



Academic Notes

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ACADEMIC NOTES PUBLICATION SCHEDULE **FOR THE SPRING 2001 SEMESTER**

Below is the circulation schedule for the hard copy of *Academic Notes* through May 7, 2001. An asterisk (*) indicates a curricular issue. **All submissions for inclusion in *Academic Notes* are due in the Office of Academic Affairs no later than 10:00 a.m. on the Wednesday prior to the distribution of *Academic Notes* on the following Monday, along with a diskette with the same information in Microsoft Word format. Failure to submit a diskette containing this information will delay publication.** An electronic version of *Academic Notes* is available using Acrobat Reader via the ISU WebPage at – <http://web.indstate.edu/acadnotes/> –.

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<u>Deadline for Items</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
January 17	January 22
January 24	January 29*
January 31	February 5
February 7	February 12*
February 14	February 19
February 21	February 26*
March 7	March 12
March 14	March 19*
March 21	March 26
March 28	April 2*
April 4	April 9
April 11	April 16*
April 18	April 23
April 25	April 30*
May 2	May 7

Please call Tiffany Trass at extension 3662 with any questions pertaining to the submission of information on a diskette.

FACULTY GOVERNMENT

FACULTY SENATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT FOR JANUARY 9, 2001

The Faculty Senate Executive Committee met at 3:15 p.m. in the Hulman Memorial Student Union (HMSU), Room 227.

Interim Provost Hopkins expressed President Benjamin's and his own appreciation for faculty involvement at the presidential inauguration and commencement and reported on the ongoing deans' searches in the School of Business and Education. He noted that overall enrollment is up 1% from Spring 2000.

Chair Bell also expressed his appreciation for faculty involvement at the presidential inauguration and commencement, especially to the many "backstage" faculty involved. He noted some needed updates to the information published in Spring Greetings 2001.

The Committee discussed President Benjamin's comments concerning the changing roles of full-time-regular and non-tenure-track faculty as reported in the STATESMAN in December, a reported improvement this semester in distribution of financial aid checks, the ongoing review of travel expenditures, and admission/retention standards.

The Committee continued editing the proposed Evaluating Teaching materials and approved edited versions of two items: a Resolution and a section headed "Examples" (8-0-0).

The Committee delayed consideration of a resolution from the Faculty Economic Benefits Committee until a representative of that committee could attend.

The Executive Committee next meets on Tuesday, January 16, 2001 at 3:15 p.m. in the Hulman Memorial Student Union (HMSU), Room 227.

FACULTY SENATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The Faculty Senate Executive Committee will meet at 3:15 p.m. on Tuesday, January 16, 2001 in the Hulman Memorial Student Union (HMSU), Room 227.

AGENDA

- I. Administrative Report
- II. Chair Report
- III. Fifteen Minute Open Discussion
- IV. Approval of the Minutes
- V. Standing Committee Reports

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- VI. CAAC Recommendations for General Education:
 - Economics 100
 - Music 341
 - Philosophy 200 and 201
 - Physics 101 and 101L
 - Sociology 110
- VII. CAAC Recommendation: M.S. Nursing
- VIII. Old Business
- IX. New Business

FACULTY SENATE STANDING COMMITTEES

FACULTY AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

The Faculty Affairs Committee will meet from 1:00 p.m. until 3:00 p.m. on Thursday, January 18, 2001 in the School of Nursing Room 402.

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order and Additions to Agenda
- II. Approval of Minutes (several sets)
- III. Recommendation from Charge #7 to EC
- IV. Further Questions or Recommendation from Charge #6
- V. Recommendation from Charge #5
- VI. Old Business
- VII. New Business
- VIII. Chairpersons – Faculty/Administrative Under New Administration
- IX. Dates for Next Meetings February 1 or 8, 2001 for Recommendations #1 and #2 on AAUP Guidelines for Evaluation of Teaching and Teaching/Workload Issues
- X. Adjournment

UNDERGRADUATE CURRICULUM PROPOSALS

COURSE REVISIONS

COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES: Music

MUS 276 (A-G; I-T) Individual Performance Study – 1-2 hours. Lower division vocal or instrumental instruction for music major, minor, or elective students. Repeatable for
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up to 4 hours of credit. Prerequisite: audition prior to first enrollment.

Change title to:

MUS 276 (A-G; I-U) Individual Performance Study – 1-2 hours. Lower division vocal or instrumental instruction for music major, minor, or elective students. Repeatable for up to 4 hours of credit. Prerequisite: audition prior to first enrollment.

MUS 476 (A-G; I-T) Individual Performance Study – 1-2 hours. Upper division vocal or instrumental instruction for music major, minor, or elective students. Repeatable for credit. Prerequisite: audition or satisfactory completion of four semesters of 276 prior to first enrollment.

Change title to:

MUS 476 (A-G; I-U) Individual Performance Study – 1-2 hours. Upper division vocal or instrumental instruction for music major, minor or elective students. Repeatable for credit. Prerequisite: audition or satisfactory completion of four semesters of 276 prior to first enrollment.

COURSE REACTIVATIONS

COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES: Women's Studies

WS 201 Issues in Women's Studies – 3 hours. The content of each course offering will relate to significant basic concepts or issues in Women's Studies. Students may enroll in different offerings of the course for a maximum of 6 hours, with a change in topic. Specific title will be listed when the course is scheduled.

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

BUS 401 Senior Business Experience – 3 hours. The senior business experience combines theory and practice to aid students in synthesizing their functional and foundational areas of learning to manage firms to competitive advantage. The course includes components of cross-functional integration from areas such as entrepreneurship, the learning organization, quality management, and strategic management to provide a framework for diagnosing and resolving organization issues. Prerequisites: 310, 320, 330.

GRADUATE CURRICULUM PROPOSALS

COURSE REVISIONS

COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES: Music

MUS 517 **ISU Chorale – 0-1 hour.** A non-auditioned chorus that studies and performs a wide variety of musical repertoire with emphasis given to vocal development, basic musicianship, and choral style. Vocal placement hearings are held at the beginning of each semester.

Change title to:

MUS 517 **Masterworks Chorale – 0-1 hour.** A non-auditioned chorus that studies and performs a wide variety of musical repertoire with emphasis given to vocal development, basic musicianship, and choral style. Vocal placement hearings are held at the beginning of each semester.

MUS 676 **(A-G; I-T; W-Z) Individual Performance Study – 1-3 hours.** Advanced vocal, instrumental, or vocal/wind conducting instruction for graduate music students or elective students. Repeatable for up to 4 hours of credit on all music degrees except performance, which carries an 8-hour maximum. Prerequisite: audition prior to first enrollment.

Change title to:

MUS 676 **(A-G; I-U; W-Z) Individual Performance Study – 1-3 hours.** Advanced vocal, instrumental, or vocal/wind conducting instruction for graduate music students or elective students. Repeatable for up to 4 hours of credit on all music degrees except performance, which carries an 8-hour maximum. Prerequisite: audition prior to first enrollment.

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COURSE REVISIONS

COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES: Mathematics & Computer Science

MATH 212 **Mathematics of Finance – 3 hours.** Compound interest, annuities, depreciation, valuation, etc..., as used in economics and business.

Change number, title, description, and prerequisites to:

MATH 102 **Quantitative Literacy – 3 hours.** Interpret formulas, graphs, and tables to draw inferences from them. Represent mathematical information symbolically, visually, numerically, and verbally. Use arithmetic, algebraic, geometric, statistical and financial computational methods to solve problems. Determine reasonableness of

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answers and select optimal results. Recognize mathematical and statistical limits of methods. Prerequisite: MATH 011 or equivalent.

COURSE REACTIVATION

COLLEG OF ARTS & SCIENCES: Art

ARTH *475 Baroque and Rococo Art – 3 hours. Baroque style in Italy, Holland, Flanders, Germany, France, England, and Spain. Concentration will be on a particular area or movement and will vary from year to year.

**Course has a graduate level equivalent*

CORRECTIONS

The following is a **correction of the text** that appeared as an **APPROVAL** in the **December 18, 2000** issue of *Academic Notes*. The corrected portion is shown *[in bold-italics within bold italic brackets]*.

NEW COURSES

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS: Organizational – Management Information Systems

MIS 110 Information in the Electronic Age – 3 hours. This course provides a foundation in *[information technology]* necessary for today's business world. An introduction to *[information technology basics, hardware, software, and information retrieval and evaluation]* is provided. The student will be expected to gain skills that will benefit him/her in the business world, such as use of *[e-mail, Internet searching,]* spreadsheets, *[presentation tools, databases,]* and word processors.