

REPORT: COMMITTEE ON CURRICULA & COURSES
For consideration by the Faculty Senate at its June 5, 2024 meeting

Proposal summaries are provided below. Full proposals can be viewed by logging in to the approval site (<https://usbulletins-next.sc.edu/courseleaf/approve/>) and selecting "Faculty Senate Officer" in the drop-down menu under Your Role. Note that you may view the proposals and add comments, but you may not edit or approve proposals. Also note that you need to use your USC network username in all lowercase to access the site. If you have trouble logging in, please contact the Office of Academic Programs at acadprog@mailbox.sc.edu.

The Curricula and Courses committee chairs welcomes questions and concerns in advance of the Faculty Senate meeting. If possible, please contact co-chairs Sharon Gumina (Gumina@mailbox.sc.edu) and Brian Habing (habing@stat.sc.edu) by noon June 5th or earlier.

Courses requesting approval to be offered via Distributed Learning/online are denoted with (DL). New courses and changes to course modality are effective Fall 2024. Course changes and inactivations are effective Fall 2025.

New programs are effective upon receiving all approvals. Program changes are effective Fall 2025.

Total Proposals:

- 10 – College of Arts & Sciences
- 1 – College of Education
- 2 – College of Information & Communications
- 1 – Joseph F. Rice School of Law
- 9 – School of Music
- 4 – Arnold School of Public Health

1. College of Arts & Sciences

Course Changes:

ARTS 445 – Updating Prerequisites; Updating requisites being enforced
Prerequisites: C or better in ARTS 246 or MART ~~262~~ ~~374~~
Should these requisites be enforced? Yes

GEOL 325 – Updating pre – or co-requisites
Does this course have pre- or co-requisites? No ~~Yes~~

MART 210 – (DL) Change to course delivery only

POLI 420 – (DL) Change to course delivery only

STAT 512 – (DL) Change to course delivery only
Note: Effective Summer 2024

New Courses:

- ANTH 380
- BIOL 351L

BIOL 499
ENGL 488 – Cross listing AFAM 488
SOST 350

2. College of Education

New Courses:

EDEX 590

3. College of Information & Communications

Course Changes:

JOUR 415 – Updating course number; Updating pre – or co-requisites

Course Number: ~~415~~ 545

Does this course have pre- or co-requisites? ~~No~~ Yes

New Courses:

JOUR 210 (DL) (Course was not approved and was returned to the C&C committee at the meeting)

4. Joseph F. Rice School of Law

New Courses:

LAWG 568 (DL)

5. School of Music

Course Changes:

MUSC 320 – Updating Prerequisites

Prerequisites: C or better in MUSC ~~319~~ 245

MUSC 353 – Updating Prerequisites

Prerequisites: C or better in MUSC ~~100L and 100L~~; MUSC ~~115~~ 115, ~~MUSC 116~~

MUSC 560 – Updating course number; Updating repeated for credit; Updating course description;

Updating alternate grade modes; Updating course restrictions

Course number: ~~560~~ 370

Can the course be repeated for credit? ~~No~~ Yes

Course Description: ~~An exploration of the~~ This course will explore the widely held understanding ~~of the of the~~ term teaching artist. ~~By examining examples from the Teaching Artist practice, students will identify the skills, places, and communities where teaching artists are called to work. Furthermore, students will examine the philosophies, beliefs, and values held in the Teaching Artist profession. Finally, students will investigate the necessary tensions and questions about the Teaching Artist profession within the larger music education landscape.~~

Updating alternate grade modes: ~~A~~–Audit

~~P~~–Pass/Fail

~~H~~–Senior Privilege/ Plan M

X – Accelerated Bachelors/ Masters

Course restrictions: ~~148A – Music Major ONLY~~
~~249A – Music Industry Studies Major ONLY~~
MU – School of Music ONLY

New Courses:

MUSC 546
MUSC 561

Course Inactivation:

MUSC 116
MUSC 216
MUSC 529
MUSC 530

6. Arnold School of Public Health

Course Changes:

HPEB 620 – Updating Cross-listing (adding new course as cross-listing)
Cross-listings: PNDI 620

New Courses:

ENHS 415
ENHS 575 (DL)
ENHS 585 (DL)