

Approval Chart for Curriculum Changes

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CSD

Course Number _____ or Degree Plan(s) _____

State the requested change and reason. A memo may be attached if more space is necessary.

Add CSD 607 and 623 to degree plan.
Revise course sequencing.
Incorporate CSD 694 with variable credit for practicum.

Addendum: See CSD degree plan

Circle the number that corresponds to the requested change. Degree plan changes are on the second page.

Change to a Course		COUNCIL ¹						President		
		Dept./School	College Academic	Deans	TEC	UGEC	UUAC		GRAD	Provost
1.	Title (description unchanged)	A	A	A		I			I	I
2.	Description (not affecting content)	A	A	A		I			I	I
3.	Course term(s)	A	I	A		I			I	I
4.	Content (substantive change)	A	A	A		I			A	I
5.	Number of hours (lecture, lab, contact)	A	A	A		A			A	I
6.	Course number within the hundred	A	A	I		I			I	I
7.	Course number beyond the hundred	A	A	A		A			A	I
8.	Prerequisites	A	A	A		I			I	I
9.	Course fee(s)	A	-	A		-			A	I
10.	From U to G or G to U	A	A	A		A			A	I
11.	Cross list with another department: U or G level	A	A	A		A			A	I
12.	Department of record	A	A	A		A			A	I
13.	Open or close a course	A	A	A		A			A	I
14.	New course — See website for application and process. This change includes combining or splitting a course(s).	A	A	A		A			A	I

Note: When an academic unit does not have a council, the UGEC and/or UUAC will serve as its academic council, depending on the nature of the issue.

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		COUNCIL ³							President	Faculty	Provost	GRAD	UUAC	UGEC	TEC	Deans	College Academic	Dept./School	Change to a Degree Plan
1.	University Requirements — Change in approved course content ⁶	A	A	A	A			A	--	A	--								
2.	University Requirements — Add or drop a required course from the University Requirements chart ⁶	A	A	A	A			A	A	A	--								
3.	University Requirements — Add or drop a course from a menu within the University Requirements ⁶	A	--	--	A			A	--	A	--								
4.	University Requirements — Change hours within a menu on the University Requirements chart ⁶	A	A	A	A			A	A	A	--								
5.	Major — Revision of major ^{4,5}	A	A	A	A			A	--	A	--								
6.	Major — Adopt or change admission requirements	A	A	A	A			A	--	A	--								
7.	Major — Add ^{4,5}	A	A	A	A			A	A	A	--								
8.	Major – Discontinue (proposed by the department or college)	A	A	A	A			A	A	A	--								
9.	Major – Discontinue (proposed by the Provost)	See below.																	
10.	GPA — Revise major or cumulative requirement	A	A	A	A			A	A	A	--								
11.	Minor — Revise course selection	A	A	A	I			I	--	I	--								
12.	Minor — Add	A	A	A	A			A	--	A	--								
13.	Minor – Discontinue (proposed by the department or college)	A	A	A	A			A	--	A	--								
14.	Minor – Discontinue (proposed by the Provost)	See below.																	
15.	Degree — Add	A	A	A	A			A	A	A	--								
16.	Degree – Discontinue (proposed by the department or college)	A	A	A	A			A	A	A	--								
17.	Degree – Discontinue (proposed by the Provost)	See below.																	
18.	Any change to a graduate degree program	A	A	A	A			A	--	A	--								

COUNCIL ³									
Board of Trustees	President	Faculty	Graduate	UUAC	TEC	Dean	Department	Provost	Provost-Proposed Change
I	A	A	A			R	R	A	1. Major/Graduate Program – Discontinue (proposed by the Provost)
--	A	--	A			R	R	A	2. Minor – Discontinue (proposed by the Provost)
I	A	A	A			R	R	A	3. Degree – Discontinue (proposed by the Provost)

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COUNCIL³										
	Change to the Catalog Information	Dept./School	College Academic	Deans	UGEC	UAC	GRAD	Provost	Faculty	President
1.	General requirements for graduation including course requirements that are common to all majors for all degrees ⁷	--	--	--	A			A	A	A
2.	Admission requirements	--	--	--	A			A	A	A
3.	Policies governing academic probation and suspension	--	--	--	A			A	A	A
4.	Requirements for graduating with honors	--	--	--	A			A	A	A

¹ Councils may request additional information about “Information” items. These items are approved as “Consent Agenda.”

² The Dean and Department should respond to the Provost’s recommendation to close a program in writing. Advise & Respond (R) requires that the voting body should receive the written responses at least one week prior to the vote.

³ All courses that meet University Requirements for general education must go through UGEC. Courses or degrees offered only to students seeking teacher certification must go through the Teacher Education Council. All undergraduate changes must go before the UUAC. All graduate degree plan changes must go through the Graduate Council.

⁴ A minimum of 30 hours is required for a major. A maximum is specified for each degree (e.g., BA, BS). The university minimum for elective hours is 6, unless the requirements of external accrediting bodies make it impossible.

⁵ Program or course changes that apply to any major that includes Teacher Certification will be reviewed by the college, the Teacher Education Council (TEC), and then the UUAC.

⁶ Courses that satisfy ACU’s University Requirements (General Education) will normally have lower-level numbering, be free of prerequisites and co-requisites, appeal to more than one or two majors, and “not narrowly focus on those skills, techniques, and procedures specific to a particular occupation or profession” (SACS 2.7.3). Departments may request exceptions to the first three criteria.

⁷ The UUAC approved the clarification that “general requirements for graduation” means the enumerated items in the “General Requirements for Bachelor’s Degrees” section of the catalog.

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Curriculum/Catalog Changes Signature Page

Department/School Chair(s)	
 Signature	3/23/22 Approval date
_____ Signature	_____ Approval date

College Academic Council(s)	
 Signature	4-5-22 Approval date
_____ Signature	_____ Approval date

Dean(s)	
 Signature	4-5-22 Approval date
_____ Signature	_____ Approval date

Teacher Education Council	
_____ Chair's signature	_____ Approval date

General Education Council	
_____ Chair's signature	_____ Approval date

Undergraduate Academic Council	
_____ Chair's signature	_____ Approval date

Graduate Council	
_____ Chair's signature	_____ Approval date

Provost	
_____ Signature	_____ Approval date

Faculty	
_____ Chair of faculty senate	_____ Approval date

President	
_____ Signature	_____ Approval date

Major Requirements

Core Courses

Year One (Fall)

- CSD 601 - Speech Sound Disorders Credit Hours: 3
- CSD 610 - Language and Language-Learning Disorders in Preschool and School-Aged Children Credit Hours: 3
- CSD 620 - Communication Research Methods Credit Hours: 3
- CSD 659 - Seminar in Diagnostic and Therapeutic Theory in Speech Pathology Credit Hours: 3

Year One (Spring)

- CSD 602 - Aphasia Credit Hours: 3
- ~~CSD 603 - Motor Speech Disorders~~ Credit Hours: 3
- CSD 607 - Augmentative and Alternative Communication Credit Hours: 2
- CSD 608 - Multicultural/Multilingual Considerations in CSD Credit Hours: 3
- CSD 613 - Dysphagia and Related Disorders Credit Hours: 3
- CSD 623 - Theory and Therapeutic Methodology for the Autism Spectrum Credit Hours: 2

Year One (Summer)

- ~~CSD 608 - Multicultural/Multilingual Considerations in CSD~~ Credit Hours: 3
- ~~CSD 603 - Motor Speech Disorders~~ Credit Hours: 3

Year Two (Fall)

- CSD 604 - Voice Disorders Credit Hours: 3
- CSD 614 - Cognitive-Communication Disorders Credit Hours: 3
- CSD 661 - Special Problems in Speech Pathology and Audiology Credit Hours: 3

Year Two (Spring)

- CSD 611 - Language Disorders in Young Children and Special Populations Credit Hours: 3
- CSD 670 - Seminar in Speech Pathology Credit Hours: 3

Total: ~~39 Credit Hours~~ 44 Credit Hours

Practicum

- CSD 693 - Clinical Practicum Credit Hours: ~~3~~ variable credit 1 or 2
 - Taken fall, ~~and~~ spring, and summer of year one
 - ~~CSD 693 - Clinical Practicum~~
~~Credit Hours: 1~~
~~Summer of year one (variable credit: 1 or 3 hours)~~
 - CSD 694 - Advanced Clinical Practicum Credit Hours: ~~3~~ variable credit 1 or 2
 - Taken fall and spring of year two
- Total: ~~13 Credit Hours~~ 8 credit hours**
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Total Major Hours: 52