

## MEMORANDUM

TO: Dr. Ana Borger-Greco  
Faculty Senate Chairperson

FROM: Vilas A. Prabhu  
Provost and Vice President  
for Academic Affairs

DATE: May 18, 2007

SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF FACULTY SENATE CURRICULAR RECOMMENDATIONS

As the President's designee, I am informing you of the approvals of the following Faculty Senate Curricular Actions.

### **Faculty Senate actions at May 1, 2007, meeting:**

#### **New Undergraduate Course(s):**

##### **ENGL 445 – The Short Story: Its History, Development, and Genres**

- 3 credits, G1 general education designation; Pre-requisites: ENGL 110/110H
- Elective in the Genre requirement for B.A. and B.S.E. English programs and an elective for the B.A. and B.S.E English, Comparative Literature programs, course is dual numbered at the graduate level
- CIP CODE: 23.0101
- Faculty Load: To be scheduled within existing complement. It will be offered every three semesters in a cycle with other electives in the department.

**Approved, Effective Fall 2007**

#### **New Graduate Course(s):**

##### **ENGL 645 – The Short Story: Its History, Development, and Genres**

- 3 credits
- Elective in the Genre requirement for M.A. and M.E.D. English programs
- CIP CODE: 23.0101
- Faculty Load: To be scheduled within existing complement. It will be offered every three semesters in a cycle with other electives in the department.

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**Changes in Undergraduate Courses/Curricula:**

BA GEOG, Applied Geography option - Current Curriculum	Proposed Changes	Analysis/Implications
Total Required Credits for Graduation: 120		Total Required Credits for Graduation: 120
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Required Courses (15 credits)</li> <li>• GEOG 120, 230, 281, 292, 372</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 15 credits</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Electives (21 credits)</li> <li>• 6 credits in techniques courses (GEOG 28*, 29*, 38* or 39*)</li> <li>• 6 credits from the following: GEOG 278, 304, 305, 329, 333, 336, 434</li> <li>• 3 credits from regional courses (GEOG 24*, 34*, or 44*)</li> <li>• 3 credits from the following: GEOG 300, 488</li> <li>• 3 elective credits in GEOG</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 21 credits</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Required related (21 credits)</li> <li>• 3 credits of Stats MATH 130 or 235</li> <li>• Students are required to complete an approved minor (not within the GEOG department)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Required related (25 credits)</li> <li>• 7 credits of MATH courses: MATH 130 or MATH 235</li> <li>• <b>AND</b></li> <li>• <b>MATH 151 or MATH 160</b></li> <li>• Students are required to complete an approved minor (not within the GEOG department)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 25 credits</li> </ul> <p>Advanced math is required in several upper level GEOG courses. Many majors taking GEOG courses tend to come from other disciplines that have the requisite mathematics skills to understand the material. Those who do not have the requisite math skills tend to struggle. To even the playing field, an additional four credits in MATH will be required.</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• G1 Requirements (12 credits)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 12 credits</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• G2 Requirements (12 credits)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 6 credits (two MATH)</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• G3 Requirements (12 credits)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 12 credits</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ENGL 110, COMM 100, P, AW-ENGL 312, WELL Requirements (15 credits)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 15 credits</li> </ul>

**Approved, Effective Fall 2007**

**Changes in Undergraduate Courses/Curricula:**

Pre-requisite change for MATH 393 – Number Theory

- Current Pre-requisite: MATH 322
- Revised Pre-requisite: MATH 310

**Approved, effective Spring 2008 registration**