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## The Four Hundred Forty-Fifth Report of the Curricular Affairs Committee.

University of Rhode Island Faculty Senate

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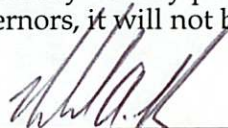
Faculty Senate

Serial Number #06-07--6

TO: President Robert L. Carothers  
FROM: Michael A. Rice, Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

1. The attached BILL, titled The Four Hundred Forty-Fifth Report of the Curricular Affairs Committee, is forwarded for your consideration.
2. This BILL was adopted by vote of the Faculty Senate on November 16, 2006.
3. 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.
4. In accordance with Section 10, paragraph 4 of the Senate's By-Laws, this bill will become effective December 7, 2006 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 17, 2006  
(date)

  
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Michael A. Rice  
Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

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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  PORTIONS APPROVED 2/26/07
- c. Disapproved

11 / 27 / 06  
(date)

  
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President



## Faculty Senate

November 1, 2006

### Faculty Senate Curricular Affairs Committee Four Hundred Forty-Fifth Report

At the October 30, 2006 meeting of the Curricular Affairs Committee the following matters were considered and are now presented to the Faculty Senate.

#### SECTION I

##### Informational Matters

#### A. College of Human Science and Services

##### 1. Department of Human Development and Family Studies

CHANGE: Prerequisite for the following courses:

- 1) HDF 203 to "Pre: 200 or PSY 232."
- 2) HDF 305 to "Pre: 200 or permission of instructor."
- 3) HDF 306 to "Pre: 200 or PSY 232."

##### 2. Department of Textiles, Fashion Merchandising

CHANGE: Prerequisite for TMD 303 to "Pre: TM or TMD majors admitted to the College of Human Science and Services and junior standing and CHM 105. TMD 313 may be taken concurrently.

#### B. Online Courses

The CAC has reviewed the online versions of the following courses and has notified Enrollment Services that they may be scheduled for summer 2007 as follows:

- CSC 101 (Fay-Wolfe)
- CSC 412 (Fay-Wolfe)
- ECN 201 (G. Ramsay)
- ECN 202 (Mead)

LIB 120 (all instructors)  
TMD 232 (Harps-Logan)  
WMS 350 Topic: Women and Aging (Stein)  
WRT 227 (Pennell)  
WRT 305 (McIsaac)

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## S E C T I O N II

Curricular Matters Which Require Confirmation by the Faculty Senate.

College of the Environment and Life Sciences

### 1. Department of Animal and Veterinary Science

**ADD: AVS 325 Animal Management III (3)**

Principles of the care and management of exotic ruminant and monogastric animals. Emphasis will be on handling, care, feeding, breeding, behavior and disease prevention. Participation in field trips. Pre: 101 or permission of instructor.

### 2. Department of Cell and Molecular Biology

**CHANGE: Level and number for MCH 342 to "BCH 242 (342) Human Genetics and Human Affairs (3)."**

### \* 3. Department of Marine Affairs

**CHANGE: Name for the B.A. in Coastal and Marine Policy Studies to B.A. in Marine Affairs**

**CHANGE: Name for the B.S. in Coastal and Marine Policy and Management to B.S. in Marine Affairs.**

### 4. Department of Plant Sciences

**DELETE: PLS 222 Ecology of the Home Landscape (3)**

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## S E C T I O N III

Joint Report of the Curricular Affairs Committee and Graduate Council on 400-Level courses.

\*May require approval by the Board of Governors.

At the October 30, 2006 meeting of the Curricular Affairs Committee and the October 20 meeting of the Graduate Council, the following matters were considered and are now presented to the Faculty Senate for information.

College of the Environment and Life Sciences

1. Department of Natural Resources Science

**\* ADD: NRS 401X Foundations in Restoration Ecology (3)**

This course will explore the foundations of restoration ecology by exploring ecological theory, ecological function, and placing restoration in context through a series of case studies. (Lec. 3)  
Pre: BIO 262 or permission of instructor. Not for graduate credit.

2. Department of Plant Sciences

**ADD: PLS 415X Plant Plagues: Causes and Consequences (2)**

Explore events and decisions preceding major plant epidemics, and outcomes/consequences. Research governing biological processes, and consider pertinent socio-political-economic implications from diverse viewpoints. Plagues analyzed include: potato late blight, dutch elm disease, chestnut blight, colorado potato beetle, etc. Interactive exercises. (Lec. 2) Pre: 200 or permission of instructor.

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