

PROPOSAL FOR COURSE CHANGE

To: Curriculum Committee or Graduate Council (as appropriate)

From: Agriculture Department

Date submitted: October 2, 2007

Request for: Course change X Course deletion _____ Course addition _____
(Excluding course credit hour changes)

Submitted by: Molly Brant

Approved by: Department Head: *Wally Hoefler*
Dean of School *John H. H. H.*

Reviewed by: Registrar: *Sammy Kieck*
Vice President:

If this is a deletion or other minor change, describe and give rationale.

The departmental consensus indicated that our students needed the application of accounting to the agricultural realm. In doing so, we adjusted our degree requirements to replace ACCT 2013 with AGBU 4023. The prerequisite portion of the description needs to reflect the expectations that the students will have completed ACCT 2003 before taking AGBU 4023.

Old Description:

Prerequisite: AGBU 2063 and 2073, or consent of instructor. Designed as an economic and accounting study of the processes in agricultural businesses. Manufacturing costs, income tax, managerial reports, cash flow, and statement analysis of agricultural businesses along with capital allocation and the purpose and efficiency of agricultural lending institutions are analyzed.

New Description:

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Prerequisite: AGBU 2063 and 2073, ~~or consent of instructor~~, ACCT 2003. Designed as an economic and accounting study of the processes in agricultural businesses. Manufacturing costs, income tax, managerial reports, cash flow, and statement analysis of agricultural businesses along with capital allocation and the purpose and efficiency of agricultural lending institutions are analyzed.

Number: AGBU 4023

Title for Catalog: Agricultural Finance

Effective date or term: Fall 2008

Course fees: None

*per telephone consultation
w/ Hoefler 11/14/07*

*app CC 11/19/07
app FS 12/3/07*

PROPOSAL FOR COURSE CHANGE

To: Curriculum Committee

From: **Agriculture Department**

Date Submitted: November 2, 2007

Request for: Course change X Course deletion Course addition
(Excluding course credit hour changes)

Submitted by: **Mike W. Fairbanks**

Approved by: Department Head: *Willy Hoefler*
Dean of School: *John White*

Reviewed by: Registrar: *Sammy Rhodes*
Vice President:

If this is a deletion or other minor change, describe and give rationale.

It is proposed that AGPS 3053 Weeds and Weed Control be changed to AGPS 3053 Weed Ecology. The course will remain functionally similar in relation to weed demography and population dynamics, competition, interference, and soil seed bank concepts. However, the weed control aspect (herbicides, spray calibrations, etc.) will be covered in a new course, AGPM 3124 Applied Pest Control

Catalog description:

The principles of weed ecology including weed demography and population dynamics, competition, interference, soil seed bank concept and systematic approaches to weed management. Prerequisite: AGPS 1003, Junior standing or consent of instructor.

Number: **AGPS 3053**

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Title for Catalog: **Weed Ecology**

Effective date or term: **Fall 2008**

Course fees: **None**

*App CC 11/19/07
App FS 12/3/07*

PROPOSAL FOR COURSE CHANGE
RP 3791 Turfgrass Management: Equipment

To: Curriculum Committee

From: Parks, Recreation, and Hospitality Administration

Date submitted: September 17, 2007

Request for: Course change X Course deletion _____ Course addition _____
(Excluding course credit hour changes)

Submitted by: Glen Bishop

Approved by: Department Head: *Theresa Herrick*
Dean of School: *Allen Wheat*

Reviewed by: Registrar: *G. Rundo*
Vice President:

If this is a deletion or other minor change, describe and give rationale.

This proposal is to modify RP 4783 Turfgrass Management: Equipment. This change is part of a revision of the Turf Management Emphasis in the Recreation and Park Administration Program. The manner in which the course has been taught over the past few years no longer matches the course description in the catalog. This proposal is to reduce the credit hours to one, changing the course number to RP 3791. In addition, a course fee is proposed to help defray expected travel expenses.

I. Catalog description: (AS IT WILL APPEAR IN THE CATALOG).

Number: **RP 3791**

Title for Catalog: **Turfgrass Management: Equipment**

*Title for Course Inventory (24 characters):

Catalog description: **An introduction to turfgrass equipment. Visits to golf course or other turfgrass sites where students will examine and operate various types of turf equipment. Equipment maintenance discussed. Equipment design and selection discussed.**

Effective date or term: **Fall 2008**

*Course fees: **\$25.00**

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*app CC 11/19/07
app FS 12/3/07*

ATTACHMENT A

PROPOSAL FOR COURSE CHANGE

RP 3793 Turfgrass Pest Control

To: Curriculum Committee

From: Parks, Recreation, and Hospitality Administration

Date submitted: September 17, 2007

Request for: Course change X Course deletion _____ Course addition _____
(Excluding course credit hour changes)

Submitted by: Glen Bishop

Approved by: Department Head:
Dean of School

Reviewed by: Registrar:
Vice President:

If this is a deletion or other minor change, describe and give rationale.

This proposal is to make a minor change in the course number, course description and course title to emphasize the turfgrass content of the course. The change in the course number is to differentiate this course from the previous version of the course which emphasized chemical safety rather than turfgrass pest control. The old course number is RP 3783. The new course number is RP 3793. In addition the proposed new turf management entry course (RP 3763) will be a pre or co-requisite for this course.

If this is an addition of a new course, fill in the following and attach a syllabus (syllabus should include course objectives, and outline of the course with sufficient details to illuminate course content, and a bibliography. The Curriculum Committee/Graduate Council does not need evaluation and testing procedural information nor does it need excessively long bibliographies).

I. Catalog description:

Number: RP 3793

Title for Catalog: **Turfgrass Pest Control**

*Title for Course Inventory (24 characters):

Description: **Pre or Co-requisite: RP 3763. An introduction to the integrated management of pests affecting turfgrass. Maintenance practices related to pest and abiotic turfgrass problems, safety, and materials.**

Effective date or term: **Fall 2008**

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app RS 12/3/07

ATTACHMENT A

**PROPOSAL FOR COURSE CHANGE
RP 4753 Sports Field Management and Design**

To: Curriculum Committee
From: Parks, Recreation, and Hospitality Administration

Date submitted: July 27, 2007

Request for: Course change X Course deletion _____ Course addition _____
(Excluding course credit hour changes)

Submitted by: Glen Bishop

Approved by: Department Head: _____
Dean of School: _____

Reviewed by: Registrar: _____
Vice President: _____

If this is a deletion or other minor change, describe and give rationale.

This proposal is to make a minor change in the course number, course description and course title to emphasize the turfgrass content of the course. The change in the course number is to indicate that this should be a senior level course. The old course number is RP 3773. The new course number is RP 4753. In addition the proposed new turf management entry course (RP 3763) will be a pre or corequisite for this course as will RP 3034 Site Planning and Design. This proposal also asks that a course fee be added to cover expenses associated with field trips to sports fields that provide good examples of design and cultural practices.

If this is an addition of a new course, fill in the following and attach a syllabus (syllabus should include course objectives, and outline of the course with sufficient details to illuminate course content, and a bibliography. The Curriculum Committee/Graduate Council does not need evaluation and testing procedural information nor does it need excessively long bibliographies).

I. Catalog description

Number: **RP 4753**

Title for Catalog: **Sports Field Management and Design.**

*Title for Course Inventory (24 characters):

Description: Pre or co-requisite: RP 3034, RP 3763, and RP 3793. A survey of design and management practices for turfgrass sports fields. Personnel and budgeting requirements for operations and maintenance. \$25.00 fee required.

Effective date or term: **Fall 2008**

*Course fees: **\$25.00**

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app FS 12/3/07