

19 April 2024

Curriculum Committee Meeting

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Brief Agenda

1. Information Items
 - a. Updates to General Education- Dr. Martin McClinton/Dr. Rebecca Harris/Mr. Tim Maricle
 - b. Foundations of Health Sciences Update- Dr. Martin McClinton
 - c. School of Education Catalog Page Update- Dr. April Fleming/Dr. Anne Angstrom
 - d. School of Health Professions Paramedic Catalog Page Update- Dr. Tami Such/Prof. Cassie Billian
2. Program Change and Related Course Proposals
 - a. Information Technology, BS
 - i. New Course Proposal: CIS 4891
3. Committee Business
 - a. Updated Curriculum Forms
 - b. Curriculum Committee Manual

Information Item: General Education

- SYG 1000 Principles of Sociology
 - If taken prior to Fall 2024, this course will count as Core General Education. If taken after Fall 2024, this course will not count as Core General Education, regardless of a student's catalog year.
 - Students may retake SYG 1000 after Fall 2024 for the purposes of grade forgiveness, but it will not count toward Core GE.
 - FSW has chosen to retain SYG 1000 Principles of Sociology in the "Other" General Education category for Social Sciences.
 - The updated statewide course description and learning outcomes found in the Statewide Course Numbering System (SCNS) must be used.
- GLY 1010 and OCE 1000
 - Beginning in Fall 2024, any student may take one of these courses to satisfy Core GE for Natural Sciences.
- Math Pathways
 - MGF 1130 replaces MGF 1106 and MGF 1107 as a core GE Math course in Fall 2024.
 - Any student for whom the Algebra or Statistics Mathematics Pathway is not the appropriate pathway for their degree program should take MGF 1130 to satisfy the general education core requirement in mathematics beginning in Fall Term 2024.
- AMH 2010
 - Beginning in Fall 2024, any student may take AMH 2010 to satisfy the social sciences GE core.
 - Currently under revision through a faculty discipline committee to add the competencies necessary for the course to meet the postsecondary civic literacy course requirement by Fall 2024. Institutions will be advised as soon as that course has been added to Rule.

Information Item: Foundations in Health Sciences

- Foundations in Health Sciences, CCC was approved by the Curriculum Committee in November 2023 for Catalog year 2024-2025.
- The state has not yet approved the frameworks, so this program will not be offered at FSW at this time.

Information Item: School of Education Catalog Page

- The School of Education has updated its catalog page to reflect the new Teacher Apprenticeship pathway to the B.S. in Elementary Education.
- [Bachelor of Science, Elementary Education Catalog Page](#)

Information Item: Paramedic Career Pathway

- In April 2022, a proposal was approved by the Curriculum Committee regarding the articulation of BSC 1085C. However, the language regarding this change was not reflected in the catalog.
- The [catalog page](#) has been updated to reflect the approved change.

Paramedic Career Pathway

To be eligible for articulation, the student must show evidence of their current Clear/Active Paramedic licensure. Upon program approval, verification of current Florida Paramedic license and review of previous coursework professional articulation credit may be assigned for up to 38 credits in the final semester of the AS EMST degree). All required general education coursework must be completed prior to awarding articulated credit and the AS Emergency Medical Services Technology degree.

Students with clear/active Paramedic licensure may have all or part of the following credits articulated as needed based on the student's previous coursework:

- **BSC 1085C – Anatomy and Physiology I 4 credits**
 - EMS 2522 - General Pharmacology for the EMS Provider **2 credits**
 - EMS 2600 - Introduction to Paramedics **3 credits**
 - EMS 2600L - Introduction to Paramedics Lab **2 credits**
 - EMS 2601 - Paramedic Theory I **6 credits**
 - EMS 2601L - Paramedic Laboratory I **3 credits**
 - EMS 2602 - Paramedic Theory II **6 credits**
 - EMS 2602L - Paramedic Laboratory II **3 credits**
 - EMS 2646 - Paramedic Clinical Experience **2 credits**
 - EMS 2648 - Paramedic Field Experience **2 credits**
 - EMS 2661 - Paramedic Field Internship **5 credits**
 - APM 2999 – Articulation Paramedic **0-38 credits**

Students must successfully complete a minimum of 25 percent (19 credits) of the required degree at Florida SouthWestern State College.

Program Change: Information Technology, BS

- CIS 4891, the senior capstone in the Information Technology BS degree, was mistakenly removed from the curriculum through the five year deletions process. This action includes a New Course Proposal for CIS 4891 and a Program Change proposal to update the catalog to restore the course to the program curriculum.
- [Information Technology and CIS 4891 Proposal](#)

Committee Business: Curriculum Forms + Manual

- Revised [Course Proposal Form](#)
 - [PDF Version](#)
- Revised [Program/CCC Proposal Form](#)
 - [PDF Version](#)
- Revised [Curriculum Committee Manual](#)