

Graduate Council Report

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New Course Requests

EDCI 609. Analysis and Reporting for Records of Study. (3-0). Credit 3. Analysis of field-generated and existing data, classroom observations, empirical tests, and discussions; links theoretical and practical educational theory to analyses of qualitative and quantitative data; teacher-leaders interpretation of classroom phenomena using research-based theories for teaching and learning. Prerequisite(s): Graduate classification; EPSY 635 or equivalent.

EHRD 643. Adult Education, Globalization and Social Justice. (3-0). Credit 3. Impact of globalization on individuals and groups across nations; issues of access and opportunity; societal versus individual change and the meaning of international development. Prerequisite(s): Graduate classification.

MARA 685. Directed Studies. Credit 1 to 6 each semester. Selected topics in an identified area of Maritime Administration and Logistics not covered in another course in the curriculum. Prerequisite(s): Approval of instructor.

SPED 601. Assessment in School Settings. (3-0). Credit 3. Formal and informal assessment; state assessment and alternatives; techniques used with students with disabilities; using data to make educational decisions. Prerequisite(s): Graduate classification; approval of department head; approval of instructor.

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Course Change Requests

ESSM 601 Current Issues in ESSM

Title:

FROM: Current Issues in ESSM

TO: Ecosystem Stewardship

Description:

FROM: Introduces the social and scientific context for forestry; develops an understanding of current social, economic and environmental issues confronting forested ecosystems and consider implications for renewable natural resource management, research and policy.

TO: Integrates ecological concepts of resilience, sustainability, transformation and vulnerability within a framework of ecosystem stewardship to support human well-being in a rapidly changing world; emphasizes social-ecological systems, adaptive management, and valuation of ecosystem services as mechanisms to strengthen management and policy recommendations supporting ecosystem stewardship.

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Special Consideration Item:

Graduate Council approved expedited course withdrawal memos from the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences, The Bush School of Government and Public Services, the Mays Business School, the College of Education and Human Development, the Dwight Look College of Engineering, the College of Liberal Arts, the College of Science, and the College of Veterinary Medicine.

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Special Consideration Item:

Graduate Council approved the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences proposal for low-producing degrees termination and teach-out plan.

