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****SPECIAL NOTICES****

FACULTY ATTENDANCE FORM FOR SPRING COMMENCEMENT

All faculty are asked to go to the Academic Affairs Web site and fill out the Faculty Attendance form for Spring Commencement 2006, the form is located at the end of this document, and online at <http://www.indstate.edu/site/acad-aff/2451.html>. After completing the attendance form, click on the submit button, and it will be sent directly to the Office of the Provost. Please complete the attendance form no later than **5 p.m., Wednesday, May 3, 2006**. If you have questions, please contact Donna Royse at x2307.

ACADEMIC APPAREL RENTAL FORM

Faculty members needing to rent academic apparel for Spring 2006 Commencement need to fill out the Academic Apparel Rental Form on the last page of this document, and send it **by April 1, 2006**, to:

**TERRI LAVINDER
ISU BOOKSTORE**

A late fee will be applied after that date to cover additional shipping charges.

ACADEMIC NOTES PUBLICATION SCHEDULE FOR SPRING 2006

Below is the circulation schedule for the electronic copy of *Academic Notes* through May 1, 2006. **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 an E-Mail or a diskette with the same information in Microsoft Word format. Failure to submit a diskette containing this information will delay publication. *Academic Notes* is available using Acrobat Reader at <http://www.indstate.edu/site/acad-aff/2315.html> –.**

ACADEMIC NOTES PUBLICATION SCHEDULE FOR SPRING 2006

Deadline for Items

March 29
April 5
April 12
April 19
April 26

Issue Date

April 3
April 10
April 17
April 24
May 1

THESES, DISSERTATIONS, & RESEARCH PROJECTS

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES: Communication

Chang Wan Woo will defend his thesis, entitled *Internet PR and New Gratifications in Sports: A New Way of Communication Between Sports Organizations and Fans*, at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, March 29, 2006 in Erickson Hall, room 304. The members of his committee are Dr. Debra Worley, chairperson, Dr. David Worley, and Dr. Trevor Hall.

FIELD TRIPS

COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY: Manufacturing and Construction Technology

The Manufacturing and Construction Technology 133, Introduction to Construction Technology and Management class will tour the building site of Wal-Mart on US 46 on Thursday, March 30, 2006 from 11:00-11:50 a.m. The class will be accompanied by their instructor, Mr. Bashar Haddad. A list of students is on file in the MCT Department Chair's Office and also in the Dean's Office.

COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN PERFORMANCE: Recreation and Sport Management

Students in the Recreation and Sport Management 380 class will be going to Columbus, Ohio, March 30-31, 2006, to survey recreation and sport management facilities. Students will leave at 7:00 a.m. on March 30, 2006 and return at 8:00 p.m. on March 31, 2006. Please excuse these students from attending classes on these days and allow them to make up any work you require. The names of students attending will be on file in the department office.

CURRICULUM

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UNDERGRADUATE PROPOSAL

PROGRAM REVISION

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

ENGLISH

ENGLISH TEACHING MAJOR

Summary and Rationale:

Revise the English Teaching major by renumbering the required methods course, from 380 to 486. This renumber reflects the revision of this course as a General Education Capstone Course (CAP) for the English Teaching Major.

Current Catalog Copy:

English Teaching Major (39 semester hours)

This major may be added to the Senior High-Junior High/Middle School Instructional License; its coverage is grades 5-12.

Required: 230--3 hrs.; 236--3 hrs.; 237--3 hrs.; 240--3 hrs.; 250--3 hrs.; 310--3 hrs.; 336--3 hrs.; 340--3 hrs.; 410--3 hrs.; 460--3 hrs.

Electives: 9 hours at the junior-senior level, including specifically 3 hours in American literature, 3 hours in English literature before 1800, and 3 hours in English literature since 1800. All electives must be approved by an advisor in the department.

Required Professional Education: English 380--3 hrs. is required in the Senior High-Junior High/Middle School Professional Education sequence described in the Department of Curriculum, Instruction, and

Media Technology.

UNDERGRADUATE PROPOSAL: English Teaching Major – Continued.

Foreign Language Recommendation: English majors considering graduate work in English should take substantial work in at least one foreign language. French, German, and/or Latin are recommended.

General Education Requirements: English teaching majors must take English 108 and 307 as General Education writing courses.

Note: No course in the English major with a grade of less than C shall be counted toward teacher licensure.

Proposed Catalog Copy:

English Teaching Major (39 semester hours)

This major may be added to the Senior High-Junior High/Middle School Instructional License; its coverage is grades 5-12.

Required: 230--3 hrs.; 236--3 hrs.; 237--3 hrs.; 240--3 hrs.; 250--3 hrs.; 310--3 hrs.; 336--3 hrs.; 340--3 hrs.; 410--3 hrs.; 460--3 hrs.

Electives: 9 hours at the junior-senior level, including specifically 3 hours in American literature, 3 hours in English literature before 1800, and 3 hours in English literature since 1800. All electives must be approved by an advisor in the department.

Required Professional Education: English 486--3 hrs; 402--1 hr. are required in the Senior High-Junior High/Middle School Professional Education sequence described in the Department of Curriculum, Instruction, and Media Technology.

Foreign Language Recommendation: English majors considering graduate work in English should take substantial work in at least one foreign language. French, German, and/or Latin are recommended.

General Education Requirements: English teaching majors must take English 108 and 307 as General Education writing courses, and English 486 which fulfills the General Education Capstone course requirement.

Note: No course in the English major with a grade of less than C shall be counted toward teacher licensure.

Preferred Effective Term: Summer I 2006

UNDERGRADUATE APPROVALS

NEW COURSES

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES: English

ENG 227 Writing Creative Nonfiction--3 hours. A workshop course for beginning writers of creative nonfiction.

Preferred Effective Term: Summer I 2006

ENG 327 Creative Nonfiction Workshop--3 hours. A workshop course for writers of creative nonfiction. May be repeated once for credit. Prerequisite: 227 or consent of instructor.

Preferred Effective Term: Summer I 2006

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS: Analytical

ACCT 315 Introduction to Fraud Accounting--3 hours. A continuation of accounting principles I. Topics covered include: (1) the accounting cycle with emphasis on a business simulation that prepares the firm's financial statements, (2) accounting information systems, (3) foundations of internal control systems, and (4) financial statement analysis, including ratio, vertical and horizontal analysis with an emphasis on identifying changes in the financial statements that could indicate fraud. Not open to students with credit in ACCT 301. Prerequisites: Business 201 or consent of department chairperson.

Preferred Effective Term: Summer I 2006

ACCT 350 Fraud Examination I--3 hours. The purpose of this course is to: (1) educate the student about both the pervasiveness of the causes of fraud and white-collar crime in our society, (2) explore, in detail, methods of fraud detection, investigation, and prevention, and (3) increase the student's ability to detect material financial statement fraud. Prerequisite: Accounting 315 or Accounting 301 or permission of department chairperson.

Preferred Effective Term: Summer I 2006

ACCT 450 Fraud Examination II--3 hours. This course is a continuation of Accounting 350 (Fraud Examination I) and will increase the student's ability to better understand what occupational fraud is and how it is committed, prevented, and resolved. This course is concerned with examining the three main categories of occupational fraud: (1) asset misappropriation, (2) corruption, and (3) the issuance of misleading financial statements. During the semester, students will learn various prevention, detection, and investigation strategies used in fighting fraud. Prerequisite: Accounting 350 or Accounting 499 (taken as Fraud Examination I)

Preferred Effective Term: Summer I 2006

COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN PERFORMANCE: Recreation and Sport Management

RCSM 330 Survey of Motorsports--3 hours. An exploration of racing on land, on water, and in the air. Current rules, history, regulations, and media attention are included. Emphasis is placed on popular modes of motor racing in Indiana. Prerequisite: Sophomore standing or consent of instructor.

Preferred Effective Term: Fall 2006

COURSE REVISIONS

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES: Physics

PHYS 311 Analytical Mechanics II--2 hours. A continuation of 310. This course will culminate in the Lagrangian and Hamiltonian methods of mechanics. Prerequisite: 310.

Change credit hours to:

PHYS 311 Analytical Mechanics II--3 hours. A continuation of 310. This course will culminate in the Lagrangian and Hamiltonian methods of mechanics. Prerequisite: 310.

Preferred Effective Term: Fall 2006

PHYS 342 Electricity and Magnetism II--2 hours. A continuation of 341 that takes up Maxwell's equations, the propagation of electromagnetic waves, and elementary radiation. Prerequisite: 341.

Change credit hours to:

PHYS 342 Electricity and Magnetism II--3 hours. A continuation of 341 that takes up Maxwell's equations, the propagation of electromagnetic waves, and elementary radiation. Prerequisite: 341.

Preferred Effective Term: Fall 2006

PHYS 356 Computational Physics--2 hours. Numerical analysis techniques used in physics, with special emphasis on digital electronics, computers, and microprocessors. Computer methods of solving the equations of physics. Simulation Laboratory is included.

Change description, credit hours, and prerequisites to:

PHYS 356 Computational Physics--3 hours. Modern science relies on computers to solve problems and advance our understanding of complex physical systems. This course provides an experiential introduction to numerical algorithms, simulation, data analysis, and the use of common scientific software. Prerequisites: CS 256 and PHYS 206.

Preferred Effective Term: Fall 2006

COURSE REACTIVATIONS

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES: Ecology and Organismal Biology

LIFS 432 **Vertebrate Physiology**--3 hours. The function of the various vertebrate organ systems with emphasis on functions as related to the adaptation and survival of organisms in their natural environments. Prerequisites: 330; Chemistry 352, 352L; successful completion of or concurrent enrollment in 432L. Offered: fall.

Change prefix and prerequisites to:

ECOL 432 **Vertebrate Physiology**--3 hours. The function of the various vertebrate organ systems with emphasis on functions as related to the adaptation and survival of organisms in their natural environments. Prerequisites: 330; Chemistry 352, 352L. Offered: fall.

Preferred Effective Term: Fall 2006

COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN PERFORMANCE: Recreation and Sport Management

RCSM 460 **Organization and Administration of Camping**--3 hours. Organization and structure; personnel, program, site development; business management; food management; health and safety; public relations; committees; and evaluation in the modern camp. Prerequisite: 265.

Preferred Effective Term: Fall 2006

FACULTY ACADEMIC APPAREL ORDER AND ATTENDANCE FORMS

1. Please provide the following information concerning your plans for the Commencement so that, if attending, you can be included in the lineup.
2. To order faculty academic apparel, fill out the faculty academic apparel order form on the next page and send to Terry Lavinder, ISU Bookstore by April 1, 2006.

Attendance Form

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I shall participate in Commencement _____

I shall NOT participate in Commencement _____

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Rank: _____

Year(s) Of Service at ISU: _____

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 Degree _____

Name and Location of Institution from Which I Received the Degree:

Institution: _____
 City / State _____

Hood Color (if known) _____
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Phone # _____

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I will require cap, gown, and hood _____
 I will require hood only _____
 I will require cap and gown only _____

<u>Doctor Regalia:</u>		Tax	Total
Cap, gown and hood	\$62.96	\$3.78	\$66.74
Cap and gown only	\$33.96	\$2.04	\$36.00
Hood only	\$27.98	\$1.68	\$29.66
<u>Master Regalia:</u>			
Cap, gown and hood	\$50.96	\$3.06	\$54.02
Cap and gown only	\$21.98	\$1.32	\$23.30
Hood only	\$20.98	\$1.26	\$22.24
<u>Bachelor Regalia:</u>			
Cap, gown and hood	\$46.96	\$2.82	\$49.78
Cap and gown only	\$23.98	\$1.44	\$25.42
Hood only	\$22.98	\$1.38	\$24.36
Cap and tassel only	\$ 6.98	\$0.42	\$7.40

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 April 1, 2006 *

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