

## Faculty Senate Meeting

**DATE:** February 20, 2017  
**TO:** Members of the Faculty Senate  
**FROM:** M.-Ana Börger-Greco, Chairperson  
**SUBJECT:** Faculty Senate Meeting, February 21, 2017 at 4:05-5:45 p.m.  
Osburn Hall, Room 200/201

- I. Minutes of the February 7, 2017 meeting
- II. Proposed Courses and Programs:  
**NEW COURSES AND PROGRAMS**
  1. **ENGL 630: Studies in American Ethnic Literature Since 1945**, 3 credits.  
Proposal for new course to study representative literary works of various ethnic groups in contemporary America.  
**CHANGES TO UNDERGRADUATE POLICY**
  1. Study Abroad policy

### Consent Agenda:

#### New Courses

1. **BIOL 329: Plant-Insect Interactions**; 3 cr. Examination of the chemical and biological interaction between plants and insects.
2. **BIOL 442: Wildlife Ecology & Management**; 3cr. How the understanding of wildlife ecology, history, policy, and statistics help shape the decisions a wildlife manager makes in the real world.
3. **WSSD 375 : Prevention and Care of Athletic Injuries**, 3 cr. Basics of prevention, recognition, care, assessment, treatment and rehabilitation of injuries to physically-active populations. Intended for students in the proposed Sports Medicine option, which will be housed in Biology and the Allied Health Major.
4. **WSSD 410 : International Sport Issues and Industry Tour**, 3 cr. P. Introduces students to global sport-related issues, organizations, and industries through study abroad. Available to all students who have completed WSSD 350, "Sport in America (W)."
5. **WSSD 492 : Seminar in Sport Science**; 1-3 cr. Senior capstone course with variable theme determined by professor. Will initially serve (at 1

cr.) students in the proposed Sports Medicine option, which will be housed in Biology and the Allied Health Major. Variable credit is requested to provide flexibility for future needs.

**Change to Existing Courses:**

**1. ART 141 : Fundamentals of Studio Art**, Place ART 141 in moratorium. Programs that require ART 141 would replace this with ART 128 (Senate approved FEB. 7)

**2. BIOL 418** (previously 516): Aquatic Entomology; change course number to undergraduate level; addition of new prerequisites and removal of old prerequisites no longer relevant; updated course description and a substitution for a past course element.

- III. Report of the Faculty Senate Chairperson
- IV. Report of the Student Senate President
- V. Report of the Graduate Student Association
- VI. Report of the Administrative Officers  
The state of our new on-line programs, Dean Victor DeSantis
- VII. Announcement of any new courses and programs or changes to existing courses and programs
- VIII. Reports of the Faculty Senate Standing Committees  
Honors College Curriculum Committee, Dr. Aaron Haines
- IX. Reports of the Faculty Senate Special Committees  
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- X. Faculty Emeriti
- XI. Election of Senate Officers for 2017-2018 year  
Chair of Faculty Senate: Dr. Kathleen Walsh  
V-P of Faculty Senate: Dr. Shaun Cook  
Secretary of the Senate: Dr. Aimee Miller
- XII. New Business
- XIII. Adjournment [and table/chair moving, please]