade will be affected. Starting with the third unexcused absence, each unexcused absence reduces your attendance grade by 2/3: an A becomes a B, and so on.~~

- ~~○ ii. Except for absence because of religious holiday observance, documentation is required for excused absences, per university policy. Excessive unexcused absences (10 or more) will result in failure of the course. If you miss 10 or more classes (excused or not), you will miss material essential for successful completion of the course. Addressed – Resolution: New Syllabus Uploaded.~~

34. ISS 1XXX: The Crisis of Liberalism (Q1 Perm.) [A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20283>
- Comments:
 - ~~○ Late work policy: Do assignments have a grace period?~~
 - Please specify what your policy is if a student misses a deadline due to reasons not mentioned in UF attendance policy. All policies are in compliance with UF Syllabus Policy.
 - ~~○ There is a great deal of heavy reading. Are there concerns about the amount of reading for a lower division course?~~
 - Great stuff, formative stuff and much of it (Locke, Hume) the basis of much of our own US political foundational documents.

35. ISS 1XXX: The End of Empires: Imperialism to Decolonization (Q1 Perm.) [A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20242>
- Comments:
 - ~~○ Please revise weekly topics for a 15 week term.~~
 - Please add a numerical grading scale to match the letter grades on the participation rubric. Addressed – Resolution: New Syllabus Uploaded (in accordance with comments on other approvals.

36. ISS 1XXX: The Politics of Nature (Q1 Perm.) [A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20241>
- Comments:
 - No comments.

37. ISS 1XXX: The Search for Meaning in a Secular Age (Q1 Perm.) [CA]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20308>
- Comments:
 - ~~○ Form: There are inconsistencies in the graded assignments between the form and the course syllabus.~~
 - ~~The weekly schedule of topics is from the Spring 24 semester.~~
 - ~~On the form, there is an Argument Analysis Paper (25%) 1,500-2,000 words that satisfies the WR2000. In that case, it should be at least 2000 words unless the experiential learning assignment also counts towards the WR.~~
 - There is a Final Exam (25%) Addressed – Resolution: Form Updated.

- Syllabus: The syllabus is from the Fall 24 semester. Some of the comments below may be in the GEC's purview:
 - ~~Since the course satisfies WR 2000 words, does the Experiential Learning Writing Assignment (700 words) count towards this requirement? If so, that should be stated.~~
 - There is no Argument Analysis Paper but the syllabus states that the in-class Essay Exam (30%) will fulfill the writing requirement. However, this is not allowed per UF policy: <https://undergrad.aa.ufl.edu/general-education/gen-ed-courses/structure-of-wr-courses/wr-course-guidelines/>
 - ~~There is a Short Final Exam (20%) instead of the Final Exam (25%) on the form.~~
 - ~~The University Honesty Policy should be updated.~~
 - Please add a numerical grading scale to match the letter grades on the participation rubric. **Addressed – Resolution : New Syllabus Uploaded.**

38. ISS 1XXX: Utopias and Dystopias (Q1 Perm.) **[A]**

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20274>
- Comments:
 - ~~Please add a numerical grading scale to match the letter grades on the participation rubric.~~
 - ~~Please revise weekly topics for a 15 week term (not 16).~~ **Addressed – Resolution: New Syllabus Uploaded.**

39. ISS 1XXX: War and the Human Condition (Q1 Perm.) **[A]**

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20311>
- Comments:
 - No comments.

40. ISS 1XXX: What is Democracy? (Q1 Perm.) **[A]**

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20306>
- Comments:
 - ~~Please make revisions to attendance policy to be in compliance with the UF Syllabus Policy.~~
 - ~~Please add specification on make up work.~~
 - ~~Please add a numerical grading scale to match the letter grades on the participation rubric.~~ **Addressed – Resolution – New Syllabus Uploaded.**

41. ISS 1XXX: What is the Common Good? (Q1 Perm.) **[A]**

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20238>
- Comments:
 - ~~Please update attendance policy to accommodate religious observances per university policy (no documentation required).~~ **Addressed – Resolution – New Syllabus Uploaded.**

42. ISS 1XXX: Who Am I? The Self from Antiquity to 1700 (Q1 Perm.) **[A]**

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20290>
- Comments:
 - ~~Please telegraph the catalog course description.~~ Will be resolved at GEC.
 - ~~Please update the syllabus and form to have the appropriate dates.~~
 - The syllabus is from Fall 2024, but the dates in the Graded Work section are in Spring 2024. Form has been Updated.

43. ISS 1XXX: Why Fight? (Q1 Perm.) [A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20286>
- Comments:
 - ~~Please telegraph course description, if required.~~ Will be resolved at GEC.

44. ISS 1XXX: Why Spy? (Q1. Perm) [CA]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20292>
- Comments:
 - ~~Please revise weekly topics for a 15-week term.~~
 - Please update syllabus to reflect the following information: “Late submission of experiential learning assignment must be permitted without penalty for excused reasons.”
 - ~~Please add a numerical grading scale to match the letter grades on the participation rubric.~~ Addressed – Resolution – New Syllabus Uploaded (in accordance with comments on other approvals).

45. ISS 2XXX - Political Violence and Power (Q2 Permanent) [A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20344>
- Comments:
 - ~~Please telegraph course description (if required).~~ Will be resolved at GEC.

46. ISS 2XXX - The Rule of Law - (Q2 Permanent) [A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20415>
- Comments:
 - ~~Please include an office number in the syllabus for the Professor’s office hours.~~
 - ~~Please include a writing manual under “Required Readings and Works.”~~
 - ~~With the 2,000-word assignment being due in Week 15, the review subcommittee questions if qualitative feedback will be given on any writing assignment prior to that so that they can receive writing instruction before the longer assignment at the end of the course. It is suggested that a precursor rough draft assignment be created.~~
 - Please correct “Details of Experiential Learning Component,” because Dr. Neil Weijer no longer works at the library. Please list another librarian or delete the name.— Addressed – Resolution – New Syllabus Uploaded.

47. ISS 2XXX - What is Statecraft? - Q2 Permanent [A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20421>

- Comments:
 - ~~Please add a numerical grading scale to match the letter grades on the participation rubric.~~ Addressed – Resolution – New Syllabus Uploaded.

PROPOSED CHANGES TO UNDERGRADUATE COURSES

Approved	Conditionally Approved	Recycle
BCN 3521C Electrical Systems	BCN 4423C Temporary Structures	
	Change prerequisite for URP 3001	
	CLP4420 Introduction to Neuropsychology	
	HSC3057 Research Methods and Issues in Health Science Course Modification	
	HSC3502 Survey of Diseases and Disability Course Modification	
	HSC3661 Therapeutic Communication Skills with Patients, Families and the Health Care Team Course Modification	
	HSC4557 Medical Pharmacology in Clinical Care Course Modification	
	HSC4608 Clinical Diagnosis and Decision Making Course Modification	
	OTH3416 Pathophysiology	
	PHC4796C Artificial Intelligence in Psychological and Brain Sciences Course Modification	

Design, Construction and Planning

48. BCN 3521C Electrical Systems

[A]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20273>

- Comments:
 - Please update the submitted form, the course 3-digit code is given as 3000 but the request is not to change it from the current, so the response should 521. **Updated.**
 - Please update the instructor information on the Syllabus. **Updated**
 - Please review the syllabus for typos. For example, on p.4, the submitted syllabus states: “At the end of Russian Fairy Tales, students will be able to...” looks like the syllabus was grafted together with an example syllabus. Needs to be fixed. **Updated**
 - Please provide a short description of the in-class and take-home assignments. For example, will the in-class assignments be announced ahead of time, will they be graded on completion or accuracy, etc. **Updated**
 - The SLOs should be observable and measurable: p. 4 of the syllabus “Have a basic understanding” “Be aware of safety issues”, “Read and interpret” “Possess knowledge..” need to be replaced. **Updated**
 - Please update links. For example, <https://catalog.ufl.edu/UGRD/academicregulations/grades-grading-policies/> does not work any more. **Updated**
 - Attendance is stated as required (p.5) but is not graded. How will it be monitored and how will it be enforced? **Updated**
 - On p.5 no quizzes are listed in the grading scheme, but there is Quiz/Exam/ etc., policy. Please update titles. **Updated**
 - Include a statement related to class attendance, make-up exams and other work such as: “Requirements for class attendance and make-up exams, assignments, and other work in the course are consistent with university policies: See <https://catalog.ufl.edu/UGRD/academic-regulations/attendance-policies/>” **Updated.**
 - Please revise as the Make-up policy requiring work to be completed within two scholastic days of the absence is not consistent with UF’s make-up policy. Students should be given reasonable time to make-up work after an absence. The 2-day restriction may not be enough time if the student had a family or a medical emergency, etc. **Updated.**

49. BCN 4423C Temporary Structures

[CA]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20244>
- Comments:
 - Late homework policy does not account for excused reasons for late submissions.
 - The Rinker policy that honor code violations result in course failure; isn’t this decided based on a hearing through Dean of Students?
 - Please add a description in syllabus about any of the course assessments.
 - The course grading scheme says 10 assignments, but weekly schedule shows only 6. How many in-class exercises during the semester?
 - Please provide link to UF Grading policies.

- Please provide link and standard text for UF attendance policy. (See Syllabus Policy <https://syllabus.ufl.edu/syllabus-policy/#d.en.370530>)
- Please provide standard text for course evaluations. Updated
- We suggest provided other campus resources as well, such as U Matter We Care, etc. Updated.

50. Change prerequisite for URP 3001

[CA]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/19859>
- Comments:
 - There is nothing in the assignment descriptions that is substantive or connects to the topics of this course. They are written in generic terms only and cannot be identified with this course.
 - Please add office hours that require no appointment.
 - Please add wording for excused absences and make-up policies.
 - Please add link to UF attendance policies.
 - Please add link to UF grading policies.
 - Should all plagiarism wording be included in syllabus? Is this wording up to date and consistent with current university policies? May want to consider reviewing and revising or adding the link from where this was pulled from.

Public Health and Health Professions

51. CLP4420 Introduction to Neuropsychology

[CA]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20557>
- Comments:
 - No comments. Course modification to eliminate two prereqs and retain one current prereq.--looks good.
 - Please add verbiage for excused absences and make-up policies.
 - Please remove COVID verbiage.

52. HSC3057 Research Methods and Issues in Health Science Course Modification

[CA]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20556>
- Comments:
 - Seems ok but what is rationale for expanding to the Applied Brain Science minor? No rationale is provided.
 - Technical support URL in syllabus is broken, replace with active URL
 - Can penalty for Honor Code violation be specified in syllabus? Or does this have to be decided by Dean of Students in conjunction with instructor following a hearing?
 - Link to multicultural affairs in syllabus is broken; info on this page of syllabus may need to be updated.

53. HSC3502 Survey of Diseases and Disability Course Modification

[CA]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20552>

- Comments:
 - Attendance requirements are listed in two places.
 - **Attendance, Participation, and Professional Behavior** (The first one does not have a link to the UF policy.)
 - **Policy Related to Required Class Attendance** (has link to UF policy)
 - Provide link to UF attendance policy and use boiler plate language in both places.
 - Or better consolidate the two.
 - Please delete or update COVID policy (not a pandemic anymore)
 - **Professionalism and Safety Precautions regarding the coronavirus**
 - **Inclusive Learning Environment check**
 - www.multicultural.ufl.edu
 - takes you to a blank page
 - Please review this course carefully for outdated information.
 - Please clarify the prereq, as it is unclear.
 - Do you qualify if you're only pursuing an HPR_UMN minor? Should HPR_UMN be brought into the grouped options that immediately precede it? That would seem to make the most sense, but is it something else? Need to verify.
- Proposed Prerequisites** PSY2012(C) & STA2023(C) AND (PHC4101(C) & (HES_BHS or CSD_BHS or PBH_BPH major)) or HPR_UMN minor
Change Co-requisites? No

54. HSC3661 Therapeutic Communication Skills with Patients, Families and the Health Care Team Course Modification **[CA]**

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20554>
- Comments:
 - Religious observances do not require documentation for make-up (but should be worked out in advance). Make-ups must be allowed for unexpected but excused absences (sudden illness)

55. HSC4557 Medical Pharmacology in Clinical Care Course Modification **[CA]**

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20553>
- Comments:
 - Please update resource links from current syllabus template (teaching center no longer in Broward)
 -

56. HSC4608 Clinical Diagnosis and Decision Making Course Modification **[CA]**

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20555>
- Comments:
 - Syllabus: There are two syllabi uploaded on the same day. The HSC4608...updated has the new prerequisites, so that's probably the most up to date one.
 - Office hours cannot be by appointment only. See UF policy here: <https://aa.ufl.edu/policies/office-hours-guidance/>

- p. 1: The second paragraph about **Preferred Course Communications** contradicts the first paragraph on the same topic. Should students use or not use the Canvas mail tool?
- Please check all links, as some are broken. For example, in the Academic Integrity section: The link <https://www.dso.ufl.edu/sccr/process/student-conduct-honor-code/> must be updated. Also, the instructor provides this link: <http://gradschool.ufl.edu/students/introduction.html> but this is not a graduate course.
- Please update the make-up exam policy to allow excused emergency absences.
- Who is Sarah Collins?

57. OTH3416 Pathophysiology

[CA]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20551>
- Comments:
 - Please see the second objective uses the term “understand,” which is ambiguous. Recommend using a more observable indicator such as “explain.”
 - Please provide more information is needed for the assignments. What topics will each exam cover? How will quizzes and exams be administered? Provide more examples of the weekly, online assignments and how they will be assessed.

58. PHC4796C Artificial Intelligence in Psychological and Brain Sciences Course

Modification

[CA]

- <https://secure.aa.ufl.edu/Approval/reports/20558>
- Comments:
 - Please update links as, teaching center is no longer in Broward Hall.
 - Please update the Attendance policy cannot punish students for missed participation points if the absence is excused (must be provided make-up opportunity).

PROPOSED NEW JOINT COURSES

Approved	Conditionally Approved	Recycle

College

- None

PROPOSED 5000 LEVEL COURSES

Approved	Conditionally Approved	Recycle

College

- None