

Approval Chart for Curriculum Changes

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Course Number Elective or Degree Plan(s) Nursing Degree Plan
 State the requested change and reason. A memo may be attached if more space is necessary.

Add an elective to the degree plan since PSYC 232 will be counted a social science. Please see attached for clarity.

This will allow students to be able to take an elective of their choice rather than 3 social sciences.

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

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

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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Change to a Degree Plan		COUNCIL ³							Provost	Faculty	President	Board of Trustees
		Dept./School	College Academic	Deans	TEC	UGEC	UAC	GRAD				
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				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	I
8.	Major — Discontinue (proposed by the department or college)	A	A	A	A				A	A	A	I
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	I
16.	Degree — Discontinue (proposed by the department or college)	A	A	A	A				A	A	A	I
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										
	Provost-Proposed Change	Provost	Department	Dean	TEC	UAC	Graduate	Faculty	President	Board of Trustees
1.	Major/Graduate Program – Discontinue (proposed by the Provost)	A	R	R	A			A	A	I
2.	Minor – Discontinue (proposed by the Provost)	A	R	R	A			--	A	--
3.	Degree – Discontinue (proposed by the Provost)	A	R	R	A			A	A	I

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	Change to the Catalog Information	Dept./School	College Academic	Deans	UGEC	UUAC	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
5.	Other academic policy changes	--	--	--	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)	
<u>Betsy Hammond</u> Signature	<u>3/4/14</u> Approval date
_____ Signature	_____ Approval date

College Academic Council(s)	
<u>Betsy Hammond</u> Signature	<u>3/4/14</u> Approval date
_____ Signature	_____ Approval date

Dean(s)	
<u>Betsy Hammond</u> Signature	<u>3/4/14</u> Approval date
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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

UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

Please see the University Requirements section of this catalog (page 40).

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS**Nursing**

**NURS 250 Applied Pathophysiology	3
NURS 320 Evidence-Based Gerontologic Nursing	2
NURS 330 Pharmacology in Nursing	3
NURS 350 Clinical Skills I: Fundamentals of Nursing	4
NURS 351 Nursing Assessment and Diagnostics	3
NURS 352 Evidence-Based Fundamentals of Nursing	3
NURS 360 Clinical Skills II: Acute Medical-Surgical Nursing	4
NURS 361 Evidence-Based Acute Medical-Surgical Nursing	4
NURS 370 Clinical Skills II: Community and Population Health...	2
NURS 371 Evidence-Based Community and Population Health...	2
NURS 380 Nursing Research for Evidence-Based Practice	3
NURS 430 Clinical Skills III: Mental Health Nursing	2
NURS 431 Evidence-Based Mental Health Nursing	2
NURS 450 Clinical Skills III: Maternity and Pediatric Nursing	4
NURS 453 Evidence-Based Maternity and Pediatric Nursing	4
NURS 464 Nursing Leadership and Management	3
NURS 475 Clinical Skills IV: Advanced Nursing Care	6
NURS 476 Evidence-Based Advanced Medical-Surgical Nursing	3
NURS 498 Nursing Capstone	3
TOTAL	60

SUPPLEMENT FOR MAJOR**Mathematics***MATH 123 Introduction to Probability and Statistics (3)¹**Psychology**

*PSYC 232 Developmental Psychology 3

Science

**BIOL 291/293 Anatomy and Physiology I with Lab 4

**BIOL 292/294 Anatomy and Physiology II with Lab 4

*BIOL 353/354 Microbiology with Lab 4

*CHEM 113 Introductory Chemistry (3)¹*CHEM 114 Introductory Organic and Biological Chemistry
or NUTR 120 Nutrition and Wellness or NUTR 221Introductory Nutrition (3)¹**TOTAL** 15¹Hours (in parentheses) may also fulfill university requirements
and are not included in total major hours**ELECTIVES**

Minimum 0

TOTAL MAJOR HOURS 75**OTHER GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS**

*Minimum grade for most core courses C

**Minimum grade required for BIOL 291/292..... B

Minimum total hours 128

*Courses numbered 0** do not count in
minimum hours required for degree.***BSN: NURSING DEGREE PLAN (NURS)****UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS**

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MAJOR REQUIREMENTS**Nursing**

NURS 250 Applied Pathophysiology	3
NURS 320 Evidence-Based Gerontologic Nursing	2
NURS 330 Pharmacology in Nursing	3
NURS 350 Clinical Skills I: Fundamentals of Nursing	4
NURS 351 Nursing Assessment and Diagnostics	3
NURS 352 Evidence-Based Fundamentals of Nursing	3
NURS 360 Clinical Skills II: Acute Medical-Surgical Nursing	4
NURS 361 Evidence-Based Acute Medical-Surgical Nursing	4
NURS 370 Clinical Skills II: Community and Population Health...	2
NURS 371 Evidence-Based Community and Population Health...	2
NURS 380 Nursing Research for Evidence-Based Practice	3
NURS 430 Clinical Skills III: Mental Health Nursing	2
NURS 431 Evidence-Based Mental Health Nursing	2
NURS 450 Clinical Skills III: Maternity and Pediatric Nursing	4
NURS 453 Evidence-Based Maternity and Pediatric Nursing	4
NURS 464 Nursing Leadership and Management	3
NURS 475 Clinical Skills IV: Advanced Nursing Care	6
NURS 476 Evidence-Based Advanced Medical-Surgical Nursing	3
NURS 498 Nursing Capstone	3
TOTAL	60

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BIOL 291/293 Anatomy and Physiology I with Lab 4

BIOL 292/294 Anatomy and Physiology II with Lab 4

BIOL 353/354 Microbiology with Lab 4

CHEM 113 Introductory Chemistry (3)¹CHEM 114 Introductory Organic and Biological Chemistry
or NUTR 120 Nutrition and Wellness or NUTR 221Introductory Nutrition (3)¹**TOTAL** 12¹Hours (in parentheses) may also fulfill university requirements
and are not included in total major hours**ELECTIVES**

Minimum 3

TOTAL MAJOR HOURS 75**OTHER GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS**

Minimum grade for Major Requirements and Supplement for
Major.....C

Minimum total hours.....128