

VALDOSTA STATE UNIVERSITY  
ACADEMIC COMMITTEE MINUTES  
February 9, 2015

The Academic Committee of the Valdosta State University Faculty Senate met in the University Center Rose Room on Monday, February 9, 2015. Dr. Sharon Gravett, Associate Provost for Academic Affairs, presided.

Members Present: Dr. Dee Ott (Proxy for Dr. Bonni Cohen), Dr. Michael Sanger, Dr. Gary Futrell, Ms. Sarah Arnett, Dr. Kristen Johns, Dr. Frank Flaherty, Dr. Ray Elson, Dr. Ellis Heath, Dr. Katherine Lamb, Dr. Lars Leader, Dr. Dee Ott, Ms. Jessica Lee, and Dr. Xiaoi Ren.

Members Absent: Dr. Bonni Cohen, Dr. Marc Pufong, Dr. Frank Barnas, and Dr. Linda Floyd.

Catalog Editor: Dr. Jane Kinney

Visitors Present: Dr. Nicole Cox, Ms. Teresa Williams, Dr. Robert Gannon, Dr. Darrell Ross, Dr. Greg Harrell, Dr. Don Leach, and Dr. Mark Borzi.

The Minutes of the January 12, 2015 meeting were approved by email on January 16, 2015. (pages 1-3).

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**C. College of Education and Human Services**

1. Revised admission to the Teacher Education program was approved effective Fall Semester 2015 was approved effective Fall Semester 2015. (pages 31-34).
2. Revised degree requirements for the MLIS was approved effective Fall Semester 2015. (Pages 35-37).

3. Revised curriculum for the MLIS – Cataloging and Classification track was approved effective Fall Semester 2015. (pages 38-40)
4. Revised prerequisite, Library Science (MLIS) 7330, “Metadata and Advanced Cataloging”, (METADATA AND ADV CATALOGING – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2015. (pages 41-43).
5. New course, Library Science (MLIS) 7125, “Genealogy for Librarians”, (GENEALOGY FOR LIBRARIANS – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3

contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2015 with the description changed to – Prerequisite: Permission of advisor. Individualized study and research for students preparing to write a thesis. May not be repeated for credit.. (pages 113-116).

17. Revised credit hours, title, prerequisite, and description, Criminal Justice (CRJU) 7999, “

12. New course, Emergent Media and Communication (EMAC) 3040, “Critical Approaches to Emerging Media”, (CRITICAL APPROACHES EMG MEDIA – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2015 with the description changed to – An investigation of issues of power and culture in contemporary media, including media representation, the commodification of audiences, and audience consumption and feedback. . (pages 190-193).
13. New course, Emergent Media and Communication (EMAC) 3080, “Visual Communication”, (VISUAL COMMUNICATION – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2015 with the description changed to – A study of the principles and practices of creating visual solutions to complex communication problems, including visual language, methodology, and cultural contexts. . (pages 194-197).
14. New course, Emergent Media and Communication (EMAC) 4000, “Emerging Media Ethics and Law”, (EMG MEDIA ETHICS AND LAW – 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2015 with the description changed to – A study of ethical and legal issues posed by emergent media. . (pages 198-201).
15. New course, Emergent Media and Communication (EMAC) 4100, “Digital Media I: Dynamic Design”, (DYNAMIC DESIGN – 3 credit hours, 1 lecture hour, 4 lab hours, and 5 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2015 with the description changed to – A study of the principles of content creation and traditional media production techniques. . (pages 202-205).
16. New course, Emergent Media and Communication (EMAC) 4220, “~~Alleviating~~ Civic Engagement, and Emer0 Td5ctD Td u420(g

