

MEMORANDUM

To: Board of Regents
From: Board Office
Subject: Proposed Revisions for 2003-2005 General Catalog, Iowa State University
Date: March 3, 2003

Recommended Action:

Approve the proposed revisions for Iowa State University's 2003-2005 General Catalog.

Executive Summary:

Iowa State University requests approval of the proposed revisions for its 2003-2005 General Catalog. These revisions have been approved by the appropriate departmental and college curriculum committees and by the Faculty Senate Curriculum Committee.

Reviewed by ICEC and Board Office The Interinstitutional Committee on Educational Coordination (ICEC) and the Board Office have reviewed the revisions and recommend approval.

No new programs requested The report includes new programs added by prior action of the Board of Regents, since the last approval of catalog revisions. No new programs are being requested at this time; however, there are two proposals to discontinue programs that are separate docket items.

Updating the Catalog According to the University's request, the new courses represent not only additions due to new knowledge, but also restructuring in some areas. The Faculty Senate Curriculum Committee requires that, with a few exceptions, all new courses must have been offered experimentally, to establish that the department is able to staff them and that sufficient interest exists to justify adding them to the catalog. An effort was made to remove courses from the catalog that had not been taught in some time. The following summary of all course changes shows an addition of 275 new courses but a net decrease of 90 courses.

CURRICULA, MAJORS, MINORS ADDED OR DROPPED, NAME CHANGES:

The following is a list of new degrees, discontinuations, and name changes of academic programs approved by the Board of Regents since the last catalog. The date in () indicates the date of Board of Regents approval.

College of Agriculture

- Discontinue: B.S. in Agricultural Extension Education (5/02) [secondary major]
(Department of Agricultural Education and Studies)
- Discontinue: B.S. in Professional Agriculture (5/02) [off-campus]
(Department of Agricultural Education and Studies)

College of Business

- Add: M.S. Information Systems (3/01)
(Department of Logistics, Operations, and Management Information Systems)

College of Education

- Discontinue: B.S. in Community Health Education (5/02)
(Department of Health and Human Performance)
- Discontinue: Undergraduate minors in:
Athletic Training (3/02)
Health Studies (5/02)
(Department of Health and Human Performance)
- Name Change: B.S. in Exercise and Sport Science to B.S. in Health and Human Performance (5/02)
(Department of Health and Human Performance)

College of Engineering

- Discontinue: B.S. in Engineering Applications (pending Regent approval)
(Interdisciplinary Program)
- Discontinue: B.S. in Engineering Science (pending Regent approval)
(Department of Aerospace Engineering and Engineering Mechanics)

College of Family and Consumer Sciences

- Add: Undergraduate minor in Food Safety (6/02)
(Interdisciplinary Program)
- Name Change: B.S. in Child and Family Services to B.S. in Child, Adult, and Family Services (5/02)
(Department of Human Development and Family Studies)
- Name Change: M.S. and Ph.D. in Hotel, Restaurant, and Institution Management to M.S. and Ph.D. in
Foodservice and Lodging Management (9/01) (also became an independent Ph.D. major)
(Department of Apparel, Educational Studies, and Hospitality)

College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

- Add: B.S. Technical Communications (12/00)
(Department of English)
- Add: Undergraduate minor in Chinese Studies (6/02)
(Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures)
- Add: M.A. in Teaching English as a Second Language/Applied Linguistics (7/01)
(approved as a name change)
(Department of English)

College of Veterinary Medicine

- Add: M.S. in Veterinary Diagnostic and Production Animal Medicine (5/02)
(Department of Veterinary Diagnostic and Production Animal Medicine)

Interdisciplinary Programs

- Add: M.S. and Ph.D. in Biorenewable Resources and Technology (9/02)
(Interdisciplinary Program)
- Add: Undergraduate minor in Emerging Global Diseases (9/01)

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SUMMARY OF CHANGES –

Summary of Sections III, New Courses;

Section IV, Courses Dropped;

Section VII, Course Number Changed, Course Credits Changed, and Course Title Changed

	New	Dropped	Number	Credit	Title
College of Agriculture	19	24	5	17	19
College of Business	8	5	0	0	0
College of Design	12	31	4	7	24
College of Education	26	46	9	5	9
College of Engineering	54	101	12	21	46
College of Family and Consumer Sciences	24	12	1	9	14
College of Liberal Arts and Sciences	92	104	17	24	94
College of Veterinary Medicine	19	36	0	4	5
Interdisciplinary Programs	21	6	2	8	9
Total	275	365	50	95	220



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Approved: 

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