

VALDOSTA STATE UNIVERSITY
ACADEMIC COMMITTEE MINUTES
March 5, 2012

The Academic Committee of the Valdosta State University Faculty Senate met in the University Center Rose Room on Monday, March 5, 2012. Dr. Sharon Gravett, Assistant Vice President for Academic Affairs, presided.

Members Present: Dr. Deborah Weaver, Dr. Colette Drouillard (Proxy for Ms. Laura Wright), Dr. Nathan Moates, Ms. Catherine Schaeffer, Dr. Linda Jurczak, Dr. Kathe Lowney (Proxy for Dr. Frank Flaherty), Dr. Kathe Lowney, Dr. Nathan Moates (Proxy for Dr. Ray Elson), Dr. Nicole Gibson, Dr. Ann Marie Smith, Dr. Melissa Benton, Ms. Michelle Dykes, Dr. Carol Rossiter and Dr. Colette Drouillard.

Members Absent: Ms. Laura Wright, Dr. Amy Aronson-Friedman, Ms. Jessica Goldsmith, Dr. Frank Flaherty, Dr. Ray Elson, and Dr. Donna Cunningham.

Visitors Present: Dr. Nolan Argyle, Dr. Alfred Fuciarelli, Dr. Julie Reffel, Dr. Mike Griffin, Dr. James Shrader, Dr. Maria Whyte, Dr. Brenda Dyal, Dr. Anita Hufft, Mr. Mike Savoie, and Dr. Jane Kinney.

The Minutes of the February 13, 2012 meeting were approved by email on February 22. (pages 1-4).

A. Graduate School

1. Revised requirements for undergraduates seeking enrollment in Graduate School was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 5-7).

B. College of Arts and Sciences

1. Revised degree requirements for the MPA degree was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 8-9).
2. New course, Public Administration (PADM) 7600, "Public Policy Formation", (PUBLIC POLICY FORMATION – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Summer Semester 2012. (pages 10-20).

C. College of Education

1. Information item – Termination of EDS – Middle Grades Education (page 21).
2. Information item – Termination of EDS – Pre-Elementary/Early Childhood/Kindergarten Teacher Education (pages 22).
3. Information item – Termination of EDS – Secondary Education (page 23).
4. Revised admission requirements for the BSED in Early Childhood Education, and the BSED in Special Education – Early Childhood Special Education General Curriculum was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with a comma between "curriculum and which" and also add a "s" to the final "require". (pages 204-206).
5. Revised prerequisites, Early Childhood & Special Education (ECSE) 3390, "Early Childhood Inclusive Practicum and Seminar: Pre-K-K, (INCLUSIVE PRACT & SEM PREK-K – 2 credit hours, 1 lecture hours, 4 lab hours, and 5 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (page 207).
6. Revised prerequisites, Early Childhood & Special Education (ECSE) 3490, "Early Childhood Inclusive Practicum and Seminar: Grades 1-3, (INCLUSIVE PRACT & SEM GR 1-3 – 2 credit hours, 1 lecture hours, 4 lab hours, and 5 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (page 207).
7. Revised prerequisites, Early Childhood & Special Education (ECSE) 4390, "Early Childhood Inclusive Practicum and Seminar: Grades 4-5, (INCLUSIVE PRACT & SEM GR 4-5 – 2 credit hours, 1 lecture hours, 4 lab hours, and 5 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (page 207).
8. Revised prerequisites, Early Childhood Education (ECED) 3190, "Early Childhood Practicum and Seminar: PreK-K, (ECED PRACTICUM/SEMINAR: PREK-K – 2 credit hours, 0 lecture hours, 2 lab hours, and 2 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 208-215).

9. Revised prerequisites, Early Childhood Education (ECED) 3690, “Early Childhood Practicum and Seminar: Grades 1-3, (ECED PRACTICUM/SEMINAR: GR 1-3 – 2 credit hours, 0 lecture hours, 2 lab hours, and 2 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 216-224).
10. Revised prerequisites, Early Childhood & Special Education (ECSE) 4490, “Student Teaching and Reflective Seminar in Early Childhood and Special Education, (STUDENT TEACHING & SEM IN ECSE – 9 credit hours, 0 lecture hours, 9 lab hours, and 9 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with the prefix corrected in the Current Course Prefix, Title, & Number box from ECED to ECSE. (pages 225-236).
11. Revised prerequisites, Early Childhood Education (ECED) 4690, “Early Childhood Practicum and Seminar: Grades 4-5, (ECED PRACTICUM/SEMINAR – 2 credit hours, 0 lecture hours, 2 lab hours, and 2 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 237-245).
12. Revised prerequisites, Early Childhood Education (ECED) 4790, “Student Teaching and Reflective Seminar, (STUDENT TEACHING AND SEMINAR – 9 credit hours, 0 lecture hours, 9 lab hours, and 9 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 246-256).
13. Revised prerequisites, grading mode, and course description, Early Childhood & Special Education (ECSE) 4420, “Seminar in Classroom Management and Collaboration with Family, School, and Community Agencies, (SEM CLASS MGNT & COLLABORATION – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with the description changed to read ...”unsatisfactory”. Examination...various programs, methods, and techniques... . (pages 257-265).
14. Revised prerequisites, Literacy (LITR) 3110, “Emergent Literacy, (EMERGENT LITERACY – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with the co-requisite move from the end of the description to the beginning of the description. (pages 266-268).
15. New course, Early Childhood & Special Education (ECSE) 2999, “Entry to the Education Profession, (ENTRY TO EDUCATION – 0 credit hours, 0 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 0 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 269-278).
16. Revised Area F requirements for the BSED in Special Education – Early Childhood Special Education General Curriculum was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 279-280)
17. Revised Area F requirements for the BSED in Early Childhood Education was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 281-282).
18. Revised name for the EDS in Coaching Pedagogy in Physical Education was approved effective Summer Semester 2012. (pages 283-284). ***Graduate Executive approval*** and BOR notification.

D. College of Nursing

1. New GPA requirements for the Pre-Nursing major students was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 24-26).
2. Revised program objectives for the BSN degree was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 27-29).
3. Revised course title, and prerequisites, Nutrition (NUTR) 3300, “Nutrition, Fitness, and Health, (NUTRITION, FITNESS, AND HEALTH – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 30-32).
4. Degree proposal for the DNP – Doctor of Nursing was approved with “Distance Learning Department” changed to “eLearning Department” page 59 and item D page 62 was changed to read ...CON, Academic Committee, University’s Graduate Executive, and Faculty Senate Committees. Final... . (pages 33-102). ***Pending BOR approval***
5. Degree proposal for the DNP – Doctor of Nursing was approved (pages 103-104).
6. New course, Nursing (NURS) 9011, “Biostatistics”, (BIostatISTICS – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with the prerequisite removed from the course syllabus and the description changed to read ...problems, and improvement of population... . (pages 105-112).
7. New course, Nursing (NURS) 9100, “DNP Foundations Seminar”, (DNP FOUNDATIONS – 1 credit hour, 1 lecture

hour, 0 lab hours, and 1 contact hour), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with the prerequisite removed from the course syllabus. (pages 113-119).

8. New course, Nursing (NURS) 9110, “Principles of Epidemiology”, (PRINCIPLES OF EPIDEMIOLOGY – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with the prerequisite removed from the course syllabus. (pages 120-125).
9. New course, Nursing (NURS) 9120, “Policy, Finance, & Health Systems”, (POLICY, FINANCE, & HLTH SYSTMS – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with the prerequisite removed from the course syllabus and a comma added after Finance in the course title. (pages 126-135).
10. New course, Nursing (NURS) 9130, “Informatics for Advanced Practice Nursing”, (INFORMATICS ADVANCED PRACTICE – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with the prerequisite removed from the course syllabus. (pages 136-142).
11. New course, Nursing (NURS) 9200, “Advanced Applications of Evidence-Based Practice”, (ADVANCED APPLICATIONS OF EBP – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with the prerequisite removed from the course syllabus and a “evidence based” was changed to “evidence-based” in the description. (pages 143-150).
12. New course, Nursing (NURS) 9210, “Leadership and Role Development for Advanced Practice Nursing”, (LEADERSHIP & ROLE FOR APN – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with the prerequisite removed from the course syllabus and the description was changed to read ...entrepreneurship, change, and... . (pages 151-157).
13. New course, Nursing (NURS) 9220, “Population Health for Advanced Practice Nursing”, (POPULATION HEALTH FOR APN – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with the prerequisite removed from the course syllabus and the course description changed to read ...disease management, quality, safety... . (pages 158-166).
14. New course, Nursing (NURS) 9230, “Health Ethics”, (HEALTH ETHICS – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with the prerequisite removed from the course syllabus. (pages 167-172).
15. New course, Nursing (NURS) 9300, “DNP Residency I”, (DNP RESIDENCY I – 3 credit hours, 0 lecture hours, 12 lab hours, and 12 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with the course description changed to: Prerequisites: NURS 9011, 9100, 9110, 9120, 9130, 9200, 9210, 9220, and 9230. Intense practice immersion that integrates the role of the DNP into clinical practice, focusing on designing, delivering, and evaluating comprehensive, evidence-based care to individuals, aggregates, and populations.. (pages 173-180).
16. New course, Nursing (NURS) 9310, “DNP Residency II”, (DNP RESIDENCY II – 3 credit hours, 0 lecture hours, 12 lab hours, and 12 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with correction of the spelling of “Residency” in the course title and the course description changed to: Prerequisites: NURS 9011, 9100, 9110, 9120, 9130, 9200, 9210, 9220, and 9230. Intense practice immersion that integrates the role of the DNP into clinical practice, focusing on leadership, consultation, advocacy, and interdisciplinary collaboration to improve the safety and quality of health care for diverse populations. . (pages 181-187).
17. New course, Nursing (NURS) 9400, “DNP Clinical Project I”, (DNP CLINICAL PROJECT I – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with the course description change to read: Prerequisites: NURS 9011, 9100, 9110, 9120, 9130, 9200, 9210, 9220, and 9230. Development of the DNP capstone project, demonstrating the student’s ability to evaluate and apply theory and evidence to clinical practice and leadership .. (pages 188-195).
18. New course, Nursing (NURS) 9410, “DNP Clinical Project II”, (DNP CLINICAL PROJECT II – 3 credit hours, 0 lecture hours, 10 lab hours, and 10 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with the course description changed to read: Prerequisite: NURS 9400. Implementation, evaluation, and dissemination of the DNP capstone project. . (pages 196-203).

E. College of the Arts

1. Department of Art mission statement was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 285-287).

2. Revised course description, Art (ART) 3072, "Digital Photography", (DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY – 3 credit hours, 0 lecture hours, 6 lab hours, and 6 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with the description changed to read ...course emphasizing the technical... (pages 288-290).
3. Revised title, prerequisites, and course description, Art (ART) 3072, "Color Photography", (COLOR PHOTOGRAPHY – 3 credit hours, 0 lecture hours, 6 lab hours, and 6 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with the description changed to read ...photography emphasizing practical... (pages 291-293).
4. Revised prerequisites, Art History (ARTH) 4170, "Prehistoric Through Historic Native American Art", (PREHIST/HIST NATIVE AM ART – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 294-296).
5. Revised prerequisites, Art History (ARTH) 4180, "Modern and Contemporary Native American Art", (MOD/CONT NATIVE AM ART – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 297-299).
6. New course, Art (ART) 4071, "Advanced Black and White Photography", (ADV B&W PHOTOGRAPHY – 3 credit hours, 0 lecture hours, 6 lab hours, and 6 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with the black and white photography changed to lower case in the course description, and the comma was removed after control. (pages 300-302).
7. New course, Art (ART) 4073, "Photographic Lighting Techniques", (PHOTOGRAPHIC LIGHTING – 3 credit hours, 0 lecture hours, 6 lab hours, and 6 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 303-305).
8. Revised course prefix, number, and title, Music (MUSC) 3120, "Rhythm Section Techniques and Pedagogy", (RHYTHM SECTION TECH PEDAGOGY – 1 credit hour, 0 lecture hours, 2 lab hours, and 2 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 306-308). Deactivation of MUE 3740.
9. Revised credit hours, Music Education (MUE) 4720, "Advanced String Methods", (ADV STRING METHODS – 1 credit hour, 0 lecture hours, 3 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 309-311).
10. Revised credit hours, Music (MUSC) 4750, "Vocal Pedagogy", (ADV STRING METHODS – 2 credit hours, 2 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 2 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with the prefix corrected from MUE to MUSC in Current Course Prefix, Title, & Number box. (pages 312-314).
11. Revised course prefix, and description, Music (MUSC) 4760, "Jazz Pedagogy", (JAZZ PEDAGOGY – 2 credit hours, 0 lecture hours, 2 lab hours, and 2 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 315-317). Deactivation of MUE 4760.
12. Revised prerequisite, Music (MUSC) 1011, "Music Theory I", (MUSIC THEORY I – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 318-320).
13. Revised prerequisite, Music (MUSC) 1012, "Music Theory II", (MUSIC THEORY II – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with the removal of the co-requisite. (pages 321-323).
14. Revised prerequisite, Music (MUSC) 1051, "Music Theory Lab I", (MUSIC THEORY LAB I – 1 credit hour, 0 lecture hours, 2 lab hours, and 2 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 324-326).
15. Revised prerequisite, Music (MUSC) 1052, "Music Theory Lab II", (MUSIC THEORY LAB II – 1 credit hour, 0 lecture hours, 2 lab hours, and 2 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with the removal of the co-requisite. (pages 327-329).
16. Revised prerequisite, Music (MUSC) 2011, "Music Theory III", (MUSIC THEORY III – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with the removal of the co-requisite. (pages 330-332).
17. Revised prerequisite, Music (MUSC) 2012, "Music Theory IV", (MUSIC THEORY IV – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with the removal of the co-requisite. (pages 333-335).

18. Revised prerequisite, Music (MUSC) 2051, “Music Theory Lab III”, (MUSIC THEORY LAB III – 1 credit hour, 0 lecture hours, 3 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with the removal of the co-requisite. (pages 336-338).
19. Revised prerequisite, Music (MUSC) 2052, “Music Theory Lab IV”, (MUSIC THEORY LAB IV – 1 credit hour, 0 lecture hours, 3 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012 with the removal of the co-requisite. (pages 339-341).
20. Revised credit hours, Music (MUSC) 3830, “The Spotlighters”, (THE SPOTLIGHTERS – 1 credit hour, 0 lecture hours, 3 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 342-344).
21. Revised credit hours, Music (MUSC) 3840, “Opera and Musical Theatre”, (OPERA AND MUSICAL THEATRE – 1 credit hour, 0 lecture hours, 3 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 345-347).
22. Revised credit hours, Music (MUSC) 4731, “Percussion Pedagogy”, (PERCUSSION PEDAGOGY – 1 credit hour, 1 lecture hour, 0 lab hours, and 1 contact hour), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 348-350).
23. Revised credit hours, Music (MUSC) 4732, “Brass Pedagogy”, (BRASS PEDAGOGY – 1 credit hour, 1 lecture hour, 0 lab hours, and 1 contact hour), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 351-353).
24. Revised credit hours, Music (MUSC) 4733, “Woodwind Pedagogy”, (WOODWIND PEDAGOGY – 1 credit hour, 1 lecture hour, 0 lab hours, and 1 contact hour), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 354-356).
25. Revised credit hours, Music (MUSC) 4734, “String Pedagogy”, (STRING PEDAGOGY – 1 credit hour, 1 lecture hour, 0 lab hours, and 1 contact hour), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 357-359).
26. New course, Music (MUSC) 6050, “Aural Skills Pedagogy”, (AURAL SKILLS PEDAGOGY – 2 credit hours, 2 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 2 contact hour), was approved effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 360-362).
27. Deactivation of MUE 2640, 4640, MUSC 1110, 2400, 2450, 3450, 3740, 4480, 4880, and 4890 was noted effective Fall Semester 2012. (pages 363-364).

Respectfully submitted,

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