SPECIAL REPORT

OF THE

ACADEMIC MATTERS COUNCIL

concerning

REVISION OF THE “NUTRITION IN A GLOBAL SOCIETY” TRACK IN THE NUTRITION MAJOR (#4046)

Presented at the 777th Regular Meeting of the Faculty Senate
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The Academic Matters Council recommends approval of this proposal.

Please describe your proposal

We would like to edit the degree requirements for one of the Nutrition Degree tracks "Nutrition in a Global Society".

Please describe the existing program requirements, listing all required courses and available electives, as well as any additional requirements, and continuation or admissions policies.

NUTRITN 201
NUTRITN 130
NUTRITN 230
NUTRITN 210
NUTRITN 372C
Please describe the requirements that you are proposing, listing course requirements, elective options, as well as any additional requirements, and continuation or admissions policies.

The proposed requirements would replace the CHEM 111, 112 261/250 requirement with CHEM 111, CHEM 250. The Nutritional in a Global Society Nutrition degree requirements would then be per the list below:

- NUTRITN 201
- NUTRITN 130
- NUTRITN 230
- NUTRITN 210
- NUTRITN 372C
- NUTRITN 352
- NUTRITN 493/4
- NUTRITN 577
- NUTRITN 572
- NUTRITN 578
- Nutrition Elective
- Stats (from list on Spire)
- CHEM 111
- CHEM 250
- BIOCHEM 420
- MICROBIO 310 + MICROBIO 265 or FOOD-SCI 466
- PSYCH 100- 4 cr
- BIOLOGY 151 – 4 cr
- KIN 272 ANATOMY & PHYSIOLOGY II 4 cr

Please provide the rationale for these revisions.

We find that students in this track are not interested in pursuing employment or a graduate degree which would require CHEM 112 or CHEM 261. We feel that they will be adequately prepared in their understanding of organic chemistry with CHEM 111 and CHEM 250. CHEM
250 can be used as the organic chemistry prerequisite for BIOCHEM 420, which is required for all of our tracks. This proposal was initiated by the Nutrition Dept. Curriculum Committee and was approved by the faculty at a faculty meeting.

Academic Requirements Review

Resources

If this proposal requires no additional resources, say so and briefly explain why. If this proposal requires additional resources, explain how they will be paid for. For proposals involving instruction, indicate how many new enrollments are expected and whether the courses have room to accommodate them.

No Additional resources are needed.

Attachments
## Nutrition Major Proposed Tracks

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PROGRAM TITLE: BS Human Nutrition

PLEASE CHECK: GRADUATE UNDERGRADUATE X

DEPARTMENT Nutrition HEAD/CHAIR: Dr. Richard Wood

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE SPHHS DEAN: Dr. Marjorie Aelion

Submission Date: 6/16/2017 Proposed Starting Date: Sept. 2017

I. PROPOSAL DEVELOPMENT

A. Describe the Proposal.

Section 1.01 We would like to edit the degree requirements for one of the Nutrition Degree tracks "Nutrition in a Global Society".

B. Provide a brief overview of the process for developing the Proposal.

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II. PURPOSE AND GOALS

Describe the Proposal’s purpose and the particular knowledge and skills to be acquired.

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III. RESOURCES

Article III. If this proposal requires no additional resources, say so and briefly explain why. If this proposal requires additional resources, explain how they will be paid for. For proposals involving instruction, indicate how many new enrollments are expected and whether the courses have room to accommodate them.

Section 3.01 This proposal requires no additional resources.

MOTION: That the Faculty Senate approve the Revision of the “Nutrition in a Global Society” Track in the Nutrition Major, as presented in Sen. Doc. No. 18-058.