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## **Ninety-first Report of the Curricular Affairs Committee**

University of Rhode Island Faculty Senate

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UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND  
Kingston, Rhode Island

FACULTY SENATE  
BILL

Adopted by the Faculty Senate

RECEIVED  
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NOV 13 1974  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

TO: President Frank Newman  
FROM: Chairman of the Faculty Senate

1. The attached BILL, titled Ninety-first Report of the Curricular Affairs Committee

is forwarded for your consideration.

2. The original and two copies for your use are included.  
3. This BILL was adopted by vote of the Faculty Senate on November 7, 1974 (date)  
4. After considering this bill, will you please indicate your approval or disapproval. Return the original or forward it to the Board of Regents, completing the appropriate endorsement below.  
5. In accordance with Section 8, paragraph 2 of the Senate's By-Laws, this bill will become effective on November 28, 1974 (date), three weeks after Senate approval, unless: (1) specific dates for implementation are written into the bill; (2) you return it disapproved; (3) you forward it to the Board of Regents for their approval; or (4) the University Faculty petitions for a referendum. If the bill is forwarded to the Board of Regents, it will not become effective until approved by the Board.

November 11, 1974  
(date)

Albert J. Lott  
Albert J. Lott  
Chairman of the Faculty Senate

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ENDORSEMENT 1.

TO: Chairman of the Faculty Senate  
FROM: President of the University

1. Returned.  
2. Approved  Disapproved   
3. (If approved) In my opinion, transmittal to the Board of Regents is not necessary.

Nov 24, 1974  
(date)

Frank Newman  
President

(OVER)

ALTERNATE ENDORSEMENT 1.

TO: Chairman of the Board of Regents

FROM: The University President

- 1. Forwarded.
- 2. Approved.

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 (date) \_\_\_\_\_ President

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ENDORSEMENT 2.

TO: Chairman of the Faculty Senate

FROM: Chairman of the Board of Regents, via the University President.

- 1. Forwarded.

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 (date) \_\_\_\_\_  
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 (Office)

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ENDORSEMENT 3.

TO: Chairman of the Faculty Senate

FROM: The University President

- 1. Forwarded from the Chairman of the Board of Regents.

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 (date) \_\_\_\_\_ President

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Original received and forwarded to the Secretary of the Senate and Registrar for filing in the Archives of the University.

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 (date) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Chairman of the Faculty Senate

UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND  
Kingston, Rhode Island

October 17, 1974

Faculty Senate Curricular Affairs Committee Ninety-First Report

At its meeting of October 3, 1974 the Faculty Senate Curricular Affairs Committee considered the following matters now submitted to the Faculty Senate.

S E C T I O N I

Informational Changes (Including Experimental Courses):

A. College of Arts and Sciences

1. Department of Economics

ECN 184X Political Economy of Sexism 1, 1  
A brief analysis of the influence of the political economy on the lives of women. Starkey

2. Department of English

a. CHANGE: Description of ENG 251, 252.

ENG 251 (252), 252 (253) English Literature 1 and 11, 3 each  
ENG 251: Selections from English literature, beginnings to 1798.  
ENG 252: Selections from English literature, 1798 to the present. Staff

b. ENG 300X Fiction into Film 1, 3  
Critical study of fiction which has been composed in both literary and cinematic form. Examination of techniques and themes in literature in comparison with screen adaptations. Kunz and Tutt

3. Department of Physics

a. Astronomy

AST 118X Astronomy and Everything Else 1, 1  
Emphasis on interrelationship of astronomy and other areas such as Anthropology, Art, Biology, Education, English literature, History, Political Science, Journalism, Psychology, Sociology, etc. Penhallow

b. Physics

CHANGE: Description for the following courses:

a) PHY 102 Fundamental Physics 1, 3  
Fundamental principles of physics primarily for students of nursing. Non-mathematical qualitative course. Will not serve as a basis for advanced study in physics. Required by College of Nursing. (Lec. 2 Lab. 2) Stone

A. 3. b. (continued)

- b) PHY 213, 214 Elementary Physics I and II, 3  
PHY 213: mechanics and thermodynamics. PHY 214: electricity, magnetism and wave phenomena. For students planning to major in one of the sciences. It is recommended that MTH 142 and 243 be taken concurrently. (Lec. 3) Registration in PHY 285, 286 is required. Kirwan and Willis

4. Department of Psychology

PSY 305X Field Experience in Psychology I and II, 1 - 3  
Direct contact with settings and populations served by psychologists. Emphasis on understanding of models and theories in practical problems. (Lec. 0-2, Lab. 2) Course may be repeated once. Prerequisite: PSY 113, permission of instructor. Stevenson, Berger, and Staff

5. Department of Sociology and Anthropology

a. Anthropology

- 1) CHANGE: Delete the prerequisite for the following courses:  
a) APG 201  
b) APG 202  
c) APG 203
- 2) CHANGE: Title and description for the following courses:  
a) APG 305 Peoples of East Asia I or II, 3  
Survey of traditional and contemporary culture and society in the three principal countries (China, Korea, and Japan) of the East Asia culture area. (Lec. 3) Prerequisite: APG 203. Guthrie  
b) APG 309 Anthropology of Religion I or II, 3  
Religious systems of selected peoples around the world; examination of theories concerning the origins, functions, and natures of these religions. (Lec.3) Prerequisite: APG 203. Guthrie
- 3) CHANGE: Description for APG 323.  
APG 323 Politics in Small Scale Societies I or II, 3  
Comparative study of political evolution, leadership, conflict, decision-making, and law. Relationship of politics to economics, kinship, and ideology. ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ (Lec. 3)  
Prerequisite: APG 203. Lynch *Among TRIBES MEN AND PEASANTS.*
- 4) CHANGE: Semester offered for the following courses:  
a) APG 201 Human Origins I and II, 3  
b) APG 317 Archeology I or II, 3  
c) APG 321 Social Anthropology I or II, 3  
d) APG 322 Anthropology of Modernization I or II, 3  
e) APG 324 Peasant Societies I or II, 3

b. Social Welfare

- CHANGE: Semester offered for the following courses:  
a) SWF 311 Introduction to Social Work I or II, 3  
b) SWF 313 Social Welfare Services I or II, 3  
c) SWF 317 Social Work Methods I or II, 3

A. 5. c. Sociology

CHANGE: Semester offered for the following courses:

- a) SOC 206 Development of Human Societies 1 or II, 3
- b) SOC 208 Issues and Problems in Contemporary American Society 1 or II, 3
- c) SOC 301 Introduction to Methods of Sociological Research 1 or II, 3
- d) SOC 310 Rural Sociology 1 or II, 3
- e) SOC 312 The Family 1 or II, 3
- f) SOC 314 Juvenile Delinquency 1 or II, 3
- g) SOC 324 Medical Sociology 1 or II, 3
- h) SOC 330 Criminology 1 or II, 3
- i) SOC 336 Social Stratification 1 or II, 3
- j) SOC 338 Population Problems 1 or II, 3
- k) SOC 340 Minority and Majority Relations 1 or II, 3

6. Department of Speech

SPE 203X Principles and Practices of Interviewing 1, 1  
Study of principles common to all interviews. Types of interviews. Concentration on the employment and information getting interview. Erhart

B. College of Nursing

NUR 212X Theories and Concepts in Professional Nursing 1 and II, 3  
Adaptation level theory and related concepts in professional nursing. Emphasis on utilization of nursing process. Prerequisite: Registered nurse standing or permission of instructor. Houston

C. Black Studies

In compliance with the contingency placed on the two introductory Black Studies courses by the Curricular Affairs Committee in its Ninetieth Report (May 14, 1974), the following course code and numbers have been designated:

BST 101, 102 Introduction to Black Studies I, II 1 and II, 3  
BST 101: An introduction to provide a methodological and attitudinal basis for further studies about Black peoples. Will concentrate on classic texts in area of knowledge. BST 102: Will concentrate on research, identifying source materials, and special collections. Prerequisite: BST 101. Staff

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SECTION II

Curricular Matters submitted to the Faculty Senate for Confirmation:

A. College of Arts and Sciences

1. Department of English

DELETE: ENG 253 English Literature.

A. 2. Department of Languages

French

ADD: FRN 123, 124 French for Reading Knowledge I and II, 3  
Grammar and vocabulary emphasized in the first semester, reading of  
texts of increasing difficulty in the second semester. French 123  
supposes no previous knowledge of French. French 124 may be taken  
without French 123 if the student has had two years of high school  
French or equivalent. Staff

3. Marine Affairs Program

ADD: MAF 210 Human Use and Control of the Marine Environment I, 3  
Introduction to man's activities occurring in the marine environment  
and adjacent land areas. Discussion of marine geography and natural  
marine processes necessary to understand the controls on man's  
activities. (Lec. 3) Alexander, Gamble, Cameron

4. Department of Physical Education for Men

a. ADD: PEM 391 Directed Study \* I and II, 1-3  
Independent study. Development of an approved project supervised  
by a member of the department faculty. Prerequisite: junior standing,  
permission of department and instructor. Staff

b. CHANGE: Description and number of credits for PEM 272.

PEM 272 Advanced First Aid I and II, 2  
Instruction and practice in advanced first aid and emergency  
care techniques and skills. Fulfills requirements for Red  
Cross Advanced First Aid Certificate. (Lec. 1, Lab. 2)  
Slader, Leathers

B. College of Business Administration

1. Department of Business Education and Office Administration

CHANGE: Credits and classroom hours for BED 325:

- 1) from 2 credits to 3 credits
- 2) from lab. 4 to lec. 3.

2. General Business Administration

CHANGE: Curriculum requirements for Junior and Senior Years:

\* The Curricular Affairs Committee reminds the Department of Physical Education for Men, in light of previous action of the Faculty Senate, that it should consider the consolidation of possible overlapping courses once the departments of Physical Education for Women and Physical Education for Men are in fact combined.



B. 2 (continued)

JUNIOR YEAR

<u>First Semester</u>	<u>Cr.</u>	<u>Second Semester</u>	<u>Cr.</u>
FIN 321	3	FIN _____	3
MGS 309	3	INS 301	3
MMG 323	3	MMG _____	3
OMR 301	3	OMR _____*	3
Free Elect.	<u>3</u>	Free Elect.	<u>3</u>
	15		15

\* Any 300 level OMR Course

SENIOR YEAR

<u>First Semester</u>	<u>Cr.</u>	<u>Second Semester</u>	<u>Cr.</u>
BSL 333	3	OMR 410	3
Free Elect.	3	Free Elect.	3
Free Elect.	3	Prof. Elect.	3
Prof. Elect.	3	Prof. Elect.	3
Prof. Elect.	<u>3</u>	Prof. Elect.	<u>3</u>
	15		15

C. In accordance with section 8.41.13 of the University Manual

DELETE: From the Undergraduate Bulletin, the following courses which have not been taught for four consecutive years:

- 1) ACC 347 (last taught Fall, 1968)
- 2) MTH 125 (last taught Fall, 1967)
- 3) PHY 104 (last taught Fall, 1969)

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S E C T I O N III

Joint Report of the Faculty Senate Curricular Affairs Committee and the Graduate Council on 400-level Courses.

At their meetings of October 3, 1974 and October 4, 1974 respectively, the Curricular Affairs Committee and the Graduate Council considered the following matters now submitted to the Faculty Senate.

A. Informational Changes (Including Experimental Courses):

1. College of Arts and Sciences

a. Department of Chemistry

CHM 435X (or BPH 435X) Physical Chemistry for Life Sciences 1, 3  
 The study of gases, solutions, thermodynamics, equilibrium, kinetics, quantum theory and photochemistry. (Lec. 3) Pre-requisite: Two semesters of chemistry. Not open to students majoring in chemistry. Hartman and Hamlet



A. 1. b. Department of Education

EDC 425X The Use of Children's Literature in the Reading Program 1, 3  
A course designed for the classroom teacher's need to expand his/her reading program through the use of children's literature. A consideration of classroom activities in terms of how they facilitate or hinder literary growth. (Lec. 3) Dion

c. Department of Languages

Spanish

CHANGE: Title and description for SPA 471, 472.

SPA 471, 472 Introduction to Spanish-American Literature 1 and 11, 3  
Study of representative works of Spanish-America, from the colonial period to the present. (Lec. 3) Prerequisite: SPA 326 or permission of instructor. SPA 472 recommended for students with a concentration in Spanish. In alternate years, next offered 1975-76. Navacués

d. Department of Sociology and Anthropology

Sociology

a) CHANGE: Semester offered for the following courses:

- (1) SOC 408 Industrial Sociology 1 or 11, 3
- (2) SOC 410 Complex Organizations in Modern Society 1 or 11, 3
- (3) SOC 412 Occupations, Professions, and Social Structure 1 or 11, 3
- (4) SOC 430 Social Pathology and Social Change 1 or 11, 3
- (5) SOC 434 Urban Sociology 1 or 11, 3
- (6) SOC 436 Sociology of Politics 1 or 11, 3
- (7) SOC 442 The Sociology of Education 1 or 11, 3
- (8) SOC 444 The Sociology of Religion 1 or 11, 3
- (9) SOC 446 Sociology of Knowledge 1 or 11, 3
- (10) SOC 492 History of Sociological Thought 1 or 11, 3

b) CHANGE: Title and semester offered for SOC 448.

SOC 448 Sociology of Science 1 or 11, 3

c) CHANGE: Title and description for SOC 440.

SOC 440 The Sociology of Mental Disorder 1 or 11, 3  
The phenomenon of mental disorder is considered in light of recent research findings and developments in sociological theory. Mental disorder will be discussed as an outgrowth of societal processes. Prerequisite: SOC 202 or 204 and one 300 level course. Travisano and Hodges

d) SOC 438X Aging and Society 1, 3  
Sociological features of the aging process. The physiological and psychological bases of aging. The major social institutions and the impact of significant social trends. (Lec. 3) Prerequisite: SOC 202; SOC 312 desirable. Spence

A. 2. College of Pharmacy

Department of Pharmacology and Toxicology

CROSS-LIST: PCL 438X (or PSY 438X).

PCL 438X (or PSY 438X) Psychotropic Drugs 1, 3  
Basic principles of psychopharmacology will be studied and applied to an examination of important classes of psychotropic drugs used clinically and/or illicitly. (Lec. 3) Prerequisite: BIO 102, ZOO 111, 121, or PSY 381.  
Lal and Swonger

3. College of Resource Development

Department of Resource Development Education

RDE 480X The Environmental Crisis 11, 3  
A course for educators and other citizens interested in the natural resources of our environment and their protection. Daley

B. Curricular Matters submitted to the Faculty Senate for Confirmation:

1. College of Arts and Sciences

a. Department of English

CHANGE: Level and number for ENG 330 to ENG 430 (330).

b. Department of Chemistry

ADD: CHM 435 (or BPH 435) Physical Chemistry for Life Sciences 1, 3  
The study of gases, solutions, thermodynamics, equilibrium, kinetics, quantum theory and photochemistry. (Lec. 3) Prerequisite: Two semesters of chemistry. Not open to students majoring in chemistry. Hartman and Hamlet

c. Department of Microbiology and Biophysics

CROSS-LIST: PLP 422 (or MIC 422).

PLP 422 (or MIC 422) Industrial Microbiology 11, 3  
The application of microbial systems to industrial operations. Culture handling, fermentation systems, equipment, products and legal and economic aspects of the processes. Laboratory exercises demonstrate fundamental types of operations. (Lec. 2, Lab. 3) Prerequisite: MIC 401 and BCH 311. Traxler

UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND  
The Graduate School

CURRICULAR REPORT FROM THE GRADUATE COUNCIL TO THE FACULTY SENATE  
Report No. 1974-75-1

At its Meeting No. 127 on October 4, 1974 the Graduate Council considered and approved (where necessary) the following curricular matters which are now submitted to the Faculty Senate for information or confirmation as indicated.

I. Matters of Information. (For further details, consult the chairman of the department concerned.)

A. College of Engineering

1. Department of Chemical Engineering

a. Experimental Course

CHE 649X Mass Transfer III II, 3  
Advanced study of the mass-transfer operations of adsorption and liquid extraction, including phase equilibria and the design of associated equipment. (Lec 3) In alternate years, next offered 1974-75. Treybal

B. College of Arts & Sciences

1. Department of Education

a. Experimental Courses

EDC 546X, 547X Field Practicum in Reading I & II, 3 each  
Practical application of classroom management and selection of materials to meet individual needs in a classroom situation. Prerequisites: EDC 424, in Non-degree Certification Program, Concurrently teaching. Staff

EDC 548X The Application of Secondary School Content Area  
Reading Skills: A Field Practicum II, 3  
A course to promote active teacher participation in planning and implementing a developmental reading approach to his/her subject matter area. (Lec 3) Prerequisite: EDC 541. Students should be currently involved in secondary education [5-12]. Dion

C. College of Pharmacy

1. Experimental Course

EHS 562X Interdisciplinary Seminar I, 2  
A seminar course dealing with important topics concerning environmental health science. Speakers will include students, faculty at URI, faculty at Harvard School of Public Health among others. The first hour will consist of formal presentation and the second hour a discussion. (Lec 2) Edlesfsen