

UNIVERSITY CURRICULUM COMMITTEE  
ACTION SUMMARY

Friday, September 14, 2007 Meeting, DIV S111 at 1:00 p.m.

Distributed October 2, 2007, by UCC Chair, Kathryn Fouse  
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**Members present:** Beth Ashmore (Library), Marshall Cates (Pharmacy), Kristie Chandler (Education), Kathryn Fouse (Chair), Larry Harper (Business), Randolph Horn (A & S), Paul House (Divinity), Marione Nance (A & S), and Barry Robinson (A & S)

**Members absent:** Arlene Hayne (Nursing), Ed Martin (Law)

**Also present:** Mary Sue Baldwin, Cindy Berry, Charlotte Brammer, Franz Lohrke, Nancy Miller, Jeremy Thornton, and John Venable

**I. New Business**

- A. Considered proposals from the **School of Business**
1. **Passed, Forwarded to Provost (10/01/07)**  
**New Program:** Social Entrepreneurship and Nonprofit Management Minor [F. Lohrke, J. Marshall, B. Taylor 09/06/07]
  2. **Passed, Forwarded to Provost (10/01/07)**  
**New Course:** BUSA 450, Practicum for Investment Management, (1-3 credit variable) [J. Venable, S. Jones, J. Marshall, B. Taylor 09/05/07]
  3. **Passed, Forwarded to Provost (10/01/07)**  
**New Course:** BUSA 487, Applied Social Entrepreneurship and Nonprofit Management, (1 credit fixed) [F. Lohrke, J. Marshall, B. Taylor 09/06/07]
- B. Considered proposals from the **Howard College of Arts and Sciences**
1. **Passed, Forwarded to Provost (10/01/07)**  
**Course Name Change:** COMS 215 **FROM:** Oral Communications **TO:** Public Speaking, (4 credit fixed) [R. Galloway, R. Parker, M. Nance, D. Chapman 09/07/07]
  2. **Passed, Forwarded to Provost (10/01/07)**  
**New Course:** COMS 305, Experiencing Cultural Differences, (4 credit fixed) [A. Borden, R. Parker, M. Nance, D. Chapman 09/07/07]
  3. **Passed, Forwarded to Provost (10/01/07)**  
**Course Deletion:** COMS 319, Argumentation and Debate [C. Brammer, R. Parker, M. Nance, D. Chapman 09/07/07]
  4. **Passed, Forwarded to Provost (10/01/07)**  
**New Course:** COMS 320, Legal Communication, (4 credit fixed) [R. Galloway, R. Parker, M. Nance, D. Chapman 09/07/07]

5. **Passed, Forwarded to Provost (10/01/07)**  
**Course Name Change:** COMS 411W **FROM:** Public Address  
**TO:** Media Criticism, (4 credit fixed) [M. Janas, R. Parker,  
M. Nance, D. Chapman 09/07/07]
6. **Passed, Forwarded to Provost (10/01/07)**  
**Course Name Change:** COMS 417W **FROM:** Contemporary  
Rhetoric **TO:** Political Communication, (4 credit fixed)  
[R. Galloway, R. Parker, M. Nance, D. Chapman 09/07/07]
7. **Passed, Forwarded to Provost (10/01/07)**  
**Course Name Change:** COMS 421 **FROM:** Advanced  
Interpersonal Communication **TO:** Communication in Close  
Relationships, (4 credit fixed) [R. Parker, M. Nance, D. Chapman  
09/07/07]
8. **Passed, Forwarded to Provost (10/01/07)**  
**Course Deletion:** COMS 425W Communication Theory  
[C. Brammer, R. Parker, M. Nance, D. Chapman 09/07/07]
9. **Passed, Forwarded to Provost (10/01/07)**  
**Course Name Change:** COMS 453W **FROM:** Writing in the  
Professions **TO:** Professional Communication, (4 credit fixed)  
[C. Brammer, R. Parker, M. Nance, D. Chapman 09/07/07]
10. **Passed, Forwarded to Provost (10/01/07)**  
**Program Change:** Add COMS 205 to COM department core  
major requirements [R. Parker, M. Nance, D. Chapman 09/07/07]
11. **Passed, Forwarded to Provost (10/01/07)**  
**Program Change:** Communication Studies [C. Brammer, R.  
Parker, M. Nance, D. Chapman 09/07/07]

C. No proposals from the **Beeson School of Divinity**

D. Considered proposals from the **Orlean Bullard Beeson School of  
Education and Professional Studies**

1. **Tabled**  
**Course Replacement: FROM:** ESSM 335, Health Fitness  
Management, **TO:** ESSM 433, Organization and Administration of  
Health and Physical Education [A. Jung, C. Sands, D. Little  
04/06/07]
2. **Passed, Forwarded to Provost (10/01/07)**  
**New Course:** ESSM 495, Fitness and Health Promotion  
Externship, (12 credit fixed) [A. Jung, C. Sands, D. Little, J. Box  
05/07/07]
3. **Tabled**  
**Course Replacement: FROM:** HIST 200, The West in Global  
Perspective, **TO:** ESSM 495, Fitness and Health Promotion  
Internship [A. Jung, C. Sands, D. Little 05/07/07]

4. **Tabled**  
**Course Replacement: FROM:** PSYC 205, Life Span Development, **TO:** ESSM, Directed Elective [A. Jung, C. Sands, J. Box 05/07/07]
  5. **Tabled**  
**Course Replacement: FROM:** ESSM 460, Health Promotion, **TO:** ESSM, Directed Elective [A. Jung, C. Sands, D. Little, J. Box 05/07/07]
- E. Reviewed proposals from the **Cumberland School of Law**
1. **Forwarded to Provost (10/01/07)**  
**Course Name Change: FROM:** LAW 540, Decedents' Estates & Trusts, **TO:** LAW 540, Wills, Trusts and Estates [A. DiRusso, H. Strickland, E. Martin, J. Carroll 04/04/07]
  2. **Forwarded to Provost (10/01/07)**  
**Change in Catalog Content:** LAW 606 Estate & Gift Taxation **FROM:** (2 credit fixed) **TO:** (2-3 credit variable) [A. DiRusso, H. Strickland, E. Martin, J. Carroll 04/04/07]
  3. **Forwarded to Provost (10/01/07)**  
**New Course:** LAW 641 Estate & Trust Administration [A. DiRusso, H. Strickland, E. Martin, J. Carroll 04/04/07]
  4. **Forwarded to Provost (10/01/07)**  
**Change in Catalog Content:** Add Prerequisites to LAW 664, Estate Planning [A. DiRusso, H. Strickland, E. Martin, J. Carroll 04/04/07]
- F. No proposals from the **Ida V. Moffett School of Nursing**
- G. Considered proposal from the **School of Performing Arts**
1. **Passed, Forwarded to Provost (10/01/07)**  
**New Cross Listing:** MUSC 4170, Hymnology, **ADD:** RELG 417, Hymnology [P. Richardson, D. Sanders, K. Roxburgh, K. Fouse, J. Hopkins, D. Chapman 09/07/07]
- H. No proposals from the **McWhorter School of Pharmacy**
- I. No proposals from the **Metro College**
- J. No proposals from **Special Academic Programs**

## II. Announcements

- A. The remaining meetings for the 2007 calendar year of the University Curriculum Committee are scheduled for **Friday, October 12** at 1:00 p.m. in DIV S111, and **Friday, November 9** at 1:00 p.m. in DIV S111.

- B. **All items to be considered** by the Curriculum Committee at its **October 12** meeting should be submitted to Kathryn Fouse, UCC chair, by 4:00 p.m., **Friday, October 5**. These items may be delivered to the Music Office in Buchanan Hall.
- C. **Official 2007-2008 UCC Membership:** Beth Ashmore (Library), Marshall Cates (Pharmacy), Kristie Chandler (Education & Professional Studies), Kathryn Fouse (Performing Arts, UCC Chair), Larry Harper (Business), Arlene Hayne (Nursing), Randolph Horn (A&S), Paul House (Divinity), Ed Martin (Law), Marione Nance (A&S), Barry Robinson (A&S). **Ex-Officio Membership:** Brad Creed (Provost), Mark Bateman (Associate Provost), Charlotte Brammer (Chair, Writing Committee), Mary Sue Baldwin (Director, CTLS), Paul Aucoin (Registrar), and Nancy B. Miller (Assistant Registrar).

(Last updated- 10/02/07)