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Ninety-Sixth Report of the Curricular Affairs Committee

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UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND
Kingston, Rhode Island

FACULTY SENATE
BILL

Adopted by the Faculty Senate

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

1. The attached BILL, titled Ninety-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 April 3, 1975 (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 April 24, 1975 (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.

April 4, 1975 (date)  
Albert J. Lott  
Chairman of the Faculty Senate

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.

April 9, 1975 (date)  
Frank Newman  
President

Form revised 6/74
ALTERNATE ENDORSEMENT 1.

TO: Chairman of the Board of Regents
FROM: The University President

1. Forwarded.
2. Approved.

(date) President

ENDORSEMENT 2.

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

1. Forwarded.

(date) (Office)

ENDORSEMENT 3.

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

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

(date) President

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

(date) Chairman of the Faculty Senate
Faculty Senate Curricular Affairs Committee Ninety-Sixth Report

At its meeting of February 20, 1975 the Faculty Senate Curricular Affairs Committee considered the following matters now submitted to the Faculty Senate.

SECTION I

Informational Changes (Including Experimental Courses):

A. College of Arts and Sciences

1. Department of Education

   a. EDC 278X Career Development and Your Work Life
      Designed to assist students in examining their own skills, talents and career potential and explore several career possibilities. Includes lectures, workshops, video taping for self-awareness, one individual research project. Drum and Gilmore

   b. EDC 398X University Year for Action Colloquium I and II, 3 each Seminar focusing on examination and integration of theoretical principles related to field experience of University Year for Action (UYA) participants. Prerequisite: Concurrent registration in EDC 399X. Required for and open only to students admitted into University Year for Action. A maximum of 2 semesters may be taken. Staff

   c. EDC 399X Practicum Experience
      (also offered as ECN 399X, PSC 399X, PSY 399X and SOC 399X.) Participation in experimental learning project under supervision of an academic advisor, agency supervisor, and UYA staff. Prerequisite: Concurrent registration in EDC 398X. Required for and open only to students admitted into UYA. A maximum of 6 credits may be taken each semester. Staff

2. Department of Languages

   a. French
      
      FRN 360X (or ENG 360X) Sex Role Conflict in 19th and 20th Century British, American and French Literature
      An analysis of the relationship between men and women in British, American and French literature of the 19th and 20th centuries. (Lec. 3) Not open to students with prior or concurrent registration in English 360X. Not for concentration credit in French. Benson, K. Stein
A. 2. b. Language

LAN 192X  Introduction to Modern Romanian Literature in Translation

Reading and discussion of selected short stories and novels by Romanian writers of the late nineteenth and the twentieth centuries. Rogers

B. College of Pharmacy

Department of Pharmacy

a. PHC 311X Patient Aids

Fitting of elastic supports and appliances; selection of appropriate crutches, wheelchairs, and related accessories. Lausier, Mack

b. PHC 312X (or PCG 312X) OTC Health Aid Products

Discussion of recent developments in selected OTC health products, and rationale for their use. Lausier, Lyon

C. College of Resource Development

Department of Resource Economics

CHANGE: Description and prerequisite for REN 320.

REN 320 Resource Conservation in the Modern Economy

Review of issues of natural resource scarcity and economic growth versus preservation. Economics of environmental quality. Implications of extra-market benefits and cost for private sector resource use. (Lec. 3) Pre-requisite: REN 210 or permission of instructor. gates

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SECTION II

Curricular Matters submitted to the Faculty Senate for Confirmation:

A. College of Arts and Sciences

1. Department of Botany

CHANGE: Lecture/laboratory hours for the following courses:

1) BOT 245 from (Lec. 3) to (Lec. 2, Lab. 3)
2) BOT 323 from (Lec. 1, Lab. 4) to (Lec. 1, Lab. 5)

2. Department of Chemistry

DELETE: 1) CHM 108
2) CHM 391
A. 3. Department of History

a. ADD: HIS 347 American Women in the Twentieth Century 1, 3
Emphasis on the nature of women's work, changes in sexual behavior, feminist movement, and images of women in popular culture. (Lec. 3) Prerequisite: HIS 145 or permission of instructor. In alternate years, next offered 1975-76. Strom

b. DELETE: HIS 121

4. Department of Journalism

ADD: JOR 301 The Minority Media 11, 3
Journalistic and social factors in minority communications. Analysis of the Afro-American and other selected media with special attention to editorial processes, roles and peculiar problems. (Lec. 3) Offered in alternate years. Nwankwo

5. Department of Languages

Linguistics

ADD: LIN 302 Principles of Morphology 11, 3
A thorough survey of the general principles of linguistic morphology. Extensive practical exercises. (Lec. 3) Prerequisite: LIN 202. Porter

6. Department of Physics

a. CHANGE: Description of B.S. Curriculum on p. 60 (1974-75 Undergraduate Bulletin) to read:

This curriculum provides a general background in theoretical and practical physics, and it qualifies the student for industrial research or advanced training in the industrial laboratories and in the technical bureaus of the government. Students also will have an adequate foundation for graduate work leading to higher degrees in physics.

Initiative, independent solution of laboratory problems, and research are encouraged in the advanced laboratory courses.

The following courses will usually be required for the B.S., but exceptions and /or substitutions are possible, and may be arranged upon consultation with the department. For example, a well prepared student may enroll for physics courses in the first semester of the freshman year; or courses in a related discipline may be taken instead of physics courses.
A. 6. b. CHANGE: Requirements for second semester of Junior and Senior Years:

Junior Year/Second Semester

- Mathematics elective (300 or 400 level) 3
- PHY 322 Mechanics 3
- PHY 382 Advanced Laboratory Physics 3
- PHY 431 Introduction to Theoretical Physics 3
- Free electives 6

Total: 18

Senior Year/Second Semester

- PHY 484 Laboratory and Research Problems in Physics 3
- PHY 402 Seminar in Physics 1
- PHY 452 Nuclear Physics 3
- Free electives 9

Total: 16

7. Department of Psychology

CHANGE: Description of Curriculum requirements for major in Psychology on pp. 61-62 (1974-75 Undergraduate Bulletin) to read:

Students in this field of concentration must complete a minimum of 30 credits in psychology, including:

- 113 General Psychology 3

At least one of the following:

- 232 Developmental Psychology
- 235 Theories of Personality
- 254 Behavior Problems and Personality Disorders 3

- 300 Quantitative Methods in Psychology 3
- 301 Introduction to Experimental Psychology 3

The remaining 18 credits should be selected by the student only after close consultation with his or her advisor, particularly if he or she is considering graduate study in psychology.

8. Department of Sociology

CHANGE: Description of Curriculum requirements for major in Sociology on p. 63 (1974-75 Undergraduate Bulletin) as follows:

1) DELETE: Area I, Area II requirements.

2) ADD: In addition to the above requirements, majors are required to complete at least six credits at the 400 level (in Sociology).
B. College of Home Economics

Department of Child Development

ADD: CDF 392 Child Care: Changing Patterns, 1, 3

Comprehensive study of child care, historical background and development, administration of centers, sociological problems, legislation, new trends in programs. Guest lecturers, related field observations. (Lec. 3) Prerequisite: CDF 270 or permission of department. Lapin

C. College of Resource Development

I. Department of Plant Pathology - Entomology

a. ADD: PLP 200 Introduction to Plant Protection 1, 3

Basic study of weeds, insects and disease agents and the problems they cause. Recognition of important plant pests and application of integrated cultural, chemical and biological pest management procedures. (Lec. 3) Prerequisite: BIO 101 or BOT 111. Englander

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SECTION III

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

At the Curricular Affairs Committee's meetings of January 30, 1975 and February 20, 1975 and the Graduate Council's meetings of January 31, 1975 and February 14, 1975 the following matters were considered and are now submitted to the Faculty Senate.

A. Informational Changes (Including Experimental Courses):

College of Business Administration

Department of Marketing Management

1) MMG 410X Product Management 1, 2

Development of product policies and strategies in a competitive environment. Emphasis on organization of the product management function, planning and developing new products, adjusting product strategies, and deleting products. (Lec. 2) Prerequisite: MMG 323 or permission of instructor. Staff

2) MMG 411X Marketing Communications 1, 2

The 'Communication Mix' is explored in terms of a total promotional program. Characteristics of advertising media, sales promotion, public relations and publicity are surveyed. Staff
B. Curricular Matters Submitted to the Faculty Senate for Confirmation:

College of Engineering

Department of Electrical Engineering

ADD: a) ELE 495 Electrical Engineering Practice I  
Industrial experience in electrical engineering at companies or government laboratories selected by the department. Student will work on a design or other engineering project under supervision of engineers from industry and URI faculty. A major written report will be required. Prerequisite: Permission of department and completion of the junior year in Electrical Engineering. Not for graduate degree credit. Staff

b) ELE 496 Electrical Engineering Practice II  
Industrial experience in electrical engineering at companies or government laboratories selected by the department. Student will work on a major design or other engineering project under supervision of engineers from industry and URI faculty. Prerequisite: ELE 495 and permission of department. Not for graduate degree credit. Staff