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EP.19.61 Report of Administrative Approvals at the March 12, 2019 meeting of the EPC.

Graduate Programs

Graduate Concentration in Second Language Acquisition and Teacher Education – Remove SOC 582, Survey Research Methods II (4 hours), from the list of advanced courses in quantitative or qualitative research from which students are to select one course. SOC 582 has been discontinued effective Fall, 2019. There is no change to the total number of hours required for the concentration.

Institutes

At the September 17, 2018 meeting, the Office of the Provost's report to the EPC focused on the reconciliation of the internal university program inventory with the Illinois Board of Higher Education's program inventory takes place annually. Two centers/institutes with "expired temporary status" (IBHE designator/construct) – the Chicago Center for Veterinary Medicine and the Confucius Institute--formally indicated they will not seek an extension. Banner activity for one of these, the Confucius Institute, has all been cleared as of March 6, 2019, and that institute is formally and fully eliminated.

The Division of Management Information continues to work with the College of Veterinary Medicine to resolve Banner activity associated with the Chicago Center for Veterinary Medicine. An update to the EPC will be provided when Banner activity for the Chicago Center for Veterinary Medicine is resolved.

Undergraduate Programs

BALAS in History – Remove HIST 495, Honors Research and Writing Seminar (3 hours) from the list of history electives at the 200-level or above of which students are required to complete 12 hours. HIST 495, which was the honors research equivalent of HIST 498, has been discontinued effective Fall, 2019. There is no change to the number of hours required for the major.

BALAS in History, Social Science: History Teaching Concentration – Remove HIST 495, Honors Research and Writing Seminar (3 hours) as an option between HIST 498 or 495 that students must take and can count as three hours toward the United States History, Nonwestern and Global History, or European History requirements. HIST 495, which was the honors research equivalent of HIST 498, has been discontinued effective Fall, 2019. There is no change to the number of hours required for the concentration. This revision has been endorsed by the Council on Teacher Education.

BS in Human Development and Family Studies – In the list of Social and Behavioral Science general education courses, from which students in this major were to take a total of 11-12 hours, remove the "Choose one of the following" subcategory which specified 3-4 hours of introductory economics (ACE 100, Agr Cons and

Resource Econ, 4 hours; ECON 102, Microeconomic Principles, 3 hours; or ECON 103, Macroeconomic Principles, 3 hours). The HDFS major already specifically requires two introductory-level social and behavioral science courses, PSYC 100, Introductory Psychology (4 hours), and SOC 100, Introductory Sociology (4 hours), which is above and beyond the campus requirement of 6 hours of social and behavioral sciences. In addition, students in the HDFS major are required to take ACE 240, Personal Financial Planning (3 hours), which the Department of Human Development and Family Studies and College of ACES have found to provide the most pertinent financial information for HDFS majors. The Department of Agricultural and Consumer Economics and the Department of Economics have been informed of and are in support of this change. The revision expands the number of hours students have as electives and does not change the total number of hours required for the degree.