

The following items were considered at the Academic Council meeting held Friday, March 6, 2009.

#### Conflict Resolution

New Course—CONR 612: *Conflict Management Systems Design*

This new course was approved.

#### Sociology

A request was made to change the name of SOCI 362/562: *Marriage and Family* to *Families in Society*, and to change the course description and content in order to strengthen the content relevant to family policies and law.

Both the name change and the course description change were approved.

#### Art & Design

A request was made to change DSGN 243: *Human Dimension and Interior Space* and DSGN 448 *Advanced Design* to 2 hours of lecture per week and 4 hours of lab time for a total of 6 contact hours per week. The courses will remain 3 credits each.

These changes were approved.

#### History

A request was made to change HIST 452/552: *Historical Documentary Production* from spring even years to fall odd years. This change was approved.

#### Theatre

A request was made to add a Theatre Education Concentration (THED) as an option for the BFA Theatre degree. This change was approved.

#### **Additional items handled subsequently by email:**

#### History

A request was made to change the prerequisites for upper division history classes. Courses affected are those whose prerequisites currently include the phrase “completion of 6 hours of (lower level/1000-299) history.” This change was approved.

#### Biology

A request was made to change the prerequisite for BIOL 355 *Microbiology*: was “BIOL 221/223 or BIOL 222/224,” will be BIOL 312 or CHEM 223.”

A request was made to change the prerequisite for BIOL 425 *Behavior Biology: Theory and Methods* from “none” to “BIOL 362.”

A request was made to change the BIOT degree plan (HS Life Science): Increase the “additional advanced biology” from 3 to 6 hours; change total biology major requirement from 31 to 34.

These changes were approved.

### Music

Comprehensive renumbering of the Ensemble courses. This change was approved.

### Agricultural and Environmental Sciences

A request was made to change the AHPC degree plan (Animal Health Professional Cooperative):  
Add requirement of ANSC 497 *Special Problems in Animal Science* to fulfill writing-intensive requirement. This change was approved.