Arts and Sciences Curriculum Committee (ASCC)

Report for the ASC Faculty Senate

For activities from July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020

#### A. Curricular and Assessment Initiatives

#### New GE

Throughout the academic year, the members of the ASCC were given updates about the work of the university-wide GE Implementation Committee, which was informed by the work of several subcommittees and input from the university community. A separate ASC-specific working group led by Carmen Taleghani-Nikazm convened to update the Expected Learning Outcomes for the World Languages category and ASCC approved these on 1-17-20. The ASCC also remained in constant conversation with the ASC Faculty Senate and, amongst others, provided recommendations on two college-specific GE motions prepared by the ASC Senate. On April 3, 10, and 17, ASCC discussed the GE Implementation report. ASCC expressed its support for most aspects of the implementation report, particularly the sections pertaining to ELOs, Bookends, High-Impact Practices, The Regional Campuses and ATI, and Advising. However, ASCC recommended against having two different committees (an ASCC Themes Panel and an advisory committee reporting to ULAC) review GE themes requests and against concurrent review of courses by different committees. The ASCC also found the proposed outline for approving program-specific Embedded Literacies plans for advanced writing, data analysis, and technology to be too sparse in its details. ASCC was subsequently informed that GE themes requests would be reviewed during joint meetings of the ASCC Themes Panel and representatives of the ULAC Theme-specific advisory committee and that concurrent review would not happen at any level. The modified plan preserving ASC's historic and statutory role in managing the GE was supported by the ASCC and on May 13, the ASC Faculty Senate voted to approve the new GE Implementation plan.

#### Certificates

On 9-6-19, ASCC resumed a conversation about whether credit hours earned by ASC students when taking certificates in another college could count toward the minimum 111 hours in ASC-approved courses required for graduation. Up to then, ASC-approved courses had included courses in minors in other colleges and courses outside ASC that are included in ASC programs. The rule did not address officially declared certificate programs offered outside of ASC. A working group of ASCC panel representatives subsequently met to consider whether undergraduate certificates from outside the college met the mission of ASC. On 11-15-19, ASCC voted to include those non-ASC credit hours in the minimum 111 hours, except for two certificates: the Hydraulic Repair Certificate and the Turfgrass Equipment Manager Certificate. Those two were deemed insufficient to meet the needs of an ASC degree.

#### **Team-Teaching Proposals**

The College issued another call for undergraduate team-teaching proposals in April 2019. The call was for courses to be taught first in AU20 or SP21. On 10-18-20, the ASCC met and reviewed one proposal, which was approved for funding: Earth Sciences and Astronomy 5205 "Planetary Science."

#### Assessment of General Education

Autumn 2019

- The Assessment Panel reviewed Course Set S5 assessment reports and new GE course reports.
- During the 2017-18 academic year, the Assessment Panel had requested GE assessment plans and reports from departments who had not submitted them in the past. This included 11 new GE courses and 10 courses from Course Set S3. The Assessment Panel reviewed these GE assessment reports.
- The Assessment Panel discussed best practices for GE assessment and continued to develop supporting documents for GE assessment.

#### Spring 2020

- The Assessment Panel continued to review Course Set S5 assessment reports, new GE course reports, and reports from Course Set S3 that had previously not been submitted and were rerequested in the 2017-18 academic year.
- ASC Curriculum and Assessment Services revised the survey, which was designed using Qualtrics, for assessment report submission—including adjustments for the new GE program.

#### **First-year Seminars**

A separate report on First-year Seminars will be submitted by the First-year Seminars program.

#### B. Programs

#### New Undergraduate Major

#### French and Francophone Studies BA

The Department of French and Italian designed this major to mirror the Italian Studies major. The existing French major only allows one course to be taught in English and does not allow any coursework outside the department. This major will allow for more interdisciplinary study of French and Francophone studies and provide students with more opportunities to double major. The program consists of 30 major credit hours and an additional 15 credit hours of prerequisites. Students will gain skills in French language and knowledge of French and Francophone cultures. Students will be permitted to take up to twelve credit hours in English in the department or in other departments in Arts and Sciences. The Department anticipates the program will be a popular second major for many students in ASC.

#### **New Combined Program**

#### **Combined French BA/MA**

This new program enables interested students to earn a BA and MA in French in five years. French majors will apply for the program in their junior year. Students must complete all requirements for the BA in French and all the requirements for the MA in French. Up to 9 hours of graduate coursework may overlap. This combined program will be excellent preparation for the job market or for top-notch PhD or professional degree programs.

#### **New Certificates**

#### Advanced Chemistry Knowledge for Educators

The stand-alone graduate certificate developed by the Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry provides a path for high school teachers who possess a master's degree in a different field to become credentialed to teach College Credit Plus courses in Chemistry. The certificate will be offered online, allowing for educators from across Ohio and outside Ohio to enroll in the program. Students will be required to take 18 credit hours including Chemistry 6086, Chemistry 6087, Chemistry 6088, and Chemistry 6089. The courses were created specifically for this certificate. The Department anticipates an initial enrollment of 8-10 students during the first year.

The **School of Earth Sciences** went through a thorough revision of their major, as discussed below under Major Revisions, and simultaneously developed five certificates. The revision was the result of program assessment, student feedback, and changing student and workforce demands.

#### Hydrogeology Certificate

The Hydrogeology Certificate will be offered as an embedded undergraduate certificate, a postbachelor undergraduate certificate, and a graduate certificate. The certificate is primarily composed of courses in Earth Sciences and also includes courses from Civil Engineering and the School of Environment and Natural Resources. Coursework will prepare students for work or research in the field of hydrogeology and will meet education criteria for certification by the American Institute of Hydrology.

#### **Natural History Museum Curation Certificate**

The Natural History Museum Curation Certificate will be offered as an embedded undergraduate certificate, a post-bachelor undergraduate certificate, and a graduate certificate. The certificate is designed for students who have an interest in working in natural history museums, where both disciplinary experience and curatorial or museum-based outreach experience is typically required. The certificate will provide experience in identification and classification of natural samples and curatorial and/or museum management through a combination of internships and coursework.

#### **Marine Science Certificate**

The Marine Science Certificate will be offered as an embedded undergraduate certificate and a graduate certificate. There is significant expertise among OSU faculty in marine science and a demand for coursework in marine science from a wide range of OSU students, but there is no clear curricular home for marine science. The interdisciplinary certificate, with coursework across the School of Earth Sciences, Geography, EEOB, and the School of Environment and Natural Resources, will provide a coherent set of coursework for undergraduates and graduates, and will prepare students for careers and/or research in marine science.

#### **Petroleum Geology Certificate**

The Petroleum Geology Certificate will be offered as an embedded undergraduate certificate, a post-bachelor undergraduate certificate, and a graduate certificate. The certificate, along with either the revised Geological Sciences or Geophysics subprograms of the Earth Sciences BS, replaces the former Petroleum Geology and Geophysics subprogram. The certificate will allow students in Earth Sciences, Civil Engineering, Environmental Engineering, and Chemical Engineering to demonstrate depth and breadth in petroleum geology.

#### **Planetary Science Certificate**

The Planetary Science Certificate is an embedded undergraduate certificate that will maximize on the university's existing strengths in planetary science, which currently lacks a departmental home. The interdisciplinary program primarily consists of courses in the School of Earth Sciences and in Astronomy, including a required team-taught course offered by Earth Sciences and Astronomy.

#### Essential Skills for Travel and Business in Russia Certificate

The undergraduate certificate offered by the Department of Slavic and East European Languages and Cultures is available as both a stand-alone and embedded certificate. Students in the program will learn basic language and cultural competencies for working and traveling in Russia. The program consists of 12-13 credit hours. Students will be required to take Russian 1101.01 "Introduction to Russian (Elementary Level 1)", Russian 1102.01 "Introduction to Russian (Elementary Level 2)", Russian 2335 "Magnificence, Mayhem, and Mafia: Russian Culture", and Russian 2200 "Russian Langue and Culture for Travel and Business." The department anticipates an annual enrollment of 10-20 students.

#### Food, Culture, and Society Certificate

The embedded undergraduate certificate is a multidisciplinary program administered by the Department of Anthropology. The certificate reflects a growing student interest in issues related to the history, culture, and social meaning of food. The program consists of 12 credit hours. Students will select four courses from the following five options: History 2702 "Food in World History", Comparative Studies 2420 "American Food Cultures", WGSST 3101 "Food and Gender", Sociology 4463 "Food and Inequality in the United States", and Anthropology 5624 "The Anthropology of Food: Culture, Society and Eating."

#### Geographic Information Science and Technology Certificate

The graduate certificate offered by the Department of Geography will develop students' skillsets in Geographic Information Science and Technology (GIST). The certificate will provide current OSU graduate students and working professionals training in GIST, a skill that is increasingly in demand. The department anticipates an initial enrollment of 12 students. The program consists of 12 credit hours. All students are required to take Geography 5210 "Fundamentals of GIS." Students are required to take no more than two electives from the following three introductory electives: Geography 5103 "Intermediate Spatial Data Analysis", Geography 5200 "Cartography and Map Design", and Geography 5225 "Geographic Applications of Remote Sensing." Students are required to take at least one advanced elective.

#### **Health Communication Certificate**

The Health Communication Certificate is an interdisciplinary embedded undergraduate certificate offered by the School of Communication. The certificate focuses on health message design and interpersonal communication in healthcare settings. Students will be required to take two courses in the School of Communication (Communication 4736: Health Communication in Interpersonal Contexts and Communication 4737: Health Communication Intervention and Message Design) and two additional elective options from a selection of 42 courses from 11 different departments and units, including the College of Nursing, Health and Rehabilitation Sciences, the College of Public Health, and others.

#### Science and Environmental Communication Certificate

The embedded undergraduate certificate developed by the School of Communication is an interdisciplinary program that will familiarize students with the theory and practice of communicating

about scientific and environmental issues. All students will be required to take Communication 2596 "An Introduction to Health, Environment, Risk, and Science Communication" and an additional choice of one of two advanced communication offerings. Students will also take two electives from a selection that includes electives in the School of Communication, the School of Environment and Natural Resources, Agricultural Communication, Public Affairs, and several other units. There is significant student interest for this certificate, and the School of Communication expects to enroll up to 50 students annually.

#### **Translation and Interpretation Certificate**

The undergraduate certificate is a cross-departmental program administered by the Center for Languages and Literatures and can be taken as an embedded certificate for current OSU undergraduates. Students in the program will gain skills in translation and interpretation and will be prepared for professional credentials in the field. The program consists of 12 credits, including 6 credits in the student's target language. The program expects an initial enrollment of 7 students in the first semester and 10 additional students during the first year.

#### New Undergraduate Minor

• American Sign Language Studies Minor

#### **Undergraduate Major Revisions**

#### **Actuarial Science BA and BS**

The Department of Mathematics revised the Actuarial Science BA and BS due to feedback from industry leaders indicating that Actuarial Science majors lacked strong communication skills. The revision added one prerequisite requirement in Communication (Communication 2110, Communication 2131, or Communication 2367) and one required course: English 3304 "Business and Professional Writing." The change increases the major requirements from 32-33 credit hours to 35-36 credit hours.

#### Art BFA

The Department of Art underwent a revision to reduce the total credits for the BFA by four credit hours to 121 credits following a 2017 peer review. This revision brings the program in line with national standards. Two courses with overlapping content were merged to become Art 5000 "Art and Professional Practices Seminar", reducing the major by three credit hours. Art 4999 "Senior Exhibition" was revised and reduced from three credits to one credit. The Department added a one credit hour internship, Art 3191. The Department also revised several course numberings and the course sequences of some concentrations.

#### **Bachelor of Music Education**

Following a review from the National Association of Schools of Music, the School of Music identified a need for a broader range of electives for Bachelor of Music Education students. The revision adds two courses to the elective options: Music 4665 "Arranging for the Music Educator" and Music 5765 "Literature for Vocal Music Education." Additionally, the School of Music adjusted course titles for several methods courses to better reflect course content.

#### **Communication BA**

The School of Communication revised the Communication BA after a self-study and external review. The revisions include updated descriptions for the three specializations; improved curricular content in two of three specializations; title changes for two of the three specializations; and improved assessment

procedures, including updated expected learning outcomes and direct assessment for each specialization.

# Data Analytics BS (revision to the Biomedical Informatics Specialization—renamed Biomedical and Public Health Analytics Specialization)

The revision to the Biomedical Informatics specialization of Data Analytics BS consisted of four major components: 1) changing the name of the specialization to Biomedical and Public Health Analytics; 2) revising the learning outcomes; 3) revising the curriculum to meet the new learning outcomes and to reduce the required number of credit hours; 4) introducing the College of Public Health as a partner in the Data Analytics program. Regular program assessment revealed the need to reduce the credit hours for this specialization to bring it in line with the other existing specializations as students were struggling to finish on schedule. The revised curriculum reduces the time to degree while expanding course options in health-related analytics concepts.

#### **Earth Sciences BS**

The School of Earth Sciences significantly revised the Earth Sciences BS during a yearlong process that included graduation exit surveys, student feedback panels, program assessment, and a survey of peer institution programs. The revision provides students with more depth and breadth in the curriculum, increased flexibility, better career guidance, and modernized course offerings. The prerequisites for the program were revised to better reflect the necessary preparation for the major and increase flexibility for students. Students in all subprograms are now required to take a 1 credit hour "Introduction to the Major" course and one course in Science and Sustainability. To gain breadth and depth, students are required to earn an approved certificate, a minor, or a double major. The four existing subprograms were revised to better reflect trends in the field. Most significantly, the Earth System Science subprogram was renamed Climate, Water, and the Environment, and the Petroleum Geology and Geophysics subprogram was eliminated.

#### Foreign language requirement for International Studies BA

The Undergraduate International Studies Program revised the language requirement for the International Studies BA. Students were previously required to complete one of 14 available foreign language minors as a co-requisite to their degree. They will now be required to complete 2 years of foreign language study (i.e., 1101-1103 and one additional foreign language course) instead of a minor. The foreign language minor requirement limited options for International Studies students who were often unable to complete a double major in addition to the language minor or were unable to minor in a foreign language that was relevant to their International Studies concentration. Additionally, only 7 of the 14 foreign language minors require language study beyond the 2-year requirement. Students will now have more options to study foreign languages at OSU that are not part of a minor program, to pursue a double major, or to complete their language requirement at a program abroad.

### Women's, Gender and Sexuality Studies BA

The revision to the BA and the minor eliminates the four concentration areas in the curriculum to better reflect emerging trends in feminist, gender, and women's studies and emphasizes the strengths of the department's multidisciplinary faculty. Students in the BA will take three required courses, including a new feminist methodology course and a capstone research project. Additionally, students will be required to take one course focusing on Women of Color and one course focusing on Global and Transnational Feminisms.

# Addition of World Languages Skills and Competencies Workshop requirement to 5 majors in Dept of French and Italian: French BA, French Studies BA, Italian BA, Italian Studies BA, and Romance Studies BA.

The goal of the workshop is to help undergraduate majors in French, French Studies, Italian, Italian Studies, and Romance Studies develop the ability to articulate transferable skills that they have acquired throughout their undergraduate study of a world language. The two-hour workshop will be offered each Fall and Spring semesters and co-taught by a faculty member or an advanced graduate student with a representative from ASC Center for Career and Professional Success. This requirement will also apply to the French and Italian minors in the Department.

#### **Major Deactivation**

#### **Sexuality Studies BA**

The program is deactivated due to lack of financial and administrative support for the program. No new students will be admitted in the major and the deactivation will become effective in Spring 2022. The proposers retain the hope that someday the fiscal conditions will be such that it will be possible to reactivitate the major.

#### **Undergraduate Minor Revisions**

- French Minor
- Italian Minor
- LGBTQ+ Studies Minor (formerly: Sexuality Studies Minor)
- WGSS Minor

#### **Undergraduate Course of Study Revision**

• Capital Program

#### **Graduate Program Revisions**

#### Comparative Studies PhD, MA, and Graduate Minor

The Department of Comparative Studies revised the graduate program following a 2017 external review. The revision places a greater emphasis on the strengths of the department, namely interdisciplinary research and the collaborative process. The revisions include: replacing two required courses (6390 and 6391) with four Critical Foundations courses (6100 through 6400); requiring a "Teaching Seminar" (6500), and a "Dissertation Writing Workshop" (8990); and creating a two-semester "Interdisciplinary Learning Laboratory" Seminar (8100-8200). PhD students will take 12 credits of 8100-8200 (two sequences), and MA students will take 6 credits (one sequence). Students in the graduate minor will now be required to take two of the four Critical Foundation courses, which replace 6390 and 6391, in addition to two elective courses.

# Slavic and East European Cultures MA (New specialization in Russian Language and Culture for the Professions)

The Department of Slavic and East European Languages and Cultures developed a new specialization in the MA: Russian Language and Culture for the Professions. The specialization is designed to meet the demand for Russian language and culture experts in the public and private sectors. The curriculum focuses on developing applied Russian language skills as well as gaining Russian cultural competency. Students will be able to gain skills related to their career goals in courses on Russian media, translation,

business and other fields. The department anticipates an enrollment of 4-5 students annually in the specialization.

#### Theatre MFA Design

The Department of Theatre revised the MFA Design specialization following an accreditation review from the National Association of Schools of Theatre (NAST) and an external program review. The revisions accomplished the following goals: 1) aligning the program with NAST guidelines; 2) providing more opportunities for graduate students to collaborate across disciplines; 3) making curricular use of the Lawrence & Lee Theatre Research Institute; 4) realigning courses in design media; 5) creating a distinct design focus in media design; 6) maximizing course enrollments and increasing faculty teaching efficiencies. The revisions included the creation of three new courses, the revision of two courses, and a new emphasis in Media Design within the MFA Design specialization.

# C. Courses

From July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020, <u>469</u> undergraduate and graduate course requests were processed through the College of Arts and Sciences. Details for course requests approved through faculty panels are given below (pp. 8-14). More routine requests (e.g., addition of a campus of offering, most changes to prerequisites, corrections of typos, one-time course requests) are fast-tracked to the Registrar's Office.

#### **General Education Courses**

#### **New General Education Courses: 13**

Course Bulletin	Course Number		GE categories	Comments
EALL	3405	VPA	DIV-GLOBAL STUDIES	
GERMAN	3252.02	LIT	DIV-GLOBAL STUDIES	Distance learning version of 3252.01
HISTORY	3475	HIST STUDY	CULT/IDEA	
HISTORY	3506	HIST STUDY		
ITALIAN	2061	CULT/IDEA	DIV-GLOBAL STUDIES	
MATH	20105	SERVICE LEARNING		
MUSIC	2031	VPA		
PHILOS	2458	CULT/IDEA		
RUSSIAN	2250.99	LIT	DIV-GLOBAL STUDIES	Distance learning version of 2250.01

RUSSIAN	3355.99	CULT/IDEA	DIV-GLOBAL		Distance learning version
			STUDIES		of 3355.01
RUSSIAN	3460.99	VPA	DIV-GLOBAL		Distance learning version
			STUDIES		of 3460.01
RUSSIAN	3480.99	VPA	DIV-GLOBAL		Distance learning version
			STUDIES		of 3480.01
SASIA	3630S	SERVICE LEARNING	CULT/IDEA	SOC DIV-US	

# Changes to GE Courses: 38

Course Bulletin	Course Number		CE Catagoria		Change
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ΔΓΔΝΔΔΩΤ	1122		DIV-GLOBAL STUDIES		Add option for distance education
AFAMAST	1122	HIST STUDY	STUDIES		Add option for distance
AFAMAST	2218	SOC SCI-IND/GRP			education
AFAIVIAST	2210	SOC SCI-IND/GRP	DIV-GLOBAL		Add option for distance
ARABIC	2241	CULT/IDEA	STUDIES		education
ANADIC	2241	COLITIDEA	STODIES		Add option for distance
ARTEDUC	2367.01	WRIT-COM 2	VPA	SOC DIV-US	education
ANTEDOC	2307.01		DIV-GLOBAL	300 017 03	Add option for distance
CLAS	2220	LIT	STUDIES		education
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CLLC	3301.015	SERVICE LEARNING			(from 2301.01S)
	00011010				Change course number
CLLC	3301.02S	SERVICE LEARNING			(from 2301.02S)
					Change course number
CLLC	3302S	SERVICE LEARNING			(from 2302S)
			DIV-GLOBAL		Add option for distance
COMPSTD	1100	LIT	STUDIES		education
					Add option for distance
EARTHSC	1108	NAT SCI-PHYS			education
					Change course number
EARTHSC	2122	NAT SCI-PHYS			(from 1122) and title
					Change course number
EARTHSC	2122H	NAT SCI-PHYS			(from 1122H) and title
					Add option for distance
EARTHSC	2205	NAT SCI-PHYS			education
FNGUGU			DIV-GLOBAL		Add option for distance
ENGLISH	2201	LIT	STUDIES		education
ENGLISH	3372	LIT			Make course repeatable
					Add GE status to
					previously non-GE course;
					change course number
					(from 3790H) and title.
					Must be followed by
					3797.02E to count for GE
ENTMLGY	3797.01E	HIST STUDY			Historical Study.
					Add GE status to
					previously non-GE course;
					change course number
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				and title, reduce number
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HCS	2200	NAT SCI-BIO		education
				Add option for distance
HDFS	2410	SOC SCI-IND/GRP		education
				Add option for distance
HDFS	3440	SOC SCI-IND/GRP		education
				Change course number
				(from 2245); add option
				for distance delivery; add
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HEBREW	3245	VPA	STUDIES	Studies 3245
TIEDICEVV	5245		DIV-GLOBAL	Add option for distance
	2204		STUDIES	education
HISTORY	2204	HIST STUDY	STUDIES	education
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				Add option for distance
HISTORY	3270	HIST STUDY		education
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JEWSHST	3245	VPA	STUDIES	3245
				Add option for distance
LING	2051	DATA ANLS		education
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## **Non-General Education Courses**

# New Undergraduate Non-General Education Courses and Graduate Courses approved by ASCC: 82

Course Bulletin	Catalog Number	Comments		
AFAMAST	3370			
AFAMAST	3450			
ANTHROP	3005			
ANTHROP	7005			
ART	5000			
ARTSSCI	"Happiness: What is it and who gets it" (First-year			
	Seminar; Jennifer Cheavens)—offered under			
	1137.xx			
ARTSSCI	"Personal Identity & Personality: Why we are Who			
	we are" (First-year Seminar; Nancy Rudd)—offered			
	under 1137.xx			
ARTSSCI	"Thirsty Planet: Water in a Changing World" (First-			
	year Seminar; Audrey Sawyer)—offered under			
	1137.xx			
ARTSSCI	"The Family Drama: Dysfunctional Families"			
	(First-year Seminar; Hannibal Hamlin)—offered			
	under 1138.xx			
ARTSSCI	"Mathematics of Voting and Social Choice" (First-			
	year Seminar; Daniel Thompson)—offered under 1138.xx			
ARTSSCI				
ARTSSCI	"The School to Prison Pipeline" (First-year Seminar; Mary Thomas)—offered under 1138.xx			
ARTSSCI	"Working for the Weekend: Productivity and			
ANTSSCI	Leisure in American Culture" (First-year Seminar;			
	Katie Stanutz)—offered under 1138.xx			
ASTRON	5205			
BIOLOGY	5001.02			
CHEM	6086			
CHEM	6087			
CHEM	6088			
CHEM	6089			
CHEM	6790	Cross-listed in		
		Microbiology		
CHEM	7310			
СОММ	3188			
СОММ	3414			

СОММ	3450	With distance education option
COMM	3800	· ·
COMPSTD	5061	Cross-listed in Italian & NELC
COMPSTD	6100	
COMPSTD	6200	
COMPSTD	6300	
COMPSTD	6400	
COMPSTD	6500	
COMPSTD	8100	
COMPSTD	8200	
COMPSTD	8990	
EARTHSC	1200	
EARTHSC	2000	
EARTHSC	5191.01	
EARTHSC	5205	
EARTHSC	5268	
EARTHSC	5501	
ECON	4797.02	
EEOB	5350	
FRENCH	3502	
FRENCH	4402	
GEOG	5801	
HISTART	4798.02	
ITALIAN	5061	Cross-listed in COMPSTD & NELC
MATH	1154	
MATH	1155	
MICRBIO	2100	
MICRBIO	6790	Cross-listed in Chemistry
MICRBIO	8161	
MUSIC	4588	
MUSIC	5604	
NELC	5061	Cross-listed in COMPSTD & Italian
PHILOS	5440	
PHYSICS	2050.01	
PHYSICS	2050.02	
POLITSC	3240	
POLITSC	3500	
PSYCH	6880	

PSYCH	8860	
QUECHUA	5505.51	
QUECHUA	5506.51	
RUSSIAN	2200	With distance education
RUSSIAN	5103	
RUSSIAN	5160	
SLAVIC	5457	
SOCIOL	5925	With distance education
SPANISH	4534E	
SPANISH	5202	
SPANISH	5630E	
SPHHRNG	6771	
SPHHRNG	6990	
THEATRE	5325	
THEATRE	5502	
THEATRE	5503	
THEATRE	5512	
THEATRE	6210	
THEATRE	7215	
WGSST	2260	
WGSST	3575	
WGSST	4525	

# Changes to Existing Non-General Education Courses (approved by ASCC): 36

Course Bulletin	Course Number	Type of changes
ART	4999	Remove decimalization and reduce credit hours
BIOCHEM	7766.01	Reduce number of credit hours
CHEMPHY	8880.01	Change variable credit hours
CHEMPHY	8880.02	Change variable credit hours
COMM	3403	Change title and course description
COMM	3415	Add option for distance education
СОММ	3466	Add option for distance education
ECON	8731	Add option for distance education
EEOB	4430	Change some course content and prereqs
ENGLISH	2150	Change course number (from 3150)
ENGLISH	4520.02	Add option for distance education
GEOG	5222	Add option for hybrid and distance education
GEOG	5225	Add option for hybrid and distance education
HISTART	5312	Merge 5311 and 5312
HISTART	5322	Merge 5321 and 5322

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INTSTDS	3450	Add option for distance education
INTSTDS	4700	Add option for distance education
LING	3801	Add option for distance education
MATH	5630	Add option for distance education
MATH	5632	Add option for distance education
MATH	5633	Add option for distance education
MOLGEN	4703	Increase number of credit hours
MOLGEN	5300	Increase number of credit hours
PSYCH	3331	Add option for distance education
SOCIOL	4189.03	Change S/U to letter grade
SPANISH	5461	Change course number (from 4461)
SPHHRNG	4530	Add option for distance education
SPHHRNG	5605	Add option for distance education
SPHHRNG	7844	Change from fixed 4 credits to flexible 1-4 credits
STAT	5740	Add option for distance education
THEATRE	4381	Change course number (from 3381) and title
THEATRE	5210	Change course number (from 5261), title, and course description
THEATRE	5305	Change course number (from 5262), title, course description, and increase number of credit hours
THEATRE	5401	Change course number (from 5231), title, course description, increase number of credit hours and remove repeatability
THEATRE	5403	Change course number (from 6421) and course description
THEATRE	5501	Change course number (from 5531), title, and course description