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The Three Hundred and Ninety-Seventh Report of the Curricular Affairs Committee

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Faculty Senate

Serial Number #00-01--32

TO: President Robert L. Carothers

FROM: C. B. Peters, Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

- 1. The attached BILL, titled The Three Hundred and Ninety-Seventh 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 April 26, 2001.
- 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 May 17, 2001 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.

April 27, 2001
(date)

C. B. Peters
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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

5/2/01
(date)

Robert L. Carothers
President



Faculty Senate

April 11, 2001

Faculty Senate Curricular Affairs Committee Three Hundred and Ninety-Seventh Report

At the Curricular Affairs Committee's meeting of April 9, 2001 the following matters were considered and are now presented to the Faculty Senate.

SECTION I

Informational Matters

College of Arts and Sciences

1. Department of Economics

a. CHANGE: Title for ECN 337 to "Industrial Organization and Public Policy."

* b. CROSS-LIST: LRS 480 as "LRS 480 (or ECN 480) Seminar in Labor Studies."

2. Department of English and African and African-American Studies Program

CHANGE: Prerequisite for ENG 364 (or AAF 364) by deleting AAF 250.

3. Department of History

a. CHANGE: Title of HIS 339 to "Emergence of Industrial America: 1877-1914."

b. CHANGE: Title and description for the following courses:

- 1) HIS 340 United States History from 1914 to 1941 (3) Social, political and economic developments in the U.S. from the onset of WW I through the end of the Great Depression.

*No action by Graduate Council. Not for graduate credit.

- 2) HIS 341 United States History from 1941 to 1974 (3) U.S. Involvement in WW II. Social, political and economic developments in the postwar era. Equal emphasis on the domestic sphere and America's role in world affairs.

4. Department of Modern and Classical Languages and Literatures

ADD: The following temporary courses:

- 1) CLA 292X Bioscientific Terminology (3) Students learn Greek and Latin roots of bioscientific terminology. Course goal is to learn to deduce the meaning of new terms. Not for major, minor, or general education credit. (Lec. 3)
- 2) GER 211X Introduction to Scientific German (1) Study of scientific text with emphasis on the acquisition of vocabulary and grammatical structures pertinent to German for science and engineering. (Lec. 1)

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SECTION II

Curricular matters which require confirmation by the Faculty Senate

College of Arts and Sciences

Department of History

ADD: The following new courses:

- 1) HIS 366 Black Political Thought During the Age of Civil Rights and Black Power (3) Examines black social and political thought during the Civil Rights and Black Power eras. (Lec. 3) Pre: Junior standing or permission of instructor.
- 2) HIS 367 Contemporary African-American Political Thought (3) Examines the contradictions of American social and public policy over the past quarter-century and analyses black responses to a shifting domestic and international terrain. (Lec. 3) Pre: Junior standing or permission of instructor.