

# GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDIES COMMITTEE

## FULL COMMITTEE

### DEFERRAL ADDENDUM

October, 2005

#### PANEL A: HEALTH, NATURAL SCIENCES, AND COMMUNICATION

##### I. KECK SCHOOL OF MEDICINE: PREVENTIVE MEDICINE

Req. by C. Anderson Johnson

Revise a course: Eff. Fall 2006

NEW: PM 603 STRUCTURAL EQUATION MODELING (4, 2 years, Fa)

Factor analytic and structural equation modeling approaches to health behavior research – conceptual, practical and mathematical. Prerequisite: PM 511b.

OLD: PM 603 FACTOR ANALYSIS (4, 2 years, Fa)

Exploratory and confirmatory factor analytic approaches to health behavior research – conceptual, practical and mathematical. Recommended preparation: at least 2 graduate level statistics courses.

- **5/9/05 GPSC MEETING: DEFERRED to panel chair.** The syllabus lacks sufficient information about the final paper requirements and criteria, so a revised syllabus is required.
- **APPROVED.** The department sent a revised syllabus which satisfied the committee's concerns.

#### PANEL B: SOCIAL SCIENCES, HUMANITIES, INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS, AND LAW

##### II. LAS: ECONOMICS

Req. by Robert Dekle

A. Add 4 new courses: Eff. Fall 2005

1. ECON 610 QUANTITATIVE ANALYSIS IN MACROECONOMICS (4, Sp)

Dynamic economics, applied general equilibrium models, computational and calibration tools, discrete-state dynamic programming, log-linearization of Euler equations. Prerequisite: ECON 505, ECON 605.

- **3/7/05 GPSC MEETING: DEFERRED to panel chair.** The committee noted that the syllabus contained no week-by-week breakdown, and ask that a revised syllabus be provided for the chair's review. They also wondered whether the department wishes to make proficiency in either Matlab or Fortran a recommended preparation.
- **4/11/05 GPSC MEETING: DEFERRED.** No response from department.
- **APPROVED.** A satisfactorily revised syllabus was provided. The faculty member has been asked to respond to the question about Matlab or Fortran proficiency as a recommended preparation.

## III. LAS: PSYCHOLOGY

Req. by Gerald C. Davison

Add a new course:

Eff. Fall 2005

PSYC 555 INTRODUCTION TO FUNCTIONAL MAGNETIC RESONANCE IMAGING (4, FaSp)

The physical and physiological bases of MRI and fMRI. Design and analysis of fMRI experiments. Operation of a magnetic resonance imaging system.

- **4/11/05 GPSC MEETING: DEFERRED TO PANEL chair, with one abstention from a faculty member from the department.** This course is needed to embrace the new direction of functional psychological research. The panel requests that designated readings be listed weekly in the syllabus. Also they request that a description of the group project, worth 30% of the grade, be better described. Finally, it appears that a large lab component will be required. The labs are incorporated in the regular class schedule.
- **APPROVED.** The revised syllabus was satisfactory. The department asked that the course number be changed to permit qualified outstanding senior students to enroll in the course for credit. The department chair and dean of the College approved the change. The new course number is shown above. The original course number was 603. Also, the catalogue description that was originally submitted makes reference to a trademarked item, "the Siemens 3T Trio system." We cannot have trademarked names on the student record, so the faculty member substituted "a magnetic resonance imaging system" for the other phrase.

**PANEL C: PHYSICAL SCIENCES, ENGINEERING, FINE ARTS and CINEMA-TELEVISION***No deferred items.***PANEL D: BUSINESS, POLICY, PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT, and EDUCATION**

## IV. ROSSIER SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

Req. by David D. Marsh

Drop 32 courses

Eff. Fall 2005

- **1/10/05 GPSC MEETING: ADMINISTRATIVELY DEFERRED, all 32 course drop requests below.** The department is asked to provide the Curriculum Coordination Office with a statement as to whether the courses are required or an option for any degree programs.
- **4/11/05 GPSC MEETING: DEFERRED:** With the exception of four courses (CTSE 511, CTSE 548ab, EDCO 647 and EDPT 594abz), none of the courses are required or elective courses. (NOTE: These courses were inadvertently omitted from the February and March deferral addenda.)
- **NOTE:** EDPT 594abz was withdrawn at the May 9 2005 5GPSC meeting.

## 1. CTSE 511 READING AND WRITING METHODS (3)

Analysis of reading/writing processes; methods for teaching literacy K-12; issues in biliteracy and instruction. Corequisite: CTSE 503; CTSE 549a or CTSE 551a.

- **4/11/05 GPSC MEETING: DEFERRED.** This course is an elective in the M.S. in Education with a concentration in Learning and Instruction.
- **5/9/05 GPSC MEETING: DEFERRED.** No response from department.
- **WITHDRAWN BY DEPARTMENT.**

2. CTSE 526 WORKSHOP IN CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION (1-6)

- **4/11/05 GPSC MEETING: DEFERRED.** This course is an elective in the M.S. in Education with a concentration in Learning and Instruction.
- **5/9/05 GPSC MEETING: DEFERRED.** No response from department.
- **APPROVED.** The course has not been offered and the department doesn't intend to offer it in the future. There are a sufficient number of other electives from which students may choose.

3. EDCO 647 GENDER ISSUES IN COUNSELING (3)

Effects of gender-role socialization and sex discrimination on psychological theory, research, and practice; emphasis on the integration of theory and research.

ALSO: SWMS 647 GENDER ISSUES IN COUNSELING (3)  
(Enroll in EDCO 647.)

- **4/11/05 GPSC MEETING: DEFERRED.** This course is not required or prerequisite (or recommended preparation) for another course, but because it is crosslisted as SWMS 647 and we have no signoff from the chair of Gender Studies it remains deferred.
- **5/9/05 GPSC MEETING: DEFERRED.** The signature from the chair of Gender Studies has not been received.
- **DEFERRED.**

V. POLICY, PLANNING, AND DEVELOPMENT

Req. by Elizabeth Graddy

Add a new course:

Eff. Fall 2005

PPD 687 STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT IN THE NONPROFIT SECTOR (4, Sp)

Strategic management of nonprofit organizations, social entrepreneurship, and management practice.

Prerequisite: PPD 500.

- **4/11/05 GPSC MEETING: ADMINISTRATIVELY DEFERRED.** It is understood that the School of Business recently offered a special topics course on this subject, therefore the department is asked to provide the Curriculum office with a copy of the #301 form signed off by the dean of the School of Business.
- **APPROVED, with a new title.** The vice dean of the Business School agreed to sign off on the course as long as the title is changed. The School of PPD is amenable to that change. The revised title appears above; the originally proposed title was: "Strategic Management and Entrepreneurship in the Nonprofit Sector."