Graduate Council Report
August 7, 2014

New Course Request:

ECMT 673. Economic Analytics. (3-0). Credit 3. Analysis of large household, corporate and financial data involving empirical modeling and SAS programming for prediction of economic decisions and outcomes; lecture, discussion, and student team project presentation format.

HORT 641. Science of Foods for Health. (3-0). Credit 3. Recent scientific advances on knowledge of foods for health using evidence based research justification; includes interdisciplinary topics emphasizing horticultural science, nutrition and biochemistry. Prerequisite(s): Approval of Instructor.

PLPA 634. Turfgrass Pathology. (3-0). Credit 3. Recognizing turfgrass problems and understanding biological mechanism in the disease process; principles of disease management strategies.

VTPP 639. Non-Coding RNAs. (3-0). Credit 3. Roles of non-coding RNAs in regulating gene expression for physiological functions, development and diseases; includes a brief history of the field, various categories and definitions of non-coding RNAs, research methodologies and animal models, and breakthrough advances in clinical applications. Prerequisite(s): Instructor approval.

VTPP 650. Stem Cell Biology. (3-0). Credit 3. Wide-range of topics related to stem cells and tissue engineering, including a brief history of the field, various categories and definitions of stem cells, research methodologies and animal models, as well as breakthrough advances in the area of engineered stem cells. Prerequisite(s): Instructor approval.

Course Change Request:
BAEN 673: Modeling Small Watersheds

COURSE PREREQUISITES:

FROM: Basic hydrology course and graduate classification.

TO: Basic hydrology course, BAEN 651/equivalent GIS course, and graduate classification.

CPSY 602: School Counseling Theories and Techniques

COURSE PREREQUISITES:

FROM: Graduate Classification; Approval of Department Head

TO: CPSY 630; Graduate Classification; Approval of Department Head

ECON 684: Professional Internship

CONTACT AND CREDIT HOURS:

FROM: (3-0). Credit 3.

TO: Credit 1 to 6 hours each semester.

EDAD 615: School Superintendency

COURSE PREREQUISITES:

FROM: EDAD 605 or approval of instructor

TO: Graduate Classification

EDAD 651: Education Finance and Economics

COURSE PREREQUISITES:

FROM: EDAD 608 or approval of instructor

TO: Graduate Classification
EDAD 690: Theory of EDAD Research

COURSE PREREQUISITES:

FROM: EHRD 651 or equivalent
TO: Graduate Classification

EHRD 625: Organization Development & Performance in Human Resource Development

COURSE PREREQUISITES:

FROM: EHRD 601 or EHRD 603 or equivalent
TO: Graduate Classification

EDAD 628: Research and Publishing in Human Resource Development

COURSE PREREQUISITES:

FROM: EHRD 601 and EHRD 627 or approval of instructor
TO: Graduate Classification