

**Committee I: Undergraduate Programs Committee**  
**Kim Green, Chair**  
**Meeting Agenda for Wednesday, January 11, 2023, 3:30 pm**  
**Google Meet**

- I. Call to Order
- II. Approval of November 15 Meeting Minutes
- III. Program and Course Proposals

**A) College of Arts, Culture and Scientific Inquiry**

1) Department of Anthropology, Psychology, and Sociology

a) [ANTH - 2001 - Introduction to Archaeology](#)

Request: Revise Course

It is proposed to include ANTH 2001 as a choice in Core Area E. Introduction to Archaeology already counts in Core Area E at many USG institutions. The course aligns with Area E Learning Outcomes (E4, Social Sciences), but does not topically overlap with any course listed in this Area at our institution.

2) Department of Art, History, and Philosophy

a) [Africana Studies Minor](#)

Request: Revise Program

The revision changes from the current requirement which stipulates that 2 courses must come from the Humanities and 2 courses must come from the Social Sciences to the revised requirement that students take 4 electives (or 12 credit hours) related to race, Africa, the Caribbean, the African Diaspora, and/or African America chosen from at least 2 different disciplines. [Also Department of English, Film, Languages, and Performing Arts. This minor is jointly housed in the English and History departments.]

b) [ART, Art Education BFA](#)

Request: Revise Program

The proposed curriculum changes will be the requirement of 15 credit hours in 3000/4000 level studio art electives. Three courses (EDUC 2110 and 2130 and CEPD 4101) will be eliminated from the curriculum. The total credit hours are reduced from

132 to 126. The BOR has mandated that all teacher certification programs be at no more than 129 total credits.

c) [ART, Art Education BFA](#)

Request: Revise Program

The proposal creates a non-teacher certification track in community arts within the BFA Art Education concentration. This track serves students who want to teach art but do not want to seek Georgia P-12 art education certification and want to teach in settings other than public schools.

3) Department of English, Film, Languages, and Performing Arts

a) [MUSC - 3860 - Advanced Conducting](#)

Request: Add

This proposal adds a second conducting course to the curriculum. This change is consistent with other programs in the state, as most universities have two conducting courses. This is a two-hour course. MUSC 3850 is a prerequisite.

4) Department of Natural Sciences

a) [BIOL - 4130 - Climate Change Biology](#)

Request: Add

This course examines the impacts of climate change on living organisms, biological communities, and ecosystems. It will be delivered fully online. The course is cross listed as BIOL 5130.

**B) School of Communications, Film, and Media**

1) [COMM - 1100 - Human Communication](#)

Request: Add

Currently the only option for UWG students to take this course is the eCore version. The eCore version fulfills the B1 requirement in WolfWatch but is not listed as an approved course in our core curriculum. This proposal creates a UWG version of this course.

IV. Old Business

V. New Business