

Attachment 2

Academic Affairs

Consent Agenda Supplemental Information - Curriculum Proposals

FS Exec Committee Review – February 26, 2019 Meeting

In order by College, not by the Curriculum Agenda

<https://kstate.curriculog.com/agenda:622/form>

Arts and Sciences

B.A./B.S. Political Science and M.A. Security Studies Concurrent Degree

Rationale: This proposal seeks to create a concurrent degree program for students to earn a B.A./B.S. in political science and a M.A. in security studies. The rationale of creating this degree is that it provides an avenue for qualified political science majors to complete both degrees in five academic years. We have had many of our undergraduate students express interest in the security studies M.A. This concurrent degree program provides an avenue for our students to seamlessly transition from a B.A./B.S. degree to the M.A. degree.

Impact (i.e. if this impacts another unit) – Statement should include the date when the head of a unit was contacted, and the response or lack of: Security Studies is an interdisciplinary program administered by both history and political science. In addition to receiving the approval for this program from the entire political science faculty, I also sought approval from the directors and faculty in history and political science that administer and participate in the security studies program. The Department of Political Science approved the proposal on September 7th, 2018. The security studies faculty in the Department of Political Science also approved this proposal on September 7th, 2018. The Director of Security Studies, Dr. Andrew Long, approved of this proposal on September 26th. The Associate Director of Security Studies, Dr. David Graff, e-mailed me on September 26, 2018 to inform me that the security studies faculty from the Department of History voted in support of approving this curriculum change. This follows the voting system that security studies uses for approving curriculum changes.

Curriculum:

This proposal does not require changing any existing political science or security studies course offerings. It requires that nine graduate credit hours are counted towards a student's B.A./B.S. in political science and the M.A. in security studies.

120 Credits are required for the B.A./B.S. in political science.

30 credits are required for the M.A. degree:

9 credits count towards the B.A. and M.A. in a student's senior year.

That leaves 21 credits necessary:

9 credits in the Fall of year 5

9 credits in the Spring of year 5

3 credits in either the summer after year 4 or year 5. At least one on-line course is already offered every summer to accommodate this.

Total: 141 credit hours

Year	Semester	Plan	Hypothetical Course curriculum
Freshman and Sophomore	Fall and Spring	Not affected	Regular course curriculum for political science B.A./B.S.
Junior	Fall	Apply to security studies M.A. at end of Fall semester	Regular course curriculum for political science B.A./B.S.
JUNIOR	SPRING	Students will be informed of admission into the program	Regular course curriculum for political science B.A./B.S.
SENIOR	FALL	Student may take 1 or 2 graduate classes	POLSC 810 (2 credit course) ¹ ; POLSC 812
	SPRING	Student may take 1 or 2 graduate classes	HIST 850
	SUMMER	Student can take 1 course	POLSC 813
GRADUATE	FALL	Student may take 3 graduate classes	POLSC 814; HIST 855; POLSC 991
	SPRING	Student may take 3 graduate classes	POLSC 815 (1 credit course); POLSC 737; POLSC 735; HIST 851
	SUMMER	Student may take 1 course (if necessary)	No courses necessary as 1 course taken during summer of senior year.

Admission Requirements. The following requirements must be met before an individual can be admitted into the program:

- The student must be seeking a B.A. or B.S. degree in political science.
- The student must have a GPA of 3.0 or above in all courses completed at Kansas State University and an overall GPA of 3.0 or above.

Application Process: The application process will be the same as for applicants that are seeking the stand-alone M.A. in security studies, but they will not be required to have completed their undergraduate degree. The earliest that students can submit applications for admission is at the January submission deadline during their junior year (after five semesters). A completed application requires the following materials:

- A statement of objectives
- Three letters of recommendation
- A transcript from each academic institution since high school
- A writing sample

¹ 810 and 815 combine to 3 credits and serve as the courses where students receive methodological training and produce their final projects.

Technology & Aviation

Engineering Technology-Web Development Technology Option (AETA-WD)

http://catalog.k-state.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=42&poid=13970

Rationale: EDCEP 111 is no longer being offered on the Polytechnic campus, having been replaced by COT 105, Mastering Academic Conversations, which freshman take and can count as a humanities course. CMST 333 is a gateway course that students have to pass to be admitted into the Bachelor's degree (BETB-CP) and was not intended to be taken by students only wanting the Associate's degree. This change corrects this oversight.

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Current: Web development technology option (AETA- WD) 62 hours required for graduation	Proposed: Web development technology option (AETA- WD) 61 hours required for graduation
Major requirements (33 credit hours) CMST 103 Computing Principles3 CMST 135 Web Fundamentals3 CMST 137 Fundamentals of Visual Literacy.....3 CMST 180 Introduction to Database Systems3 CMST 183 Computer Systems Studio I.....1 CMST 185 Computer Systems Studio II.....1 CMST 247 Programming I.....3 CMST 250 Hardware and Network Fundamentals3 CMST 252 System and Software Fundamentals.....3 CMST 283 Computer Systems Studio III1 CMST 315 Introduction to System Administration3 CMST 333 Computer Systems Portfolio Defense0 CMST 332 Web Development Project.....3 CMST 335 Programming II3 <i>Other courses may be used if approved by the AETA-WD program coordinator.</i>	Major requirements (33 credit hours) CMST 103 Computing Principles 3 CMST 135 Web Fundamentals..... 3 CMST 137 Fundamentals of Visual Literacy 3 CMST 180 Introduction to Database Systems 3 CMST 183 Computer Systems Studio I..... 1 CMST 185 Computer Systems Studio II 1 CMST 247 Programming I 3 CMST 250 Hardware and Network Fundamentals 3 CMST 252 System and Software Fundamentals 3 CMST 283 Computer Systems Studio III 1 CMST 315 Introduction to System Administration 3 CMST 332 Web Development Project 3 CMST 335 Programming II 3 <i>Other courses may be used if approved by the AETA-WD program coordinator.</i>
Other requirements (29 credit hours) COMM 106 Public Speaking I.....3 EDCEP 111 University Experience1 ENGL 100 Expository Writing I.....3 ENGL 302 Technical Writing.....3 Mathematics requirement*3 Humanities/Social Science/Business elective3 Humanities/Social Science/Business elective3 Humanities/Social Science/Business elective3 Science elective.....4 Unrestricted elective3 * Choose from MATH 100, MATH 150, MATH 205 or MATH 220.	Other requirements (28 credit hours) COMM 106 Public Speaking I 3 ENGL 100 Expository Writing I..... 3 ENGL 302 Technical Writing..... 3 Mathematics requirement* 3 Humanities/Social Science/Business elective 3 Humanities/Social Science/Business elective 3 Humanities/Social Science/Business elective 3 Science elective..... 4 Unrestricted elective 3 * Choose from MATH 100, MATH 150, MATH 205 or MATH 220.