**Minutes**

**University Curriculum Committee Meeting**

**October 4, 2024**

**2:15 p.m.   
Meeting number (access code):**  2634 819 0511 **Meeting password**: nM6y759fVUY

**UCC Members**

Bill Miller, Bruce Cohen replaces Eric Appleton, Rachel Wood, Brian Huels, Yunsun Huh, Amir Fard Bahreini, Michael Hammer, Jennifer Petersen, Rowand Robinson, Ted Gimbel, Wesley Hough, Donald Jellerson, Kerri Wrinn, George Jones, Kristin Plessel, Kari Pahl, Andrea Ednie, Susan Johnson, Kim Kostka, Blake Erwin, Jeff Zimmerman, Paul Waelchli, Heather Chermak, Tamela Rocke, Tatiana Fadeeva, Marissa Greuel Hainstock, Becky Pfeifer, and David Welsch

1. **Introductions**

Kristin welcomed the committee and introduced Wesley Hough as our Co-Chair. Wesley Hough then asked the committee members in attendance to introduce themselves.

1. **Approval of Minutes from the** [April 19](http://www.uww.edu/Documents/acadaff/UCC/2024-2025/April%2019%20Minutes.docx) and [September 6](http://www.uww.edu/Documents/acadaff/UCC/2024-2025/September%206%20Minutes.docx) meeting. Michael Hammer and Brian Huels moved approval II. April 19 meeting; motion passed unanimously. Brian Huels and Rowand Robinson moved approval of II. September 6 meeting; motion passed with one abstention.
2. **Informational Only Item (To Be Received and Recorded)**
3. **Special Course approved since the most recent UCC meeting:** Rowand Robinson and Michael Hammermoved approval of III. A. to be received and recorded; motion passed unanimously.

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| **Course No.** | **Title** | **Term** | **Approved** |
| [WOMENST 496-B](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/specialtopicsadmin/47/index.html&step=showfullrecord)  [THEATRE 496](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/specialtopicsadmin/47/index.html&step=showfullrecord) | DRAG STUDIES | Spring 2025 | 09/06/2024 |
| [THEATRE 496-A](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/specialtopicsadmin/48/index.html&step=showfullrecord) | DEVISED PERFORMANCE | Spring 2025 | 09/06/2024 |
| [SOCIOLGY 494-L](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/specialtopicsadmin/51/index.html&step=showfullrecord) | MORAL VALUES IN SOCIETY | Spring 2025 | 09/06/2024 |
| [ARTHIST 496-A](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/specialtopicsadmin/50/index.html&step=showfullrecord) | WHAT IS ISLAMIC ART? | Spring 2025 | 09/06/2024 |
| [COMM 491-I](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/specialtopicsadmin/38/index.html&step=showfullrecord) | TRAVEL STUDY TO IRELAND | Spring 2025 | 06/24/2024 |
| [MANGEMNT 491-A](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/specialtopicsadmin/36/index.html&step=showfullrecord) | CROSS-ATLANTIC CHARITY QUEST | Spring 2025 | 05/01/2024 |
| [FILM 491-A](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/specialtopicsadmin/40/index.html&step=showfullrecord) | LOS ANGELES TRAVEL STUDY | Summer 2025 | 04/16/2024 |
| [HONORS 296-1](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/specialtopicsadmin/37/index.html&step=showfullrecord) | EXAMINING AI | Fall 2024 | 03/20/2024 |
| [MAT 296-A](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/specialtopicsadmin/35/index.html&step=showfullrecord) | BUSINESS AND APPLIED MATH | Fall 2024 | 03/20/2024 |
| [FRENCH 296-B](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/specialtopicsadmin/34/index.html&step=showfullrecord) | CAFÉ’S, CUISINE, AND CULTURE | Fall 2024 | 03/14/2024 |
| [CIGENRL 496-P](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/specialtopicsadmin/28/index.html&step=showfullrecord) | TEACH AND LEARN – KINDERGARDEN | Summer 2024 | 02/21/2024 |
| [SOCIOLGY 496-K](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/specialtopicsadmin/33/index.html&step=showfullrecord) | QUALITATIVE RESEARCH ON CAMPUS | Summer 2024 | 02/12/2024 |

1. **Action Items**
2. **Curricular Actions from the College of Arts and Communications**
3. **Actions from the Department of Theater and Dance**

Michael Hammer and Bill Miller moved approval of IV. A. 1. 1.1 – 1.4; motion passed unanimously.

1.1 Program Change – [Theatre (BA)](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/programadmin/125/index.html&step=showfullrecord)

1.2 Program Change – [Theatre – Design/Technology Emphasis (BFA)](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/programadmin/126/index.html&step=showfullrecord)

1.3 Program Change – [Theatre – Performance Emphasis (BFA)](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/programadmin/128/index.html&step=showfullrecord)

1.4 Program Change – [Theatre – Stage Management Emphasis (BFA)](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/programadmin/129/index.html&step=showfullrecord)

**2. Actions from the Department of Communications**

Michael Hammer and Bill Miller moved approval of IV. A. 2. 2.1 – 2.2.; motion passed unanimously.

2.1New Course – [JOURNLSM 250: Practicum in Newspaper Reporting](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/courseadmin/6953/index.html&step=showfullrecord)

2.2 Course Change – Course Title, 25-Abbrev Char., Prerequisite, Co-requisite, Course Component & Hours, and Catalog Description – [JOURNLSM 251: Practicum in Newspaper Editing](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/courseadmin/177/index.html&step=showfullrecord)

**B. Curricular Actions from the College of Integrated Studies**

**1. Actions from the Department of Integrated Studies**

Michael Hammer and Rowand Robinson moved approval of IV. B. 1. 1.1; motion passed unanimously.

1.1 Course Change – Prerequisites - [ENG 100: Intensive College Writing and Reading](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/courseadmin/6333/index.html&step=showfullrecord)

Michael Hammer and Rowand Robinson moved approval of IV. B. 1. 1.2. – 1.4.; motion passed unanimously.

1.2 Course Change – Grading Basis, Course Components & Hours - [UWX BL101: Concepts of Biology](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/courseadmin/6265/index.html&step=showfullrecord)

1.3 Course Change - Grading Basis, Course Components & Hours - [UWX CH140: General Chemistry I – Lab](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/courseadmin/6267/index.html&step=showfullrecord)

1.4 Course Change - Grading Basis, Course Components & Hours - [UWX CH144: General Chemistry I - Lecture](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/courseadmin/6268/index.html&step=showfullrecord)

**C. Curricular Actions from the College of Letters and Sciences**

**1. Action from the Department Race & Ethnic Studies**

Ted Gimbel and Rowand Robinson moved approval of IV. C. 1. 1.1; motion passed unanimously.

1.1 Course Deactivation – [CHICANO 498: Independent Study](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/courseadmin/2250/index.html&step=showfullrecord)

**2. Actions from the Department of General Education**

Ted Gimbel and Michael Hammer moved approval of IV. C. 2. 2.1; motion passed unanimously.

2.1 Course Change – Gen Ed – [CORE 140: Global Perspectives](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/courseadmin/3403/index.html&step=showfullrecord)

Ted Gimbel and Michael Hammer moved approval of IV. C. 2. 2.2; motion passed unanimously.

2.2 Program Change - [General Education](https://uww-next.courseleaf.com/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/programadmin/241/index.html&step=showfullrecord)

1. **Other Discussion Item(s)**
2. [**Curriculum Handbook**](http://www.uww.edu/Documents/acadaff/UCC/2024-2025/Curriculum%20Handbook%20UG%202024%20edits%20v2.docx) **UG Updates**

Kristin Plessel reviewed the undergrad curriculum handbook updates recently made to the handbook.

1. **Curriculum Approval Conversation at Faculty Senate**

Kristin Plessel reviewed the recent discussion with faculty senate and the change regarding approving curriculum through Faculty Senate.

VI. Brian Huels and Michael Hammer moved approval to adjourn at 3:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Becky Pfeifer

University Curriculum Committee Secretary