REPORT: COMMITTEE ON CURRICULA AND COURSES
(For consideration by the Faculty Senate at its March 2, 2016 meeting.)

Per the USC Policies and Procedures Manual - Academic Affairs section ACAF 2.00 and 2.03 Appendices, any department which has a proposal being recommended by the Committee on Curricula and Courses must have a representative in attendance at the Faculty Senate meeting in which said proposal is to be recommended.

Please contact Chair Kathleen Kirasic (Psychology) in advance of Faculty Senate meeting if errors are noted, either by phone: 777-4137 or e-mail: kck@sc.edu.

(Please note: Unless noted, approvals are effective in the 2017--2018 Bulletin)

1. COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

A. Department of Anthropology
New Courses, Effective Fall 2016

ANTH 214  Drinking in Culture Anthropology of Alcohol. (3) Cultures of alcohol production and consumption from ancient times to the present, including relationships among social roles of alcohol, technological innovations, agriculture, and economy in an anthropological perspective.

ANTH 227  Forbidden Archaeology: Fantasies, Frauds, and Mysteries of the Human Past. (3) History and basis of several popular “fringe” ideas about the human past that utilize archaeological information: giants, Ice Age civilizations, and pre-Columbian transoceanic contact.

ANTH 229  Southeastern Archaeology. (3) Major cultural milestones and lifeways experienced by Indians in the archeological record of the southeastern U.S., including colonization, religion, trade, invention of pottery, and place-making.


B. Department of Mathematics
New Course, Effective Fall 2016

MATH 548  Geometry, Algebra, and Algorithms. (3) Polynomials and affine space, Grobner bases, elimination theory, varieties, and computer algebra systems. Pre-requisites: Math 300 and Math 544 or consent of the Undergraduate Director
2. COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Change Prerequisite
From: EDEL 440 Elementary Mathematics Instruction. (3)
Prerequisites: admission to the professional program and completion of MATH 221 and 222

TO: EDEL 440 Elementary Mathematics Instruction. (3)
Prerequisites: admission to the professional program and completion of MATH 221

Change Course Number and Prerequisite
From: EDEL 591 Seminar on Teaching. (3)
Corequisites: EDTE 590A, 590B, 590C
Prerequisites: Admission to Internship in Elementary Education

To: EDEL 491 Seminar on Teaching. (3)
Corequisites: EDEL 490A, 490B, and 490C
Prerequisite: Admission to Internship in Elementary Education

3. COLLEGE OF HOSITALITY, RETAIL, & SPORT MANAGEMENT

A. Department of Integrated Information Technology

New Course (Effective Fall 2016)
ITEC 493 Information Technology Security for Managers, (3) Information technology security from a managerial perspective, including security awareness, risk assessment, and security policy development.
Prerequisite: ITEC 445

4. UNIVERSITY OWNED INTERNATIONAL

New Course (Effective Fall 2016)
ENFS 093 Technology for Academic Purposes. (0) Technology skills for non-native speakers of English for accessing course content, typing on an English keyboard, formatting and submitting university level assignments, and improving accuracy through online proofreading tools.
Co-requisites: ENFS 091 and ENFS 092

Restricted to: Students in the International Accelerator Program