

WASHBURN
UNIVERSITY
COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

CAS General Faculty Meeting
January 16, 2024, 3:30 PM (socializing begins at 3 PM)
Convocation Hall, Bradbury Thompson Alumni Center

- I. Call to Order
- II. Approval of Minutes from October 18, 2023 CAS General Faculty Meeting
- III. Old Business—none
- IV. New Business
 - a. Curricular Proposals
 - i. CAS Degree Change Proposals
 - 1. Natural Science Concentration Hours Change to BS Degrees
 - ii. Program Changes
 - 1. Associate of Arts in Computer Information Sciences
 - 2. Bachelor of Arts in Computer Information Sciences
 - 3. Bachelor of Arts in Computer Information Sciences with Digital Forensics Concentration
 - 4. Bachelor of Science in Computer Information Sciences
 - 5. Bachelor of Science in Computer Information Sciences with Data Science Concentration
 - 6. Bachelor of Arts in English, Creative Writing Emphasis
 - 7. Bachelor of Arts in Religious Studies
- V. Discussion & Updates
- VI. Additional discussion/questions from CAS Faculty
- VII. Announcements
 - a. Jan. 19: Deadline for Sweet Sabbatical applications
 - b. Call for CAS Faculty to teach TX 200 and TX 301 in Fall 2024—apply by February 19
 - c. Feb. 7 @ 3 PM: CAS Faculty Meeting, Convocation Hall, BTAC
 - d. Feb. 23-24, March 1-3: Brothers of the Dust play 7:30 p.m. (2 p.m. March 3)
 - e. March 5 @ 3 PM: CAS Faculty Meeting, Convocation Hall, BTAC
 - f. March 5: Thomas King Lecture in Religious Studies, 7 p.m., Washburn A



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- g. 2024 WUmester topic is *Community and Belonging*. Please consider how you can incorporate the WUmester topic into your spring courses.
- h. Add the CAS calendar to your Outlook view by choosing casmonthly. If you have any problems gaining access, email our Office 365 administrator at casey.matthews@washburn.edu.

CAS Faculty Meeting

10-18-23, 3:30 PM

Bradbury Thompson Alumni Center, Convocation Hall

- I. **Call to Order.** Dr. Erby called the meeting to order at 3:38 PM.

- II. **Approval of Minutes.** A motion was made and seconded to approve the minutes of the 09/12/23 meeting. These minutes were unanimously approved by a voice vote.

- III. **New Business.**
 - a) Dr. Erby opened discussion about the adoption of WU101 as a degree requirement. A motion was made and seconded to pass this item. The item was approved by a majority vote.

 - b) A motion was made and seconded to approve an EN3XX upper division writing course as a degree requirement. The item was approved unanimously.

 - c) A motion was made and seconded to approve the program change for the BA in Public Admin. The item was approved unanimously.

 - d) A motion was made and seconded to approve changes to the minor in public admin. The rationale for this change was explained by Bob Beatty and Bill Fiander. The item was approved unanimously.

 - e) A motion was made and seconded to approve the change to the English Literature emphasis. The item was approved unanimously.

 - f) A motion was made and seconded to approve the changes to the BA in Philosophy. Ian Smith explained rationale for proposed changes. The item was approved unanimously.

- IV. **Updates.** Dr Erby shared about the Henderson renovation. An architect has been engaged. This will be a phased renovation, where the building will be in use while being renovated. There will be many opportunities for CAS input on the design. Nov 16th and 17th will be open sessions for faculty input, and there will also be a survey of faculty and students. A question was discussed about recent remodels and how that will enter into process. Another question was posed about the movement of CAS Deans office to Henderson and the rationale for that change. This appears to be a likely move.
Dr. Erby shared an update on the provost search. Final candidates will be brought to campus in December and faculty will have a chance to interact with them. The plan is to hire someone before winter break and the new provost would either start in spring or by June 1st, at their discretion.

A question was asked about interdisciplinary minor compared to a department minor. There is a specific concern about number of upper division hours versus interdisciplinary minor. This may require a catalog change. These discussions should happen in early spring.

- V. **Announcements.** Various faculty announced upcoming events. A new faculty member in Physics was introduced.
- VI. **Adjournment.** Meeting was adjourned at 4:09 PM.

Submitted by: Matt Arterburn

Miscellaneous Change Request

New Proposal

Date Submitted: 10/26/23 10:23 pm

Viewing: **Natural Science Concentration Hours Change to Bachelor of Science Degrees**

Last edit: 10/26/23 10:23 pm

Changes proposed by: Andrew Herbig (andrew.herbig)

Request Type Policy Request or Change

Title

Natural Science Concentration Hours Change to Bachelor of Science Degrees

Request Details

In Workflow

1. NSM Chair
2. CA Dean
3. CFCCC Chair
4. Assoc Dean CFC
5. CA Assoc Dean
6. Final Acad Ops
7. Registrar

Approval Path

1. 10/27/23 11:51 am
Andrew Herbig
(andrew.herbig):
Approved for NSM
Chair
2. 10/27/23 4:54 pm
Kelly Erby
(kelly.erby):
Approved for CA
Dean
3. 11/14/23 12:32 pm
Bruce Mactavish
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Decrease the Natural Sciences concentration requirement for Bachelor of Science degrees from 20 hours in one department to 15 hours.

The main rationale is a student-centered one that provides more flexibility in taking a variety of courses in the students' interest and/or career goals. Primarily, dropping the hours from 20 to 15 hours in one department provides students an opportunity to take a greater variety of science courses for their NS concentration. For example, most B.S. biology students take 20 hours of chemistry, but their future goals might not need them to have 20 hours of chemistry. Thus, they would benefit by taking a course or two from another science discipline that would help them after graduation. For example, they might choose to take a CM course in computer programming or another MA or PS course. The change is also likely to help students "double-dip" credit hours with some of the new interdisciplinary minors, especially the bioinformatics minor that is currently being developed.

It should be noted that both the departments of SO/AN and KN have stated that this change will not affect them.

Supporting Documents [Bachelor of Science Degree proposal 20 to 15 catalog change.pdf](#)

Reviewer

Comments

Key: 15

Program Change Request

Date Submitted: 09/19/23 2:57 pm

Viewing: **CM-AA : CM/Comp Info Science: AA**

Last approved: 05/03/23 4:37 pm

Last edit: 09/19/23 2:57 pm

Changes proposed by: Nan Sun (nan.sun)

Catalog Pages

Using this

Program

[AA, Computer Information Science](#)

Change Type

Significant

Summarize

Changes and

Include Rationale

In Workflow

1. Acad Ops
2. CM Chair
3. Library
4. NSM Chair
5. CA Dean
6. CFCCC Chair
7. Assoc Dean CFC
8. CA Assoc Dean
9. Governance Check
10. AA Committee
11. Faculty Senate
12. General Faculty
13. WUBOR
14. Final Acad Ops
15. Registrar

Approval Path

1. 09/20/23 10:07 am
Beth ONeill
(beth.oneill):
Approved for Acad Ops
2. 09/20/23 10:43 am
Nan Sun
(nan.sun):
Approved for CM

- Chair
3. 09/20/23 11:07 am
Sean Bird
(sean.bird):
Approved for
Library
 4. 10/02/23 10:39
am
Andrew Herbig
(andrew.herbig):
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Chair
 5. 10/02/23 4:52 pm
Kelly Erby
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History

1. Apr 21, 2022 by
clmig-jwillgig
2. Jul 15, 2022 by
Steve Luoma
(steven.luoma)

3. Sep 30, 2022 by Holly Broxterman (holly.broxterman)
4. Apr 19, 2023 by Holly Broxterman (holly.broxterman)
5. May 3, 2023 by Holly Broxterman (holly.broxterman)

To conform to the new general education requirements and to ensure the program is close to 60 total hours.

General Information

| | |
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| Effective Catalog Edition | 2024-2025 |
| Department | Computer Information Sciences |
| College | College of Arts and Sciences |
| Division | Natural Science & Mathematics |
| Degree Level | Undergraduate |
| Program Title | CM/Comp Info Science: AA |
| Degree to be Offered | Associate of Arts (AA) |
| Is this program offered completely online? | <u>No</u> |
| Does this program lead to a teaching | No |

certification?

Is this program an interdisciplinary program? No

CIP Code [11.0101](#) - [11.0101](#)

Admission and Curriculum

Admission Criteria

Total Number of Semester Credit Hours for the Degree [66](#)

Curriculum

Degree Requirements

Computer Information Science Required

| | | |
|------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|---|
| CM 111 | Introduction to Structured Programming | 4 |
| CM 231 | Computer Organization/Assembler Language | 3 |
| CM 245 | Contemporary Programming Methods | 3 |
| CM 261 | Networked Systems | 3 |
| Select one of the following: | | 3 |
| CM 307 | Data Structures & Algorithmic Analysis | |
| CM 335 | Advanced Application Programming & Design | |
| CM 361 | Introduction to Cybersecurity | |
| CM 322 | Operating Systems | |

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|-----------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|--------------|
| <u>CM 330</u> | <u>Web Development II</u> | |
| <u>CM 334</u> | <u>Modeling with VBA/Excel</u> | |
| Subtotal | | 16 |
| Computer Information Science Electives | | |
| Any CM elective | | 3 |
| Upper Division CM elective | | 3 |
| Subtotal | | 6 |
| Correlated Courses | | |
| EC 200 | Principles of Microeconomics | 3 |
| EC 201 | Principles of Macroeconomics | 3 |
| <u>MA 140</u> | Statistics | 3 |
| <u>MA 206</u> | Discrete Mathematics for Computing | 3 |
| EN 150 | Public Speaking | 3 |
| EN 208 | Professional Writing | 3 |
| Subtotal | | 6 |
| Total Hours | | 28 |

Students must also meet the Associate of Arts University Requirements.

Pathway

Faculty Workload Analysis (describe how the course offering schedule and anticipated enrollments correlate to faculty lines)

Supplemental
Files

Reviewer

Comments

Key: 33

Program Change Request

Date Submitted: 10/02/23 10:17 am

Viewing: **CM-BA : CM/Comp Info Science: BA**

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Last edit: 10/02/23 10:17 am

Changes proposed by: Nan Sun (nan.sun)

Catalog Pages

Using this

Program

[BA, Computer Information Science](#)

Change Type

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7. May 3, 2023 by Holly Broxterman (holly.broxterman)
8. May 9, 2023 by Holly Broxterman (holly.broxterman)

To conform to the new general education requirements and to ensure the program does not exceed 120 total hours.

General Information

| | |
|--------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Effective Catalog Edition | 2024-2025 |
| Department | Computer Information Sciences |
| College | College of Arts and Sciences |
| Division | Natural Science & Mathematics |
| Degree Level | Undergraduate |
| Program Title | CM/Comp Info Science: BA |
| Degree to be Offered | Bachelor of Arts (BA) |
| Is this program offered completely online? | <u>No</u> |

Does this program lead to a teaching certification? No

Is this program an interdisciplinary program? No

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Admission and Curriculum

Admission Criteria

Total Number of Semester Credit Hours for the Degree

Curriculum

Degree Requirements

Computer Information Science Core

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| <u>CM 111</u> | Introduction to Structured Programming | 4 |
| <u>CM 231</u> | Computer Organization/Assembler Language | 3 |
| <u>CM 245</u> | Contemporary Programming Methods | 3 |
| <u>CM 261</u> | Networked Systems | 3 |
| Subtotal | | 13 |

Computer Information Science Required

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| <u>CM 307</u> | Data Structures & Algorithmic Analysis | 3 |
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| <u>CM 322</u> | Operating Systems | 3 |
| <u>CM 331</u> | Artificial Intelligence | 3 |
| or <u>CM 332</u> | Data Mining | |
| <u>CM 333</u> | Software Engineering | 3 |
| <u>CM 336</u> | Database Management Systems | 3 |
| <u>CM 361</u> | Introduction to Cybersecurity | 3 |
| <u>CM 465</u> | Computer Information Science Capstone Project | 3 |
| Subtotal | | 21 |
| Computer Information Science Electives | | |
| Upper Division CM electives | | 6 |
| Subtotal | | 6 |
| Correlated Courses | | |
| <u>BU 342</u> | Organization & Management | 3 |
| or <u>BU 346</u> | Organizational Behavior | |
| <u>EN 208</u> | Professional Writing | 3 |
| <u>CN 150</u> | Public Speaking | 3 |
| <u>CN 340</u> | Interviewing | 3 |
| or <u>CN 341</u> | Persuasive Speaking | |
| or <u>CN 342</u> | Communication-Teams and Groups | |
| <u>EC 200</u> | Principles of Microeconomics | 3 |
| <u>EC 201</u> | Principles of Macroeconomics | 3 |
| <u>MA 140</u> | Statistics | 3 |
| <u>MA 141</u> | Applied Calculus I | 3-5 |
| or <u>MA 151</u> | Calculus & Analytic Geometry I | |
| <u>MA 206</u> | Discrete Mathematics for Computing | 3 |

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| <u>PH 220</u> | Symbolic Logic | 3 |
| Subtotal | | 24-26 |
| Total Hours | | 64-66 |

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Pathway

Faculty Workload Analysis (describe how the course offering schedule and anticipated enrollments correlate to faculty lines)

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Reviewer
Comments

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Program Change Request

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Changes proposed by: Nan Sun (nan.sun)

Catalog Pages

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Program

[BA, Computer Information Science with Digital Forensics Concentration](#)

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Approval Path

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Andrew Herbig
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| Division | Natural Science & Mathematics |
| Degree Level | Undergraduate |
| Program Title | CM/Digital Forensics: BA |
| Degree to be Offered | Bachelor of Arts (BA) |
| Is this program offered completely online? | |
| Does this program lead to a teaching | No |

certification?

Is this program an interdisciplinary program? No

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Admission and Curriculum

Admission Criteria

Total Number of Semester Credit Hours for the Degree

Curriculum

Degree Requirements

Computer Information Science Core

| | | |
|------------------------|------------------------------------------|----|
| CM 111 | Introduction to Structured Programming | 4 |
| CM 203 | Digital Forensics I | 3 |
| CM 231 | Computer Organization/Assembler Language | 3 |
| CM 245 | Contemporary Programming Methods | 3 |
| CM 261 | Networked Systems | 3 |
| Subtotal | | 16 |

Computer Information Science Required

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|------------------------|----------------------------------------|---|
| CM 303 | Digital Forensics II | 3 |
| CM 307 | Data Structures & Algorithmic Analysis | 3 |

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|-----------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| <u>CM 322</u> | Operating Systems | 3 |
| <u>CM 331</u> | Artificial Intelligence | 3 |
| or <u>CM 332</u> | Data Mining | |
| <u>CM 361</u> | Introduction to Cybersecurity | 3 |
| <u>CM 465</u> | Computer Information Science Capstone Project | 3 |
| Subtotal | | 18 |
| Computer Information Science Electives | | |
| Upper Division CM electives | | 6 |
| Subtotal | | 6 |
| Correlated Courses | | |
| <u>AN 118</u> | Introduction to Forensic Science | 3 |
| or <u>CJ 115</u> | Introduction to Forensic Investigations | |
| <u>PY 100</u> | Basic Concepts in Psychology | 3 |
| <u>EN 208</u> | Professional Writing | 3 |
| <u>CJ 325</u> | <u>Applied Criminology</u> | <u>3</u> |
| or <u>CJ 371</u> | <u>Intro to Forensic Photography</u> | |
| or <u>CJ 374</u> | <u>Intro to 3-D Scanner</u> | |
| <u>CN 340</u> | Interviewing | 3 |
| or <u>CN 341</u> | Persuasive Speaking | |
| or <u>CN 342</u> | Communication-Teams and Groups | |
| <u>MA 140</u> | Statistics | 3 |
| <u>MA 141</u> | Applied Calculus I | 3-5 |
| or <u>MA 151</u> | Calculus & Analytic Geometry I | |
| <u>MA 206</u> | Discrete Mathematics for Computing | 3 |
| <u>PH 220</u> | Symbolic Logic | 3 |

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| CN-150 | Public Speaking | 3 |
| Subtotal | | 21-23 |
| Total Hours | | 61-63 |

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Pathway

Faculty Workload Analysis (describe how the course offering schedule and anticipated enrollments correlate to faculty lines)

Supplemental Files

Reviewer Comments

Program Change Request

Date Submitted: 10/02/23 10:16 am

Viewing: **CM : CM/Comp Info Science: BS**

Last approved: 05/04/23 4:10 pm

Last edit: 10/02/23 10:16 am

Changes proposed by: Nan Sun (nan.sun)

Catalog Pages

Using this

Program

[BS, Computer Information Science](#)

Change Type

[Significant](#)

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| Does this program lead to a teaching certification? | No |
| Is this program an | No |

interdisciplinary
program?

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Admission and Curriculum

Admission Criteria

Total Number of
Semester Credit
Hours for the
Degree

Curriculum

Degree Requirements

Computer Information Science Core

| | | |
|------------------------|------------------------------------------|----|
| CM 111 | Introduction to Structured Programming | 4 |
| CM 231 | Computer Organization/Assembler Language | 3 |
| CM 245 | Contemporary Programming Methods | 3 |
| CM 261 | Networked Systems | 3 |
| Subtotal | | 13 |

Computer Information Science Required

| | | |
|---------------------------|----------------------------------------|---|
| CM 307 | Data Structures & Algorithmic Analysis | 3 |
| CM 322 | Operating Systems | 3 |
| CM 331 | Artificial Intelligence | 3 |
| or CM 332 | Data Mining | |
| CM 333 | Software Engineering | 3 |

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|-----------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|--------------|
| <u>CM 336</u> | Database Management Systems | 3 |
| <u>CM 361</u> | Introduction to Cybersecurity | 3 |
| <u>CM 465</u> | Computer Information Science Capstone Project | 3 |
| Subtotal | | 21 |
| Computer Information Science Electives | | |
| Any CM electives | | 6 |
| Upper Division CM electives | | 6 |
| Subtotal | | 12 |
| Correlated Courses | | |
| <u>BU 342</u> | Organization & Management | 3 |
| or <u>BU 346</u> | Organizational Behavior | |
| EN 208 | Professional Writing | 3 |
| CN 150 | Public Speaking | 3 |
| <u>CN 340</u> | Interviewing | 3 |
| or <u>CN 341</u> | Persuasive Speaking | |
| or <u>CN 342</u> | Communication-Teams and Groups | |
| <u>EC 200</u> | Principles of Microeconomics | 3 |
| or <u>EC 201</u> | Principles of Macroeconomics | |
| EC 201 | Principles of Macroeconomics | 3 |
| <u>MA 140</u> | Statistics | 3 |
| <u>MA 151</u> | Calculus & Analytic Geometry I | 5 |
| <u>MA 206</u> | Discrete Mathematics for Computing | 3 |
| <u>PH 220</u> | Symbolic Logic | 3 |
| Subtotal | | 23 |
| Total Hours | | 69 |

Students must also meet the Bachelor of Science University Requirements. A 30-hour concentration in the Division of Natural Sciences and Mathematics is required. If the concentration is in Math, the student must take [MA 152](#) Calculus & Analytic Geometry II. At least 20 of these hours must be selected from one discipline. At least 3 hours must be upper division. Transfer students must complete at least nine upper division hours in Computer Information Sciences from Washburn University.

Pathway

Faculty Workload Analysis (describe how the course offering schedule and anticipated enrollments correlate to faculty lines)

Supplemental
Files

Reviewer
Comments

Key: 32

Program Change Request

Date Submitted: 10/02/23 10:17 am

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Science BS

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Changes proposed by: Nan Sun (nan.sun)

Catalog Pages

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[BS, Computer Information Science with Data Science Concentration](#)

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Chair
4. 10/02/23 4:52 pm
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Approved for CA
Dean
5. 12/03/23 3:03 pm
Bruce Mactavish
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Approved for
CFCCC Chair
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Assoc Dean CFC

History

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To conform to the new general education requirements and to ensure the program is close to 120 total hours.

General Information

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|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|
| Effective Catalog Edition | 2024-2025 |
| Department | Computer Information Sciences |
| College | College of Arts and Sciences |
| Division | Natural Science & Mathematics |
| Degree Level | Undergraduate |
| Program Title | CM: Data <u>Science</u> : Science <u>BS</u> |
| Degree to be Offered | Bachelor of Science (BS) |
| Is this program offered completely online? | <u>No</u> |
| Does this program lead to a teaching | No |

certification?

Is this program an interdisciplinary program? No

CIP Code [11.0101](#) - [11.0101](#)

Admission and Curriculum

Admission Criteria

Total Number of Semester Credit Hours for the Degree

Curriculum

Degree Requirements

Computer Information Science Core

| | | |
|------------------------|------------------------------------------|----|
| CM 111 | Introduction to Structured Programming | 4 |
| CM 231 | Computer Organization/Assembler Language | 3 |
| CM 245 | Contemporary Programming Methods | 3 |
| CM 261 | Networked Systems | 3 |
| Subtotal | | 13 |

Computer Information Science Required

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|------------------------|----------------------------------------|---|
| CM 307 | Data Structures & Algorithmic Analysis | 3 |
| CM 322 | Operating Systems | 3 |
| CM 331 | Artificial Intelligence | 3 |

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|-----------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| or <u>CM 332</u> | Data Mining | |
| <u>CM 333</u> | Software Engineering | 3 |
| <u>CM 334</u> | Modeling with VBA/Excel | 3 |
| <u>CM 336</u> | Database Management Systems | 3 |
| <u>CM 465</u> | Computer Information Science Capstone Project | 3 |
| Subtotal | | 21 |
| Computer Information Science Electives | | |
| Any CM electives | | 6 |
| Upper Division CM electives | | 6 |
| Subtotal | | 12 |
| Correlated Courses | | |
| <u>BU 342</u> | Organization & Management | 3 |
| or <u>BU 346</u> | Organizational Behavior | |
| EN 208 | Professional Writing | 3 |
| CN 150 | Public Speaking | 3 |
| <u>CN 340</u> | Interviewing | 3 |
| or <u>CN 341</u> | Persuasive Speaking | |
| or <u>CN 342</u> | Communication-Teams and Groups | |
| <u>EC 200</u> | Principles of Microeconomics | 3 |
| or <u>EC 201</u> | Principles of Macroeconomics | |
| EC 201 | Principles of Macroeconomics | 3 |
| <u>MA 140</u> | Statistics | 3 |
| <u>MA 151</u> | Calculus & Analytic Geometry I | 5 |
| MA 152 | Calculus & Analytic Geometry II | 5 |
| <u>MA 206</u> | Discrete Mathematics for Computing | 3 |

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|---------------------------|---------------------------|----|
| MA 301 | Linear Algebra | 3 |
| MA 346 | Regression Analysis | 3 |
| or MA 342 | Statistical Computing | |
| MA 384 | Theory of Interest | 3 |
| or MA 344 | Mathematical Statistics I | |
| PH 220 | Symbolic Logic | 3 |
| Subtotal | | 32 |
| Total Hours | | 78 |

Students must also meet the Bachelor of Science University Requirements. A 30-hour concentration in the Division of Natural Sciences and Mathematics is required. If the concentration is in Math, the student must take [MA 152](#) Calculus & Analytic Geometry II. At least 20 of these hours must be selected from one discipline. Transfer students must complete at least nine upper division hours in computer information sciences from Washburn University.

Pathway

Faculty Workload Analysis (describe how the course offering schedule and anticipated enrollments correlate to faculty lines)

Supplemental
Files

Reviewer
Comments

Program Change Request

Date Submitted: 09/05/23 9:59 am

Viewing: **EN-CW : Creative Writing**

Last approved: 10/07/22 10:30 am

Last edit: 09/08/23 10:15 am

Changes proposed by: Melanie Burdick (melanie.burdick)

Catalog Pages

Using this

Program

[Creative Writing, BA](#)

Change Type

Significant

Summarize

Changes and

Include Rationale

In Workflow

1. Acad Ops
2. EN Chair
3. Library
4. HUM Chair
5. CA Dean
6. CFCCC Chair
7. Assoc Dean CFC
8. CA Assoc Dean
9. Governance
Check
10. AA Committee
11. Faculty Senate
12. General Faculty
13. WUBOR
14. Final Acad Ops
15. Registrar

Approval Path

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Ops
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Chair

3. 09/05/23 11:26 am
Sean Bird
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Library
4. 09/21/23 4:47 pm
Ian Smith1
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Approved for HUM
Chair
5. 09/25/23 9:00 pm
Kelly Erby
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Dean
6. 10/03/23 9:41 am
Bruce Mactavish
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Approved for
CFCCC Chair
7. 10/04/23 9:44 pm
Maria Stover
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Approved for
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8. 10/05/23 7:38 am
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Approved for CA
Assoc Dean
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Rollback to Assoc

Dean CFC for
Governance
Check

10. 11/21/23 11:15 am
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History

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Due to the new general education requirements, students will now be required to complete a minor, certificate, or additional major. This will replace the general education credit hours that are no longer required, and it will allow students to choose a complementary area of study.

((Holly 9/8/23: Completed revisions according to new standardization approved by Deans and Provost Office))

General Information

| | |
|---------------------------|------------------------------|
| Effective Catalog Edition | 2024-2025 |
| Department | English |
| College | College of Arts and Sciences |
| Division | Humanities |
| Degree Level | Undergraduate |

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|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Program Title | Creative Writing |
| Degree to be Offered | Bachelor of Arts (BA) |
| Is this program offered completely online? | <u>No</u> |
| Does this program lead to a teaching certification? | No |
| Is this program an interdisciplinary program? | No |
| CIP Code | <u>231302 - Creative Writing.</u> |

Admission and Curriculum

Admission Criteria

Total Number of Semester Credit Hours for the Degree

Curriculum

Degree Requirements

In addition to the requirements stated below, students must complete 34-35 hours of General Education, all requirements for a Bachelor of Arts degree, and any additional hours needed to reach the 120 credit hours required for graduation.

In addition, all English (BA) majors must complete a complementary minor, certificate, or additional major; students must declare this with the department that grants it.

Required Courses Inside Department

| | | |
|-----------------|--------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| <u>EN 105</u> | Introduction to English Studies | 3 |
| <u>EN 206</u> | Beginning Poetry Writing | 3 |
| <u>EN 207</u> | Beginning Nonfiction Writing | 3 |
| <u>EN 209</u> | Beginning Fiction Writing | 3 |
| <u>EN 301</u> | Literary Criticism & Theory | 3 |
| <u>EN 310</u> | English Grammar/Linguistics | 3 |
| <u>EN 315</u> | Reading as Writers | 3 |
| <u>EN 384</u> | Publishing Lab (the capstone for writing majors) | 3 |
| Subtotal | | 24 |

~~Additional Courses~~

Select two of the following: 6

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|---------------|-----------------------------|--|
| <u>EN 305</u> | Advanced Fiction Writing | |
| <u>EN 306</u> | Advanced Poetry Writing | |
| <u>EN 307</u> | Advanced Nonfiction Writing | |

Select three of the following (at least one from each area): 9

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|---------------------|----------------------------------|--|
| British Literature | | |
| <u>EN 325</u> | British Lit through 1785 | |
| <u>EN 326</u> | British Literature since 1785 | |
| American Literature | | |
| <u>EN 330</u> | American Literature through 1865 | |
| <u>EN 331</u> | American Literature since 1865 | |
| World Literature | | |

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|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------|
| <u>EN 360</u> | World Literature through 1650 | |
| <u>EN 361</u> | World Literature since 1650 | |
| One writing or literature correlate course from outside the major ¹ | | 3 |
| Subtotal | | 18 |
| Total Hours | | 42 |

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Chose in consultation with advisor and department chair

~~Degree Requirements Thirty-nine total English hours required, including core requirements, but excluding EN 101 First Year Writing and EN 300 Advanced College Writing. The Creative Writing emphasis major's field program should look as follows:~~

Pathway

Faculty Workload Analysis (describe how the course offering schedule and anticipated enrollments correlate to faculty lines)

They do not. The requirement is for additional coursework mainly outside the department.

Supplemental
Files

Reviewer
Comments

Beth O'Neill (beth.oneill) (10/05/23 12:18 pm): Rollback: Approval completed in error.

Key: 345

Program Change Request

Date Submitted: 09/12/23 1:16 pm

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Last approved: 01/24/23 3:14 pm

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Changes proposed by: Ian Smith1 (ian.smith1)

Catalog Pages

Using this

Program

Religious Studies, BA

Change Type

Significant

Summarize

Changes and

Include Rationale

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15. Final Acad Ops
16. Registrar

Approval Path

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PHRG Chair
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Rationale for minor, certificate, or second major requirement: Graduates in liberal arts disciplines should be well-rounded, and that requires depth as well as breadth. Disciplines across the University, and especially within the College, should actively support one another by requiring their students to explore outside of their majors. The reduction in general education requirements means that students will have more opportunity to explore disciplines outside of their majors, and we think that their exploration will be more fruitful if they do that within particular disciplinary structures. More to the point, we are committed to positioning our graduates to be successful on the job market, and we believe that having distinct minors, double majors, and certificates will be more beneficial to them.

((Holly 9/12/23: Completed revisions according to new standardization approved by Deans and Provost Office))

General Information

Effective Catalog 2024-2025
Edition

| | |
|-----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Department | <u>Philosophy & Religious Studies</u> Philosophy |
| College | College of Arts and Sciences |
| Division | Humanities |
| Degree Level | Undergraduate |
| Program Title | <u>Religious Studies</u> Religion |
| Degree to be Offered | Bachelor of Arts (BA) |
| Is this program offered completely online? | <u>No</u> |
| Does this program lead to a teaching certification? | No |
| Is this program an interdisciplinary program? | No |
| CIP Code | <u>380201 - Religion/Religious Studies.</u> |

Admission and Curriculum

Admission Criteria

Total Number of Semester Credit Hours for the Degree

Curriculum

Degree Requirements

In addition to the requirements stated below, students must complete 34-35 hours of General Education, all requirements for a Bachelor of Arts degree, and any additional hours needed to reach the minimum 120 credit hours required for graduation. Some of the courses below may also fulfill general education or other degree requirements. Please see your advisor for more information. In addition, all Religious Studies majors must declare and then meet the requirements for a minor, a second major, or a certificate in order to graduate.

Required Courses Inside Department

| | | |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| RG 101 | Introduction to the Study of Religion | 3 |
| RG 102 | World Religions | 3 |
| RG 331 | Understanding Religion | 3 |
| RG 398 | Capstone Preparation | 3 |
| RG 399 | Religious Studies Capstone | 3 |
| Choose one of the following: | | 3 |
| PH 100 | Introduction to Philosophy | |
| PH 201 | Corrupting the Youth: Ancient Greek Philosophy | |
| PH 203 | Introduction to Buddhist Philosophy | |
| PH 207 | Existence of God | |
| PH 301 | I think therefore I am? Modern Philosophy 1600-1800 | 3 |
| Subtotal | | 24 |
| Subtotal | | 0 |

Additional Required Courses

| | | |
|----------------------------------------|--|-----------|
| Select additional courses ¹ | | 12 |
| Subtotal | | 12 |

~~Correlated Courses~~

Total Hours

33

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At least nine must be RG and at least nine must be upper division courses. *External courses require advisor's prior approval.*

~~Degree Requirements~~

Pathway

Faculty Workload Analysis (describe how the course offering schedule and anticipated enrollments correlate to faculty lines)

N/A

Supplemental
Files

Reviewer
Comments

Key: 180