

Committee I: Undergraduate Programs Committee
Kim Green, Chair
Meeting Agenda for Thursday, Nov 3, 9:00 am
Google Meet

- I. Call to Order
- II. Approval of Oct. 4 Meeting Minutes
- III. Presentation from Jeffrey Zamostny and Vote on Undergraduate Research HIP Designation Requests (see submission in separate file emailed with agenda)
- IV. Program and Course Proposals

A) College of Arts, Culture and Scientific Inquiry

1) Department of Natural Sciences

a) Introduction to Science Pedagogy cross-listed course

i) [GEOG 3100 INTRODUCTION TO SCIENCE PEDAGOGY](#)

Request: Add New Course

This one-hour course is the prerequisite for student assistants hired to TA the Physics, Geography, and Geology introductory lab courses. It is cross-listed in GEOG, GEOL, and PHYS (see below). The course will include general training of instructional techniques and pedagogical methods as well as professional development activities related to teaching and TAs' duties. This course is required for the students who are taking BS to MAT track (Education track).

ii) [GEOL 3100 INTRODUCTION TO SCIENCE PEDAGOGY](#)

Request: Add New Course

See explanation above for GEOG 3100.

iii) [PHYS 3100 INTRODUCTION TO SCIENCE PEDAGOGY](#)

Request: Add New Course

See explanation above for GEOG 3100.

b) Scientific Communication cross-listed course

i) [BIOL 4411 SCIENTIFIC COMMUNICATION](#)

Request: Add New Course

This course is aimed at science majors who are interested in becoming teachers after they graduate, and who will need to be able to communicate complicated scientific

concepts to a broad audience. The course is cross-listed in Biology, Chemistry, Geography, Geology, and Physics. The Physics listing for this course (PHYS 4411) was approved at the Oct 4 UPC meeting and the Oct 14 Faculty Senate meeting. The other course prefixes are presented below.

ii) [CHEM 4411 SCIENTIFIC COMMUNICATION](#)

Request: Add New Course

See explanation above for BIOL 4411.

iii) [GEOG 4411 SCIENTIFIC COMMUNICATION](#)

Request: Add New Course

See explanation above for BIOL 4411.

iv) [GEOL 4411 SCIENTIFIC COMMUNICATION](#)

Request: Add New Course

See explanation above for BIOL 4411.

B) College of Education

1) Department of Sport Management, Wellness, and Physical Education

a) [NEXUS IN DIGITAL ENTERTAINMENT, ESPORTS, AND GAME DEVELOPMENT](#)

Request: Add New Program

The Nexus degree will allow students to gain an Associate's Degree and a Georgia Film Academy (GFA) Certification to be equipped and employable after just two years of coursework. This degree could also provide a synergistic pathway for students in related degree programs (Bachelor's degrees in Computing, Interdisciplinary Studies, Marketing, Mass Communication, and Sport Management). The degree is based on GFA content that is applying the same approach to workforce development for Digital Media, Gaming and Esports that has been successful in feature film and TV production.

b) [SPORT MANAGEMENT, B.S.](#)

Request: Revise Program

This proposal creates an accelerated bachelors to masters pathway. There are four courses from which students can select 12 hours to count toward both the undergraduate and graduate degrees.

IV. Old Business

V. New Business