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Eighty-sixth Report of the Curricular Affairs Committee

University of Rhode Island Faculty Senate

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April 4, 1974

Dr. Maury Klein, Chairman
Faculty Senate
Faculty Senate Office
Roosevelt Hall, Campus

Dear Maury,

I have enclosed Faculty Senate Bills No. 73-74-31, "Eighty-fifth Report of the Curricular Affairs Committee" and No. 73-74-32, "Eighty-sixth Report of the Curricular Affairs Committee." Both Bills have been approved.

Sincerely,

William R. Ferrante
Acting President

WRF/1p
Enclosures
TO: Acting President Ferrante
FROM: Chairman of the Faculty Senate

1. The Attached BILL, titled Eighty-sixth 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 March 14, 1974.

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 April 4, 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.

March 15, 1974 (date)

ENDORSEMENT

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.

(date)  (date)

Form Revised 6/71
ALTERNATE ENDORSEMENT 1.

TO: Chairman of the Board of Regents.

FROM: The University President

1. Forwarded.

2. Approved.

_____________________________ /s/ President
(dated)

ENDORSEMENT 2.

TO: Chairman of the Faculty Senate

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

1. Forwarded.

_____________________________ /s/
(dated)

_____________________________ (Office)

ENDORSEMENT 3.

TO: Chairman of the Faculty Senate

FROM: The University President

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

_____________________________ /s/ President
(dated)

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

_____________________________ /s/ Chairman of the Faculty Senate
(dated)
Faculty Senate Curricular Affairs Committee Eighty-Sixth Report

At its meeting of March 4, 1974, the Faculty Senate Curricular Affairs Committee considered the following matters which are now submitted to the Faculty Senate.

SECTION I

Informational Changes (Including Experimental Courses):

A. College of Arts and Sciences

1. Department of Botany

BOT 192X Serendipity Botany

A mini-course of field botany (or indoor meetings when weather is noxious) that exploits diverse topics in botany and ecology ... Offered on five Saturdays 9:30-12:30, beginning March 9 in 1974. Weekly field trip reports are required. Palmatier.

2. Department of Economics

ECN 183X Theory and Topics in the Economics of Crime

The purpose of this course is to apply economic analysis to various aspects of criminal activity. In general, we will consider factors which explain the existence of income generating crime, analyze the economic behavior of individuals who engage in income generating crime, consider the cost to society of income generating and some non-income generating crime and consider the economic impact of illegality on those individuals defined, by their activities as criminals. Barnett.

3. Department of Languages

a. LIN 112X Geolinguistics

Survey of the major language families of the world, and their geographical, social, and ethical distribution. Structural differences and similarities among the major groupings; writing systems in use. Current developments in the spread and disappearance of languages and language families, including minority/immigrant language maintenance efforts. Language contact phenomena; development of pidgins and creoles. Rogers.

b. CHANGE: Years offered for SPA 326. No longer in alternate years, to be offered every spring.

c. CHANGE: Description of FRN 471.

FRN 471 Black French Prose and Poetry

Sub-Saharan and Caribbean French language authors such as Senghor, Cesaire, Rabemananjara, Ouologuem and Kourouma. (Lec. 3) Prerequisite: FRN 325 or 326 or permission of instructor. May count toward graduate degree program in French.
A. 3. (Continued)

d. CHANGE: Title and description of FRN 472.

FRN 472 Black French Theatre
French-language plays by authors of the sub-Sahara and the black diaspora. (Lec. 3) Prerequisite: FRN 325 or 326 or permission of instructor. May count toward graduate degree program in French. Waters.

4. Department of Political Science

PSC 371X Principles of Public Administration (1,3)
Principles of public administration, structure and organization, administrative responsibility and the relation between administration and other branches of government. Staff.

B. College of Resource Development

Department of Fisheries and Marine Technology

CHANGE: Rénumerate FMT 392 to FMT 393 (392).

C. University College

MGS 003X Foundations for Quantitative Analysis (11,0)
A review of the mathematical foundations deemed to be prerequisite to freshmen-sophomore management science requirements for Business Administration majors (MGS 101-102 and MGS 201-202). Coverage of topics is oriented toward the problems and needs of individual students. Budnick.

D. University Library

1. LIB 121X Book Collecting (11,1)
Basic principles in the acquisition methods related to the antiquarian and second-hand book markets, for those interested in developing private collections. (Lec. 3, for 5 weeks) O'Malley.

2. LIB 201X Library Research in Anthropology (11,1)
Introduces student to general library use. Emphasis on research methods and specialized tools for anthropological research. Brief assignments. Gates.

SECTION II

Curricular Matters Submitted to the Faculty Senate for Confirmation:

A. College of Arts and Sciences

1. Department of Art

CHANGE: Curriculum requirement option for Art Studio Concentration. Remove ART 469, 470 from the B.A. requirement in Art Studio.
A. 2. Department of Languages

a. French

ADD: FRN 394 Topics in French Literature 1 or 11, 3
Selected topics in French Literature in translation.
May not be used toward a concentration in French.
(Lec. 3). Staff.

b. Spanish

ADD: SPA 371 Spanish-American Short Story 1,3
Study and discussion of the Spanish-American short
narrative, with emphasis on the contemporary period.
(Lec. 3) Prerequisite: SPA 206 or equivalent. In al-
ternate years, next offered 1974-75. Navascues.

B. College of Engineering

Department of Industrial Engineering

a. ADD: EGR 117 The Scanning Electron Microscope 11,1
The theory and operation of the scanning electron micro-
scope. Applications to biological, oceanographic and
zoological sciences, as well as physics, chemistry and
engineering fields. Includes demonstrations on instru-
ments. Prerequisite: Science background. Black.

b. CHANGE: Credits for IDE 220 and IDE 221 from 3 to 4.

c. CHANGE: Increase IDE graduation requirement by 2 credits effective
with the class of '77.

C. College of Home Economics

1. Department of Food and Nutritional Science

a. CHANGE: Credits for FNS 445 from 2 to 3.

b. DELETE: FDS 481, 482 Special Problems.

2. Department of Textiles and Clothing

a. ADD:

1) TXC 422 Field Experience in Fashion Merchandising I and 11,5
Field Experience in business establishment. Students work (150
hr./sem.min.) under qualified personnel and are supervised by
University staff. Seminars (1 hr./week) concerning the mer-
chandising of textile and related products are required. Prere-
quisite: TXC 322 and permission of instructor. Reilly.

2) TXC 348 Fabric Motif Development 1,1
Experimentation in motif development for surface application to
textile products with emphasis on end-use application of fabric
design and specific techniques of reproduction. (Lec. 1)
Prerequisite: TXC 238. Gilbert.
C. 2. a. 3) TXC 358 Experimental Weaving
Introduction to various types of hand weaving emphasizing experimental techniques of fabric formation and structural design utilizing various substances in handwoven structures. (Lec. 1, Lab. 2) Prerequisite: TXC 238 or permission of instructor. Gilbert.

b. CHANGE: Clock hours for TXC 238 to (Lec. 2, Lab. 2).

c. CHANGE: Clock hours for TXC 327 to (Lec. 2, Lab. 2).

D. College of Resource Development.

1. Department of Fisheries and Marine Technology

ADD: FMT 391, 392 Special Problems and Independent Study I and II, 1-3 each Special work to meet individual needs of students in various fields of fisheries and marine technology. (Lec. and/or lab according to nature of project). Prerequisite: permission of department. Staff.

2. Department of Resource Development Education

ADD:

1) RDE 487 The Cooperative Extension Service in Today's Society 11,3
A comprehensive look at the Cooperative Extension Service including its history; structure; philosophy; purpose; goals and objectives; program planning process; changing clientele; funding, methods and procedures; and the role of the modern Cooperative Extension Service in the United States. (Lec. 3) Bromley.

2) RDE 488 Methods and Materials for Adult and Extension Education 11,3
A study of techniques utilized in working with large and small groups. Hardware and software used effectively in Adult and Extension education will be identified and demonstrated. Communications in Extension education will be studied in depth. (Lec. 3) McCreight.

3) RDE 489 Utilization of Paraprofessionals in Adult and Extension Education 1,3
A course for training paraprofessionals and others working with auxiliary personnel. Logs, video-tapes, reports, role playing and other material on paraprofessional activities will be analyzed. (Lec. 3). Jones.