AGENDA PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION COUNCIL 3:30 - Wednesday, May 11, 2011 GRH 3073

I. Consideration of the Minutes from the April 13, 2011 meeting (Minutes can be found on the CEBSMain Web Page – click on Faculty & Staff and then Meetings Minutes and Agendas).

II. New Business

A. Office of Teacher Services-CEBS

- •Presentation of Candidates Completing Requirements for Admission to the Professional Education Unit April 14, 2011 to May 11, 2011
- Student Teacher Candidates for Fall 2011

B. College of Health and Human Services

Department of Communication Disorders

1. Revise a Program – 114 Master of Science in Communication Disorders

C. Ogden College of Science and Engineering

Department of Physics and Astronomy

- 1. Revise Course Prerequisites/Corequisites ASTR 405, Astronomy for Teachers
- 2. Revise Course Prerequisites/Corequisites PHYS 410, Physics for Teachers
- 2. Revise a Program 754, Major in Physics

Department of Chemistry

1. Revise Course Catalog Listing – CHEM 330, Quantitative Analysis

D. College of Education and Behavioral Sciences

Department of Counseling and Student Affairs

- 1. Make Multiple Revisions to a Course CNS 590, Practicum
- 2. Make Multiple Revisions to a Course CNS 595, Internship
- 3. Revise a Program 046, School Counseling

III. Other Business

CANDIDATES COMPLETING REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION UNIT

April 14, 2011 – May 11, 2011

ELEMENTARY P-5

Barfield-Westerbeck, Joy

Basden, Francis

Canler, Katherine

Crabtree, Christin

Chaney, Sarah

Dahlgren, Samantha

Elder, Shawna

Gardner, Ashley

Goodin, Mallory

Harp, Kari

Hinton, Haley

Hoskins, Amanda

Keown, Whitney

Lanter, Jennifer

Manley, Madeline

Matthews, Sherri

Mercer, Brittany

Montemayor, Meghan

Napoleon, Brittany

Pence, Kendra

Porter, Sarah

Rhodes, Whitney

Smith, Molly

Turner, Crystal.

Wesley, Emily

Williams, Jessica

MIDDLE GRADES

Carter, Kirby Eng/SS

Grant, Kristi Social Studies

Oliphant, Beth Eng/SS Ward. Sabrina Eng/SS

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Dillingham, Dan

Bus & Marketing

Meador, Brandy FCS

P-12

Crocker, Matthew Music
Groneman, Allison Spanish
Miller, Amanda EXED
Perry, Will Spanish
Woosley, Malinda Spanish

SECONDARY

Ashley, Erica English

Coyle, Travis Social Studies
Doyle, Andrew Social Studies

Harris, Joseph Math McMahan, Samantha English

Roe, Marcus Social Studies

Shelton, Kadi English

Simmons, Nicholas Social Studies Steen, Megan Social Studies Tabor, Elliot Social Studies

Tracy, Abigail English

MASTERS

Bednara, Amanda LBD Brown, Alicia LBD Minnicks, Janice LBD

If there are any questions or concerns about the status of any candidate, the person with the question or concern should contact Dr. Fred Carter, Teacher Services (745-4611 or fred.carter@wku.edu) prior to the PEC meeting.

STUDENT TEACHER CANDIDATES FOR FALL 2011 QUALIFIED ***STUDENT TEACHING APPLICATION ACCEPTED***5/11/11***

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| | SHERRY | BALL | | ELEMENTARY |
| | ROBIN | BEALMEAR | | ELEMENTARY |
| | LAUREN | BELL | | ELEMENTARY |
| | SAMANTHA | BOLTON | | ELEMENTARY |
| | SAVANNAH | BOWLES | | ELEMENTARY |
| | JENNIFER | BRATCHER | | ELEMENTARY |
| | LAUREN | BRAUNECKER | | ELEMENTARY |
| | BRITTANY | BROADUS | | ELEMENTARY |
| | JESSICA | BROCKMAN | | ELEMENTARY |
| | KATHERINE | BROMER | | ELEMENTARY |
| | LINDSAY | BUCHANAN | | ELEMENTARY |
| | STEPHANIE | BULLARD | | ELEMENTARY |
| | BETH MARIE | BURKS | | ELEMENTARY |
| | HEATHER | BYERS | | ELEMENTARY |
| | HEATHER | CARTER | | ELEMENTARY |
| | AMBER | CHAMBERS | | ELEMENTARY |
| | ASHLEE | CLARK | | ELEMENTARY |
| | CHRISTINA | CONYER | | ELEMENTARY |
| | DAVID | СООК | | ELEMENTARY |
| | MORGAN | CRABTREE | | ELEMENTARY |
| | JORDAN | CRADDOCK | | ELEMENTARY |
| | JESSICA | CULBERTSON | | ELEMENTARY |
| | EMILY | DAUGHDRILL | | ELEMENTARY |
| | TIMOTHY | DAVIS | | ELEMENTARY |
| | LAURA | DILLINGHAM | | ELEMENTARY |
| | ASHLEY | DRAKE | | ELEMENTARY |
| | KRISTA | DUCKETT | | ELEMENTARY |
| | JAMIE | DUKES | | ELEMENTARY |
| | CARRIE | DURHAM | | ELEMENTARY |
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| | KARA | GILBERT | | ELEMENTARY |
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| BENJAMIN | MARTIN | ELEMENTARY |
| SHANE | MATTHEWS | ELEMENTARY |
| TABATHA | MATTINGLY | ELEMENTARY |
| JAMIE | McLAUGHLIN | ELEMENTARY |
| COURTNEY | MILLER | ELEMENTARY |
| SARAH | MOREHEAD | ELEMENTARY |
| STACY | MUTH | ELEMENTARY |
| JACLYN | O'HARA | ELEMENTARY |
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| HOPE | PEDIGO | ELEMENTARY |
| AMBER | PEGRAM | ELEMENTARY |
| JOSEPH | REED | ELEMENTARY |
| ERIC | RIEMER | ELEMENTARY |
| DENNIS | RIGGS, JR | ELEMENTARY |
| HEATHER | SANDERS | ELEMENTARY |
| JENNA | SHIPLEY | ELEMENTARY |
| HEATHER | SHULTZ | ELEMENTARY |
| CASADA | SPARGO | ELEMENTARY |
| TANNER | STEPP | ELEMENTARY |
| JORDAN | STEWART | ELEMENTARY |
| CIJI | THURMAN | ELEMENTARY |
| ADRIENNE | TURNER | ELEMENTARY |
| MARQUITA | VANN | ELEMENTARY |
| JOSHUA | VIBBERT | ELEMENTARY |
| ANDREA | WEBB | ELEMENTARY |

| WHITNEY | WILHELM | ELEMENTARY |
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| SARA | WILLIAMS | ELEMENTARY |
| ASHLEY | WISE | ELEMENTARY |
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| MEGAN | WRIGHT | ELEMENTARY |
| CASEY | ZAHN | ELEMENTARY |
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| CHARLES | ENGLAND | MGE/LA/S.STUDIES |
| DAVID | McCAMMON | MGE/LA/S.STUDIES |
| ANDREA | MILLAY | MGE/LA/S.STUDIES |
| SHAWNA | MULLEN | MGE/LA/S.STUDIES |
| TEIA | BUNCH | MGE/MATH |
| AMBER | BYRNS | MGE/MATH |
| KAYLA | HACK | MGE/MATH |
| AMANDA | THOMAS | MGE/MATH |
| LAURA BETH | AUSTIN | MGE/MATH/LA |
| KATIE | KIRBY | MGE/MATH/S.STUDIES |
| BRITTANY | SIMPSON | MGE/MATH/S.STUDIES |
| DAVID | LOGSDON | MGE/MATH/SCIENCE |
| G. BRANDON | DeWITT | MGE/S.STUDIES/LA |
| CODY | STIRSMAN | MGE/S.STUDIES/LA |
| LAURA | WINTERS | MGE/S.STUDIES/LA |
| ECIL | MILLER | MGE/S.STUDIES/SCIEN |
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| THOMAS | EDWARDS | MGE/SCIENCE/LA |
| JASON | LAMONT | MGE/SCIENCE/MATH |
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| JESSICA | WHITEHOUSE | P-12/ART |
| KACY | ALBANY | P-12/MUSIC |
| TALOR | BARNETT | P-12/MUSIC |
| MATTHEW | CROCKER | P-12/MUSIC |
| AMANDA | KNOWLES | P-12/MUSIC |
| DUSTIN | SEABOLT | P-12/MUSIC |
| CHRISTINE | STILLWELL | P-12/MUSIC |
| BRITTANY | YATES | P-12/MUSIC |
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| CLAY | GOODMAN | P-12/PE |
| P. ANDREW | PETERS | P-12/PE |
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| KATE | MISCHEL | P-12/SPANISH |
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| JOSHUA | BARTLEY | SEC/BIOLOGY |
| KATHRYN | CARPENTER | SEC/BIOLOGY |
| W. BRIAN | HASH | SEC/BIOLOGY |
| NICHOLAS | SERROQUE | SEC/BIOLOGY |
| JOYE | SPINKS | SEC/BIOLOGY |
| ELIZABETH | MARSH | SEC/CHEMISTRY |
| KASEY | BROWN | SEC/ENGLISH |
| MORGAN | COSSEL | SEC/ENGLISH |
| ADAM | CRABTREE | SEC/MATH |
| EMILEE | HAGAN | SEC/MATH |
| SARA | JOHNSON | SEC/MATH |
| TAMMI | JONES | SEC/MATH |
| WHITNEY | MILLER | SEC/MATH |
| MATTHEW | WALLACE | SEC/MATH |
| JENNIFER | ANDERSON | SEC/SOCIAL STUDIES |
| NICHOLAS | CAREY | SEC/SOCIAL STUDIES |
| KEITH | CARROLL | SEC/SOCIAL STUDIES |
| AMBER | ELLIOTT | SEC/SOCIAL STUDIES |
| ALEXANDRA | KING | SEC/SOCIAL STUDIES |
| JENNIFER | ROBINSON | SEC/SOCIAL STUDIES |
| COREY | WATERS | SEC/SOCIAL STUDIES |
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STUDENT TEACHER CANDIDATES FOR FALL 2011 **NOT QUALIFIED**

STUDENT TEACHING APPLICATION PENDING5/11/11*** (THESE STUDENTS HAVE S.T. REQUIREMENTS IN PROCESS)

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| | ANNIE | DenBESTEN | Х | ELEMENTARY |
| | SARAH | DeWITT | СР | ELEMENTARY |
| | GRACE | DuBOSE | СР | ELEMENTARY |
| | KELLI | JENKINS | Х | ELEMENTARY |
| | JESSICA | MERCER | СР | ELEMENTARY |
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| | CYBILE | CORBIN | Х | MGE/LA/S.STUDIES |
| | CHLOE | HARPER | Х | MGE/MATH |
| | KELLI | KITCHENS | Х | MGE/MATH |
| | KRISTIN | ESTES | Χ | MGE/MATH/LA |
| | KOURTNEY | SOLES | Χ | MGE/MATH/LA |
| | KAYLA | CECIL | Χ | MGE/MATH/S.STUDIES |
| | TAMMY | HUGHES | Χ | MGE/MATH/S.STUDIES |
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| | CASEY | PHELPS | Χ | SEC/BIOLOGY |
| | DAVID | ROGERS | Χ | SEC/MATH |
| | LINDSEY | PRIDDY | Χ | SEC/SOCIAL STUDIES |
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CP = Critical Performance Deficiency Pending X = GPA or Repeating Coursework Requirements

Proposal Date: April 27, 2011

College of Health and Human Services Department of Communication Disorders Proposal to Revise A Program (Action Item)

Contact Person: Dr. Richard Dressler, richard.dressler@wku.edu, 745-6280

1. Identification of program:

- 1.1 Current program reference number: 114
- 1.2 Current program title: Master of Science in Communication Disorders
- 1.3 Credit hours: 49
- **2. Identification of the proposed program changes:** Revise the program's course catalog description to include a minimum standard for admission criteria and provide a statement regarding enrollment based on geographic limitations.

3. Detailed program description:

This program is designed to prepare professional speech pathologists to meet the needs of the communicatively handicapped in hospitals, clinics, nursing facilities, and schools. It is also designed to meet the academic and clinical requirements of the American Speech Language and Hearing Association, leading to national certification and state licensure.

Applications to the Communication Disorders graduate program will be ranked based on scores in the following areas:

- Verbal score of the GRE
- Writing score of the GRE
- Average GPA for the last 60 credit hours of college coursework
- Written essay in which the student writes a 300 word or less on why they wish to be admitted to the graduate program in Communication Disorders. The essay must be submitted using a 12point Times New Roman font and double-spaced. The applicants name and the date on which the essay was

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Applicants to the master's degree program in Communication Disorders must meet the following minimum requirements:

- GRE Verbal score of 350 (or equivalent)
- GRE Writing score of 3.5
- Average GPA for the last 60 credit hours of college coursework of 3.5 (There must be a minimum of 60 credit hours with a letter grade. Only courses with a letter grade will be used. Pass/Fail grades are not included.)

Applicants must also submit along with an application to graduate studies:

 Written essay - The essay must be no more than 1 page typed, using a 12-point Times New Roman font, and double spaced. The applicant's name and the written should be noted at the top of the first page.

Forty-nine semester hours are required for both the thesis and non-thesis option. The research tool requirement (3 hours) may be met by successful completion of CD 500 Research Methodology in Communication Disorders (or equivalent). Additionally, the student must complete 400 clock hours of clinical experience by graduation.

- date on which the essay was written should be noted at the top. See department website for designated topic when applying.
- www.wku.edu/communicationdisorders
- 3 references listed with the reference's name, relationship to the applicant, address, phone number, and email address. Letters of recommendation should NOT be sent.
- Official GRE score report. Exam must be completed within the past 5 years.
- Official transcripts from all colleges attended.
- Departmental Application must be completed and submitted to the Department of Communication Disorders

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- Writing score of the GRE
- Average GPA for the last 60 credit hours of college coursework
- Written essay

Accreditation standards require that the clinical education component of the curriculum provide students with access to a client/patient base that is sufficient to achieve stated mission and goals and includes a variety of clinical settings, client/patient populations, and age groups. Therefore, this department reserves the right to limit enrollment in geographical areas where there are known issues in obtaining sufficient and appropriate clinical sites for students. Check www.wku.edu/communicationdisorders for further information before applying to the program.

Forty-nine semester hours are required for both the thesis and non-thesis option. The research tool requirement (3 hours) may be met by successful completion of CD 500 Research Methodology in Communication Disorders (or equivalent). Additionally, the student must complete **at least** 400 clock hours of clinical experience by

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| 4. | proposed to reduce the number of appl program. The department receives approved. While we can provide services with Kentucky's thus preventing us from communities, the medical facilities pre- like WKU. Without the clinical setting | change: The inclusion of a minimum score is being ications received each year for the master's degree plications from students living all over the country and in most states, there are some whose statutes contradict om establishing clinical settings. Still in other fer to work with local universities, not out of state ones is, the students can't graduate. To prevent that, we want tes where know there will be few if any clinical sites for |
| 5. | Proposed term for implementation a | nd special provisions: Fall 2012 |
| 6. | Dates of prior committee approvals: | |
| | Communication Disorders Department | : <u>April 27, 2011</u> |
| | CHHS Graduate Curriculum Committe | ee: <u>May 5, 2011</u> |
| | Professional Education Council | |
| | Graduate Council | |
| | University Senate | |

Proposal Date: 16 March 2011

Ogden College of Science and Engineering Department of Physics and Astronomy Proposal to Revise Course Prerequisites/Corequisites (Consent Item)

Contact Person: Michael Carini, mike.carini@wku.edu, 745-6198

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1.1 Course prefix (subject area) and number: ASTR 405

1.2 Course title: Astronomy for Teachers

1.3 Credit hours: 3

2. Current prerequisites/corequisites/special requirements:

ASTR 104 or ASTR 106 or ASTR 108 or ASTR 214

3. Proposed prerequisites/corequisites/special requirements:

ASTR 104 or ASTR 106 or ASTR 214

4. Rationale for the revision of prerequisites/corequisites/special requirements:

Each of the three courses remaining as options for the pre-requisite for ASTR 405 includes an integrated laboratory component that reinforces hands-on experiences important for elementary, middle grades, or secondary school teaching. ASTR 108 does not include any laboratory component.

5. Effect on completion of major/minor sequence:

None; ASTR 405 is a course only for middle school science majors and potentially for students working toward a masters degree such as the MAE or MAT. The remaining options for the prerequisite include other courses required for those majors.

| 6. | Proposed term for implementation: | Spring 2012 |
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| 7. | Dates of prior committee approvals: | |
| | Physics and Astronomy Department: | 16 March 2011 |
| | Ogden College Curriculum Committee: | <u>07 April 2011</u> |
| | Professional Education Council: | |
| | Undergraduate Curriculum Committee: | |
| | University Senate: | |

Proposal Date: 16 March 2011

Ogden College of Science and Engineering Department of Physics and Astronomy Proposal to Revise Course Prerequisites/Corequisites (Consent Item)

Contact Person: Michael Carini, mike.carini@wku.edu, 745-6198

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1.1 Course prefix (subject area) and number: PHYS 410

1.2 Course title: Physics for Teachers

1.3 Credit hours: 3

2. Current prerequisites/corequisites/special requirements:

PHYS 105 or PHYS 201 or PHYS 231 or PHYS 255

3. Proposed prerequisites/corequisites/special requirements:

PHYS 201 or PHYS 231 or PHYS 255

4. Rationale for the revision of prerequisites/corequisites/special requirements:

Students enrolling in PHYS 410 should have enough of a foundation in physics to be able to concentrate on how to apply the content as teachers. The three courses remaining as options for the prerequisite are all similar; each is a course that focuses on motion, forces, and energy of mechanical systems and each is the first course of a two-course sequence. PHYS 105 does not deal with the same content and does not provide the same preparation as the other three courses.

5. Effect on completion of major/minor sequence:

None; PHYS 410 is a course for physics majors seeking secondary teacher certification and for middle school science majors. The remaining options for the pre-requisite include other courses required for those majors.

| 6. | Proposed term for implementation: | Spring 2012 |
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| 7. | Dates of prior committee approvals: | |
| | Physics and Astronomy Department: | 16 March 2011 |
| | Ogden College Curriculum Committee: | _05 May 2011_ |
| | Professional Education Council: | |
| | Undergraduate Curriculum Committee: | |
| | University Senate: | |

Proposal Date: March 9, 2011

Ogden College of Science and Engineering Department of Physics and Astronomy Proposal to Revise a Program (Action Item)

Contact Person: Keith Andrew@wku.edu, 745-4357

1. Identification of program:

1.1 Current program reference number: 7541.2 Current program title: Major in Physics

1.3 Credit hours: 35

2. Identification of the proposed program changes:

- Require PHYS 316 (Computational Physics) or PHYS 318 (Data Acquisition Using LabView) in the physics core.
- Reduce the number of physics elective hours from nine to six.
- Remove the computer science course from the list of required support courses.
- Add MATH 370 for applied physics students as an option for MATH 307 in the list of required support courses

3. Detailed program description:

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| this core, a minimum of 9 semester hours of selected upper division departmental courses. The selection is determined by the student's career aspirations, subject to approval by the student's departmental advisor. The upper division electives must be chosen from the courses listed for departmental majors and minors, excluding PHYS 389, 399, and 489. No more than 3 hours of PHYS 475 may be counted toward the 35 hour minimum requirement for the major. | this core, a minimum of 6 semester hours of selected upper division departmental courses. The selection is determined by the student's career aspirations, subject to approval by the student's departmental advisor. The upper division electives must be chosen from the courses listed for departmental majors and minors, excluding PHYS 389, 399, and 489. No more than 3 hours of PHYS 475 may be counted toward the 35 hour minimum requirement for the major. |
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| Support Courses for Major: | Support Courses for Major: |
| Support requirements include MATH 136, 137, 307, 237, and | Support requirements include: MATH 136, 137, 237, 307 (or |
| 331, Computer Science 230 or higher, and CHEM 120/121. | 370 for applied physics track), and 331; and CHEM 120/121. (Note: PHIL 215 or EE 180 is prerequisite for MATH 307). |
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4. Rationale for the proposed program change:

Adding PHYS 316 or PHYS 318 to the major provides students with experience in the use of physics-specific computer applications in a physics setting from either the applied problem-solving approach or from the data acquisition and interfacing approach. With the addition of the required three-hour physics course, the number of physics elective hours is reduced from nine to six.

Because a computer applications physics course (PHYS 316 or 318) is being added to the core requirements, the computer science course is being deleted from the list of required support courses. Of course, students may still choose a CS course as an elective elsewhere in their programs.

For students in the applied physics track, MATH 370 (Applied Techniques in Mathematics) provides an option for MATH 307 (Introduction to Linear Algebra)

5. Proposed term for implementation and special provisions (if applicable):

Fall 2012

6. Dates of prior committee approvals:

| Department of Physics and Astronomy: | _March 16, 2011 |
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| OCSE Curriculum Committee | _April 7, 2011 |
| Professional Education Council | |
| University Curriculum Committee | |
| University Senate | |

Attachment: Program Inventory Form

Proposal Date: April 19, 2011

Ogden College of Science and Engineering Department of Chemistry Proposal to Revise Course Catalog Listing (Consent Item)

Contact Person: Cathleen Webb, cathleen.webb@wku.edu, 5-3786

| 1. | Iden | tifica | tion | of | course: |
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- 1.1 Course prefix (subject area) and number: CHEM 330
- 1.2 Course title: Quantitative Analysis
- 1.3 Credit hours: 5
- **2. Current course catalog listing:** Prerequisites: CHEM 222-223 with a grade of "C" or better. A study of the common techniques and theory of gravimetric, volumetric, electrochemical, and optical methods of analysis. Lecture, 3 hours; laboratory, 2 hours. Laboratory meets four and one-half hours per week. (Course fee)
- 3. Proposed course catalog listing: Prerequisites: CHEM 222-223 with a grade of "C" or better. A study of the common techniques and theory of gravimetric, volumetric, electrochemical, and optical methods of analysis. Lecture, 3 hours; laboratory, 2 hours. Laboratory meets four and one-half hours per week. Priority for registration for this course will be given to rising sophomores and rising juniors. (Course fee)
- 4. Rationale for revision of the course catalog listing: This course is required for chemistry majors and is a pre-requisite for the physical chemistry courses that are also required courses. As physical chemistry is required for other upper division chemistry courses, Chemistry 330 is a vital gateway course. Thus, it is important for chemistry majors to take the course in the sophomore or junior year. Consequently, rising sophomore and juniors are given registration priority. This policy has been in effect for the past six years and is currently listed in the catalog description for the Department of Chemistry in three locations. However, the course description is being revised to ensure that students who need the course will absolutely know to take it as sophomores or juniors. The dean has requested that this change be added to the catalog even though this information is not typically included in the course catalog.
- **5. Proposed term for implementation:** Spring 2012
- 6. Dates of prior committee approvals:

| Chemistry Department: | April 22, 2011 |
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| OCSE Curriculum Committee | May 5, 2011 |
| Professional Education Council | |
| Undergraduate Curriculum Committee | |
| University Senate | |

Proposal Date: 04/18/11

College of Education and Behavioral Sciences Department of Counseling and Student Affairs Proposal to Make Multiple Revisions to a Course (Action Item)

Contact Person: Bill Kline, bill.kline@wku.edu, 745-4953

- 1. Identification of course:
 - 1.1 Current course prefix (subject area) and number: CNS 590
 - 1.2 Course title: Practicum
 - 1.3 Credit hours: 3
- 2. Revise course title: N/A:
- 3. Revise course number: N/A
- 4. Revise course prerequisites/corequisites/special requirements:
 - 4.1 Current prerequisites: 15 hours in counseling courses including the following courses: CNS 550, 554 and 558.
 - 4.2 Proposed prerequisites:

 Completion of the appropriate practice preparation sequence and departmental approval.
 - 4.3 Rationale for revision of course prerequisites:

 The proposed prerequisites changes are intended to ensure essential competence for practicum placement.
 - 4.4 Effect on completion of major/minor sequence:
 No impact, changes are consistent with program course sequencing.
- 5. Revise course catalog listing:
 - 5.1 Current course catalog listing:
 Supervised experiences in a setting related to area in which individual plans to seek certification/employment.
 - 5.2 Proposed course catalog listing: Supervised experiences in a school, community college, or university setting. (Course Fee)
 - 5.3 Rationale for revision of course catalog listing:
 The proposed course description changes are consistent with the School Counseling and Student Affairs program area practicum placement requirements and are necessary to meet CACREP accreditation standards. Course fee has been previously approved and assessed.
- 6. Revise course credit hours: N/A
- 7. Proposed term for implementation: Spring 2012

| 8. | Dates of prior committee approvals: | | | |
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Proposal Date: 04/18/2011

College of Education and Behavioral Sciences Department of Counseling and Student Affairs Proposal to Make Multiple Revisions to a Course (Action Item)

Contact Person: Bill Kline, bill.kline@wku.edu, 745-4953

1. Identification of course:

- 1.1 Current course prefix (subject area) and number: CNS 595
- 1.2 Course title: Internship
- 1.3 Credit hours: 3 6
- 2. Revise course title: N/A
- 3. Revise course number: N/A

4. Revise course prerequisites:

4.1 Current prerequisites:

CNS 554 and CNS 558 and CNS 559.

4.2 Proposed prerequisites:

Completion of the appropriate practice preparation sequence and departmental approval.

4.3 Rationale for revision of course prerequisites:

The proposed prerequisites are necessary to ensure necessary clinical competencies.

4.4 Effect on completion of major/minor sequence:

No impact, changes are consistent with program course sequencing.

5. Revise course catalog listing:

5.1 Current course catalog listing:

Supervised experience in school, community, and agency settings.

5.2 Proposed course catalog listing:

Supervised experience in a school, community college, or university setting. (Course fee)

5.3 Rationale for revision of course catalog listing:

The proposed course description is consistent with School Counseling and Student Affairs internship requirements and necessary to meet CACREP accreditation requirements. Fee has been previously approved and assessed.

- 6. Revise course credit hours: N/A
- 7. **Proposed term for implementation:** Spring 2012

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Proposal Date: 04/18/2011

College of Education and Behavioral Sciences Department of Counseling and Student Affairs Proposal to Revise a Program (Action Item)

Contact Person: Bill Kline, bill.kline@wku.edu, 270 745-4953

1. Identification of program:

1.1 Current program reference number: 0461.2 Current program title: School Counseling

1.3 Credit hours: 48

2. Identification of the proposed program changes:

- Revise Application Process for the Department of Counseling and Student Affairs Master's Degree Program in School Counseling.
- Correct departmental address.

3. Detailed program description:

Master of Arts in Education: School Counseling, Ref. # 046

The most current program information (e.g., admission requirements, required curriculum, etc.) may be found on the departmental website at:

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The Department of Counseling and Student Affairs School Counseling Program in School Counseling accepts applications **from teachers certified in Kentucky** AND from applicants who are not certified as teachers **in Kentucky**. **Qualifications for initial certification as** Master of Arts in Education: School Counseling, Ref. # 046

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Step 1. Submit required materials to Graduate Studies. Step 2. Apply for admission to the School Counseling Program. Step 3. If invited by the faculty, participate in an interview process on campus.

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Be sure to complete the GRE several months prior to the April 15 application deadline to allow sufficient time for the official test score reports to be received by Graduate Studies.

NOTE: All applicants for the School Counseling Program are required to submit GRE scores. Minimum scores for applicants who are not certified as teachers require at least a Verbal + Quantitative total of 800 and an Analytical Writing score of at least 3.5, or a minimum GAP score (undergraduate GPA multiplied by GRE V+Q) of 2200 and an Analytical Writing score of at least 3.5. Admissions are competitive and these scores represent minimum acceptable scores.

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- 1. A personal statement of at least 6 and not more than 10 pages in length. This statement should use APA format and style. The statement must include the following content.
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- 4. An unofficial copy of your transcripts and GRE scores.
- 5. A current vita
- 6. Mail your complete application portfolio to:

Department of Counseling and Student Affairs

School Counseling Program
Western Kentucky University **Tate Page Hall 409**1906 College Heights Blvd. #51031
Bowling Green, KY 42101

The application requires attention to detail, thought and effort. You should allow approximately 6 weeks to complete the various parts of this application, including time to get recommendations to and from the individuals making the recommendations.

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The specific requirements for the MAE
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CNS 552 Testing and Assessment

CNS 554 Group Counseling

CNS 555 Social and Cultural Diversity

CNS 556 Developmental Career Counseling

CNS 557 Human Development

CNS 558 Counseling Theories

CNS 559 Techniques of Counseling

CNS 660 Administration of Counseling Services

CNS 568 Counseling Children and

Adolescents

CNS 658 Seminar Guidance/Counseling

CNS 590 Practicum

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4. Rationale for the proposed program change:

- Revise admissions requirements to meet Office of Graduate Studies admissions requirements regarding applicants certified as teachers and requirements for admission to professional education for applicants who are not certified.
- 5. Proposed term for implementation and special provisions (if applicable):

Spring 2012.

6. Dates of prior committee approvals:

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