

ANNUAL REPORT 2020-2021
Council on Curricular Programs and Instruction

The Council on Curricular Programs and Instruction (CCPI) met approximately every other Thursday via Zoom during the fall and spring semesters (seven meetings per semester). Members of the council included Steve Bennett, Chair (Earth, Atmospheric & GIS); Bob Intrieri, Vice-Chair (Psychology); Hadley Kaminga-Peck, Secretary (Theatre & Dance); Barry Birnbaum (Education); Courtney Blankenship (Music); Da'Veonna Campbell (SGA Representative); Niyazi Ekici (Law Enforcement and Justice Administration); Paige Goodwin (Psychology); Hoyet Hemphill (Engineering Technology); Charles Pryor (Accounting and Finance); Sebastian Syzjka (Curriculum and Instruction).

Ex-officio members of the council were Mark Mossman, Interim Associate Provost; and Donna Williams from the Registrar's Office. Additional representation from the Provost's Office was provided by Linda Prosis. Christie Hughes (Faculty Senate Office) also attended the meetings.

The bulk of the work of CCPI during 2020-2021 consisted of the first itemized duty assigned to it, which is the recommendation to the Faculty Senate for approval or disapproval of all new academic programs and courses along with changes to existing courses which affect catalog copy. CCPI considered the requests on the attached chart. Most of the curricular requests this academic year involved changes to existing courses and options. The large number of changes in existing options was a result of a required change to many teacher education programs.

Two new minors were approved by CCPI:

1. Conceptual Physics (Dept. of Physics)
2. Health Communication (Dept. of Communication)

Five new options were approved by CCPI:

1. B.A. in English, Creative Writing
2. B.A. in English, Professional Writing
3. B.S. Ed. in Elementary Education, ESL Education
4. B.S. Ed. in Elementary Education, Multilingual Education
5. B.S. in Fire Protection Services, Fire Medic

Respectfully submitted by Steve Bennett, Chair

**COMPARISON OF CURRICULUM REQUESTS APPROVED BY
COUNCIL ON CURRICULAR PROGRAMS AND INSTRUCTION
ANNUAL REPORT DATA 2006-2021**

Type of Request	20-21	19-20	18-19	17-18	16-17	15-16	14-15	13-14	12-13	11-12	10-11	09-10	08-09	07-08	06-07
New courses	17	38	37	33	28	45	51	42	65	42	46	59	39	70	93
Experimental courses	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	5	11	4	7	5	6	6	9
Cross-listings	13	6	3	3	6	3	6	5	7	3	5	1	13	1	5
Multiple title requests	0	0	0	2	1	4	2	2	5	4	0	0	3	3	7
Changes to existing courses	58	44	53‡	35£	58*	45	78	41	72#	58	61	48	69**	74	89€
New majors	0	1	2	2	0	1	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	3
New minors	2	10	5	4	1	4	8	4	3	4	3	5	3	3	4
New options	5	3	1	1	0	4	7	2	0	3	5	1	2	0	3
New emphases	0	2	0	0	0	2	7	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
New certificates of undergraduate studies	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
New concentrations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0
Changes in major	12	12	17	14	20*	21	23	12	20	10	7	10	12	15	21
Changes in minor	8	5	9	2	6	12	12	5	8	7	5	3	6	4	19
Changes in options	16	2	6	4	4	7	11	4	23	2	2	18	6	6	15
Changes in emphases	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Changes in concentrations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0

£ Includes one blanket change to add C or better to the prerequisites of 20 existing ENGR courses

* Includes one change of major and one change of existing course, both from the School of Law Enforcement and Justice Administration, that were not approved by the Provost after approval by CCPI (for existing course) and CCPI/Faculty Senate (for change of major)

Includes a blanket request for changes in prerequisites for all upper division BIOL, BOT, and MICR courses that is only counted as 1

** Includes a blanket request of 27 courses from History that is only counted as 1

€ Includes two blanket requests of 24 [History] and 32 [Music] that are only counted as 1 each

‡ Includes a blanket request for changes to 28 Music courses that is only counted as 1