

**Courses for Consideration by Deans Course Review Committee
June 26, 2009**

Date	College	New/Revised Reactivated	Prefix/ Course Number	Title	Credits/ Configuration	Comments
6/09	NVCC	Revision	CHD 117	<p>Introduction to Reading Methods</p> <p>Close out CHD 117 and Renumber as CHD 119 to fall into sequence after CHD 118.</p> <p>Recommendation from the VA Early Childhood Professional Development Group and the Early Childhood Standards for Professional Preparation.</p>		APPROVED
6/09	RCC	New	EDU 2__	Introduction to Autism Spectrum Disorders	(3 Cr) Lecture 3 hours per week.	DEFERRED Return for clarification of the purpose of the courses; what students will be qualified for; who students will be and, enrollment history. Also need evidence that 4-year institutions have been contacted about accepting the course and, if so, what program(s) would it transfer to.

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	RCC	New	EDU 2__	Methodologies and Curriculum Development for Students with Autism Spectrum Disorders	(3 Cr.) Lecture 3 hours per week. Prerequisite: Introduction to Autism Spectrum Disorders	DEFERRED Same as Above
6/09	RCC	New	EDU 2__	Methods for Supporting Students with Autism Spectrum Disorders in the School Setting	(3 Cr.) Lecture 3 hours per week. Prerequisite: Introduction to Autism Spectrum Disorders and Methodologies and Curriculum Development for Students with Autism Spectrum Disorders	DEFERRED Same as Above
6/09	DCC	Revision	ELE 152	Electrical-Electronics Calculations I	(4 Cr.) Lecture 3-4 hours. Laboratory 0-2 hours. Total 4-5 hours per week.	APPROVED Request to make course (3-4 Cr.) Lecture 3-4 hours per week. This would eliminate the optional lab and bring in line with ELE 153 and ELE 154.
6/09	JSRCC	Revision	INT 280	Interpreter Assessment Preparation	(3 Cr.) Lecture 2 hours. Lab 3 hours. Total 5 hours per week.	APPROVED Proposing (3 Cr.) Lecture 3 hours per week.
6/09	NVCC	Revision	LBR 105	Library Skills for Research	(1 Cr.) Laboratory 1 hour per week.	APPROVED Proposing (1 Cr.) Lecture 1 hour per week.

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5/09	JTCC	New	MEC 270	Computations for Engineering Technology	(3 Cr.) Lecture 2 hours. Lab 2 hours. Total 4 hours per week.	APPROVED Revise description; no prerequisites.
5/09	TCC	Revision	MSC 111	Military Science I – Change to Introduction to Army ROTC APPROVED	(1-2 Cr.) Lecture 1-2 hours per week.	APPROVED Propose changing to (2 Cr.) Lecture 2 hours per week.
5/09	TCC	Revision	MSC 112	Military Science II – Change to Introduction to Leadership APPROVED	(1-2 Cr.) Lecture 1-2 hours per week.	APPROVED Propose changing to (2 Cr.) Lecture 2 hours per week.
5/09	TCC	Revision	MSC 211	Military Science III – Change to Leadership Skills APPROVED	(1-2 Cr.) Lecture 1-2 hours per week.	APPROVED Propose changing to (2 Cr.) Lecture 2 hours per week.
5/09	TCC	Revision	MSC 212	Military Science IV – Change to Foundations of the Military Profession APPROVED	(1-2 Cr.) Lecture 1-2 hours per week.	APPROVED Propose changing to (2 Cr.) Lecture 2 hours per week.
6/09	DCC	New Resubmitted	NAN 101	Introduction to Nanomaterials and Processes	(3 Cr.) Lecture 3 hours per week. Co-requisite: CHM 111, PHY 201.	DISAPPROVED Return for cleanup; clear prerequisites and co-requisites; needs to come through college curriculum committee

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6/09	DCC	New Resubmitted	NAN 201	Fundamentals of Nanotechnology	(3 Cr.) Lecture 3 hours per week. Prerequisite: NAN 101. Co-requisite: CHM 111.	DISAPPROVED See above
6/09	DCC	New Resubmitted	NAN 211	Fundamentals of Nanotechnology Laboratory	(1 Cr.) Laboratory 4 hours per week. Prerequisite: NAN 101. Co-requisite: NAN 201.	DISAPPROVED See above
6/09	DCC	New Resubmitted	NAN 202	Measurement and Characterization of Nanomaterials	(3 Cr.) Lecture 3 hours per week. Prerequisite: PHY 201, PHY 202, NAN 101, NAN 201.	DISAPPROVED See above
6/09	DCC	New	NAN 212	Measurement and Characterization of Nanomaterials Laboratory	(1 Cr.) Laboratory 4 hours per week. Prerequisite: NAN 101, PHY 201, PHY 202. Co-requisite: NAN 202.	DISAPPROVED See above
6/09	DCC	New Resubmitted	NAN 203	Applications of Nanotechnology	(3 Cr.) Lecture 3 hours per week. Prerequisites: MTH 166, CHM 111, NAN 101, NAN 201, PHY 201, PHY 202.	DISAPPROVED See above

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6/09	DCC	New Resubmitted	NAN 213	Applications of Nanotechnology Laboratory	(1 Cr.) Laboratory 4 hours per week. Prerequisite: MTH 166, CHM 111, NAN 101, NAN 201, PHY 201, PHY 202. Co-requisite: NAN 203.	DISAPPROVED See above
5/9	NVCC	New	NUR 125	Historical Perspectives of Nursing	(3 Cr.) Lecture 3 hours per week. Prerequisite: Placement into ENG 111.	APPROVED Remove prerequisites
5/9	NVCC	New	NUR 250	Global and Rural Health Nursing	(5 Cr.) Lecture 3 hours. Laboratory 6 hours. Total 9 hours per week. Prerequisite: NUR 150 and valid passport; co-requisite: CST 229.	APPROVED Remove prerequisites and co-requisites
5/09	TCC	New	WEL 170	Maritime Shielded Metal Arc Fillet Welding (SMAW I)	(3 Cr.) Lecture 2 hours. Laboratory 3 hours. Total 5 hours per week.	APPROVED
5/09	TCC	New	WEL 171	Maritime Shielded Metal Arc Groove Welding (SMAW II)	(3 Cr.) Lecture 2 hours. Laboratory 3 hours. Total 5 hours per week.	APPROVED
5/09	TCC	New	WEL 165	Introduction to Maritime Welding	(2 Cr.) Lecture 2 hours per week.	APPROVED

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5/09	TCC	New	WEL 210	Maritime Flux Core Arc Fillet Welding (FCAW)	(3 Cr.) Lecture 2 hours. Laboratory 3 hours. Total 5 hours per week.	APPROVED
5/09	TCC	New	WEL 220	Maritime Gas Metal Arc Fillet Welding (GMAW)	(3 Cr.) Lecture 2 hours. Laboratory 3 hours. Total 5 hours per week.	APPROVED
5/09	TCC	New	WEL 230	Maritime Gas Tungsten Arc Fillet Welding (GTAW)	(2 Cr.) Lecture 1 hour. Laboratory 3 hours. Total 4 hours per week.	APPROVED
6/09	TCC	Revisions	MTH 3-A MTH 3-B MTH 3-C MTH 3-D MTH 3-E MTH 4-A MTH 4-B MTH 4-C MTH 4-D MTH 4-E	Modular Algebra IA Modular Algebra IB Modular Algebra IC Modular Algebra ID Modular Algebra IE Modular Algebra IIA Modular Algebra IIB Modular Algebra IIC Modular Algebra IID Modular Algebra IIE	References to "Part ___ of ___" have been removed from all courses.	APPROVED

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Optional Laboratory Issue:

Background: In November 2005, there were 316 classes in violation of VCS Policy, 5.3.0.2.e, which states:

- e. *Variable Credits –A college may request that a course vary from the existing credit value, but by no more than one credit. Existing variable credit ranges may not be extended. **Credit variability will not be approved for purposes of deleting laboratory hours or of making laboratory hours optional.** General usage courses and courses numbered 1-99 are exempt from this policy.*

With prefix reviews conducted by the various peer groups, corrections have been made to many of the courses with about 90 remaining. Upon the recommendation of this group, the remaining courses will be modified by removing the optional lab at the end of Summer 2010.

An exception needs to be reviewed. NUR 115, LPN Transition was approved by the Vice Chancellor as an exception to the variable credit policy. (Under Dr. Anne-Marie McCartan's tenure). This course is listed as 2-7 credits. However, the exception was never intended to allow optional laboratory. The current structure of this course is: Lecture 1-7 hours. Laboratory 0-18 hours. Total 2-19 hours per week.

A recommendation by this group needs to come forward.

The backup material will be sent under separate cover.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

Colleges will review the listing of courses that are in violation of VCCS policy. They will compile a listing of how the classes are conducted at their institution and send back to the System Office. The System Office will summarize the findings and present a report to the September 2009 Course Review Committee.

NUR 115, LPN Transition, will be added to the list of courses in violation of VCCS policy for review.