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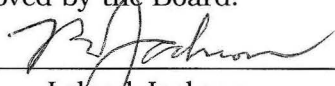
TO: President Robert L. Carothers
FROM: Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

1. The attached BILL, titled Curricular Report No. 1998-99-2 From the Graduate Council to the Faculty Senate

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 12, 1998.
4. After considering this bill, will you please indicate your approval or disapproval. Return the original or forward it to the Board of Governors, completing the appropriate endorsement below.
5. In accordance with Section 10, paragraph 4 of the Senate's By-Laws, this bill will become effective December 3, 1998 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 Governors for their approval; or (4) the University Faculty petitions for a referendum. If the bill is forwarded to the Board of Governors, it will not become effective until approved by the Board.

November 13, 1998
(date)


Leland Jackson
Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

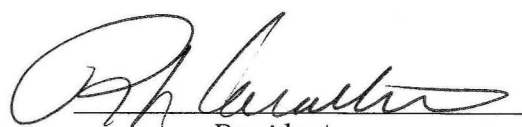
ENDORSEMENT

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

Returned.

- a. Approved
b. Approved subject to final approval by Board of Governors ____
c. Disapproved ____

11/18/98
(date)


President

UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND
The Graduate School
CURRICULAR REPORT FROM THE GRADUATE COUNCIL TO THE FACULTY
SENATE:
REPORT NO. 1998-99-2

At meeting No. 349 held October 16, 1998, the Graduate Council considered and approved the following curricular matters which are now submitted to the Faculty Senate for information or confirmation as indicated.

I. Matters of Information

A. College of the Environment and Life Sciences

1. Department of Food Science and Nutrition

a. Temporary Courses

FSN 508X Applied Nutrition II (II, 1) Selected topics in applied nutrition with an emphasis on community nutrition and foodservice management. (Lec. 3) Pre: 506X or permission of instructor. Greene

FSN 582X Internship in Advanced Medical Nutrition Therapy (II, 1) Supervised advanced practice in medical nutrition therapy in a hospital setting. (Practicum) Pre: acceptance into the Dietetic Certificate Program. Greene

FSN 584X Internship in Community Nutrition (II, 1) Supervised practice in community nutrition in a variety of community settings. (Practicum) Pre: acceptance into the Dietetic Certificate Program. Greene

FSN 585X Internship in Specialty Dietetic Practice (SS, 1) Supervised practice in specialty areas of dietetic practice in a variety of settings. (Practicum) Pre: acceptance into the Dietetic Certificate Program. Greene

2. Department of Marine Affairs

a. Temporary Course

GEG 505X Geography for Life: Educational Strategies (I, II, 3) Knowledge of geography and its importance for effective citizenry. Classroom teachers integrate geographic concepts for lesson plan development using National Geographic Standards and other source materials. (Lec. 3) Gordon

II. Matters Requiring Confirmation by Faculty Senate

A. College of the Environment and Life Sciences

1. Department of Plant Sciences

a. Add (New)

ENT 511 Pesticides and the Environment (II, 3) Review of the historical issues regarding pesticides, regulation, how they work, and costs/benefits associated with their use. Pre: BIO 112, CHM 103, 105; PLS 200, or permission of instructor. In alternate years. Next offered Spring 1999. Alm

2. Department of Environmental and Natural Resource Economics

a. Add (New)

REN 502 Research Methodology in Environmental & Natural Resource Economics (II, 3) Practice and methods of applied research in environmental and natural resource economics. Topics include philosophical foundations, research project design, reporting research results, and criticism of proposals and research papers. (Lec 3) Pre: ECN 528 and REN 576 or permission of instructor. Anderson

REN 529 Game Theory (II, 3) Analysis of situations of conflict and cooperation, with economics and business applications. Introduction to cooperative and non-cooperative games, including the extensive and strategic forms, Nash equilibrium, repeated games and bargaining. (Lec. 3) Pre: REN 528 or permission of instructor. Opaluch

REN 535 Environmental Economics (II, 3) Theory of externalities; incentive-based and regulatory policy instruments for addressing market failure; theory and methods for valuing natural resource and environmental services; other environmental topics. (Lec. 3) Pre: REN 528 or equivalent. Grigalunas

REN 570 Experimental Economics (I, 3) Controlled laboratory experiments to study economic theories, institutions, and policies. Provides an overview of experiment design and nonparametric data analysis. Applications include game theory, markets, public goods, and uncertainty. (Lec. 3) Pre: REN 528 or permission of instructor. Hurley

b. Changes

REN 522 Mathematical Programming for Natural Resource Management - change title, semester offered, credits, description, method of instruction and prerequisite to read:

REN 522 Computer Intensive Methods in Resource Economics (I, 3) Use of selected software packages to analyze topics and numerical problems in Environmental and Natural Resource Economics, including GAMS/MINOS, spreadsheets, Crystal Ball, Matlab, GIS and SAS. (Lec. 2, Lab. 2) Pre: REN 518 or equivalent (may be taken concurrently). Gates

REN 602 Research Methodology - change in semester offered, description, method of instruction, and prerequisite to read:

REN 602 Research Methodology (II, 1) Practice and methods of research in environmental and natural resource economics. Philosophical foundations, competing views on methodology, project design, execution and communication of results to different audiences. (Lec. 1) Pre: REN 528 and REN 576 and concurrent registration in REN 502. In alternate years. Gates

REN 524 Dynamic Economic Models - change course level to read:

REN 624 Dynamic Economic Models

REN 628 Advanced Microeconomic Theory - change title to read:

REN 628 Advanced Microeconomic Theory I

REN 630 Resource Analysis - change title to read:

REN 630 Advanced Microeconomic Theory II