

INFORMATION SHEET

The following information is provided in connection with recent actions taken by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board and reported to your institution in a letter from Rex Peebles dated April 22, 2018.

ACTION: UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON

On April 22, 2018, the Coordinating Board approved at the staff level the submission from University of Houston in regards to revisions of the Texas Core Curriculum. Changes will be effective beginning in the fall 2018 semester.

University of Houston: 2018 Core Curriculum Revision

Component I. Course Selection Process: Approved

Component IIa. Core Objective Attainment Process: Approved

Component IIb. Core Objective Assessment Plan: Approved

Comments:

Component III. Approved Courses:

Category	Course	TCCNS	Title	SCH
010 Communication				
Overflow Semester Credit Hours: Counted in Degree Program				
010	ENGL 1303	ENGL 1301	FIRST YEAR WRITING I	3.00
010	ENGL 1304	ENGL 1302	FIRST YEAR WRITING II	3.00
010	ENGL 1370		COMPOSITION II-HONORS	3.00
010	ENGL 2361		WESTERN WORLD LIT II--HONORS	3.00
020 Mathematics				
Overflow Semester Credit Hours: Counted in Degree Program				
020	MATH 1310	MATH 1314	COLLEGE ALGEBRA	3.00
020	MATH 1311		ELEM/MATHEMATICAL MODELING	3.00
020	MATH 1312		INTRO TO MATH REASONING	3.00
020	MATH 1313	MATH 1324	FINITE MATH WITH APPLICATIONS	3.00
020	MATH 1314	MATH 1325	CALC FOR BUS/LIFE SCIENCES	3.00
020	MATH 1330	MATH 2312	PRECALCULUS	3.00
020	MATH 1431	MATH 2413	CALCULUS I	4.00
020	MATH 1450		ACCELERATED CALCULUS	4.00
020	MATH 2311	MATH 1342	INTRO TO PROB & STATISTICS	3.00
030 Life and Physical Sciences				

Overflow Semester Credit Hours: Counted in Degree Program

030	BIOL 1305		HUMAN BIOLOGY	3.00
030	BIOL 1309		HUMAN GENETICS AND SOCIETY	3.00
030	BIOL 1310	BIOL 1308	GENERAL BIOLOGY 1	3.00
030	BIOL 1320	BIOL 1309	GENERAL BIOLOGY 22	3.00
030	BIOL 1361	BIOL 1306	INTRO TO BIOLOGICAL SCIENCE 1	3.00
030	BIOL 1362	BIOL 1307	INTRO TO BIOLOGICAL SCIENCE 2	3.00
030	CHEM 1301	CHEM 1306	FOUNDATIONS OF CHEM	3.00
030	CHEM 1331	CHEM 1311	FUNDAMENTALS OF CHEMISTRY	3.00
030	CHEM 1332	CHEM 1312	FUNDAMENTALS OF CHEMISTRY	3.00
030	GEOL 1302		INTRO TO GLOBAL CLIMATE CHANGE	3.00
030	GEOL 1330	GEOL 1303	PHYSICAL GEOLOGY	3.00
030	GEOL 1340		EARTH SYSTEMS	3.00
030	GEOL 1350		INTRODUCTION TO METEOROLOGY	3.00
030	GEOL 1360		INTRODUCTION TO OCEANOGRAPHY	3.00
030	GEOL 1370		NATURAL DISASTERS	3.00 New
030	GEOL 1376	GEOL 1304	HISTORICAL GEOLOGY	3.00
030	NUTR 2332		INTRO TO HUMAN NUTRITION	3.00
030	PHAR 2362		PRINCIPLES OF DRUG ACTION	3.00
030	PHYS 1301	PHYS 1301	INTRO GENERAL PHYSICS I	3.00
030	PHYS 1302	PHYS 1302	INTRO GENERAL PHYSICS II	3.00
030	PHYS 1305		INTRO ASTRONOMY-SOL SYS	3.00
030	PHYS 1306		INTRO ASTRO-STEL & GAL	3.00
030	PHYS 1321	PHYS 2325	UNIVERSITY PHYSICS I	3.00
030	PHYS 1322	PHYS 2326	UNIVERSITY PHYSICS II	3.00

040 Language, Philosophy and Culture

Overflow Semester Credit Hours: Counted in Degree Program

040	AAS 2320		INTRO TO AFRICAN AMERICAN STDY	3.00
040	AAS 2330		BLACK LIBERATION THEOLOGY	3.00
040	ARAB 3340		MODERN & RATIONAL IN ISLAM	3.00

040	ARTH 1300		ART AND OUR VISUAL WORLD	3.00
040	ARTH 1380	ARTS 1303	ART & SOCIETY: PREHIST-GOTHIC	3.00
040	CHNS 3352		CHIN CUL & SOC THRU MOD LIT	3.00
040	CHNS 3360		A LOOK INTO MODERN CHINA	3.00
040	CLAS 3307		GREEK & ROMAN MYTHS OF HEROES	3.00
040	CLAS 3308		MYTHS & CULT OF ANCIENT GODS	3.00
040	CLAS 3366		GREEK ART AND ARCHAEOLOGY	3.00
040	CLAS 3374		WOMEN IN THE ANCIENT WORLD	3.00
040	ENGL 2305	ENGL 2342	INTRO TO FICTION	3.00
040	ENGL 2306		INTRO TO POETRY	3.00
040	ENGL 2308		INTRO-NON-FICTION PROSE	3.00
040	ENGL 2315		LITERATURE AND FILM	3.00
040	ENGL 2316		LITERATURE AND CULTURE	3.00
040	ENGL 2323		LITERATURE AND IDENTITY	3.00
040	ENGL 2325		LIT TRAD OF NONWESTERN WORLD	3.00
040	ENGL 2340		COSMIC NARRATIVES	3.00
040	ENGL 3306		SHAKESPEARE-MAJOR WORKS	3.00
040	ENGL 3324		THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE NOVEL	3.00
040	ENGL 3325		STRUCTURES OF POETRY	3.00
040	ENGL 3327		MASTERPIECES OF BRITISH LIT I	3.00
040	ENGL 3328		BRITISH LITERATURE, II	3.00
040	ENGL 3350		AM LIT TO 1865	3.00
040	ENGL 3351		AM LIT SINCE 1865	3.00
040	ENGL 3360		SURVEY OF AFRICAN-AMERICAN LIT	3.00
040	FREN 3318		HISTORY OF FRENCH CINEMA	3.00
040	FREN 3319		HISTORY OF THE FRENCH CINEMA	3.00
040	FREN 3321		FRANCOPHONE AFRICAN CINEMA	3.00
040	FREN 3322		FRANCOPHONE AFRICAN CINEMA	3.00

040	FREN 3362		PARIS AND BERLIN SINCE 1800	3.00
040	FREN 3364		WRITING HOLOCAUSTS	3.00
040	GERM 3350		20TH C THRU GERMAN CULTURE	3.00
040	GERM 3362		PARIS AND BERLIN SINCE 1800	3.00
040	GERM 3364		WRITING HOLOCAUSTS	3.00
040	GERM 3369		WORLD WAR I IN LITERATURE	3.00
040	HISP 2373		SPANISH CULTURE AND CIV	3.00
040	HISP 2374		SPANISH AMERICAN CULTURE & CIV	3.00
040	HISP 2375		US HISPANIC CULTURE & CIV	3.00
040	HIST 2349		LATINA/O JEWISH HISTORY	3.00
040	HIST 2351	HIST 2311	WESTERN CIVILIZATION TO 1450	3.00
040	HIST 2353	HIST 2312	WESTERN CIVILIZATION FROM 1450	3.00
040	HIST 2361		STUDY OF EARLY CIVILIZATIONS	3.00
040	HIST 2363	HIST 2322	STUDY OF MODERN CIVILIZATIONS	3.00 New
040	HIST 2364		SOUTH ASIA TO 1600	3.00
040	HIST 2366		IRAN THROUGH ITS FILMS	3.00
040	HIST 2367		EAST ASIAN HISTORY IN FILM	3.00
040	HIST 2368		INTRO TO AFRICAN STUDIES	3.00
040	HIST 2371		LATIN AMERICA 1492-1820	3.00
040	HIST 2372		LATIN AMERICAN HIST SINCE 1820	3.00
040	HIST 2373		ENVIRONMENT IN LATIN AMERICA	3.00
040	HIST 3379		WORLD CIV TO 1500	3.00
040	HIST 3380		WORLD CIV SINCE 1500	3.00
040	HIST 4330		FLOWERING OF THE MIDDLE AGES	3.00
040	HON 2301		HUMAN SITUATION: ANTIQUITY	3.00
040	ILAS 2350		INTRODUCTN TO LIBERAL STUDIES	3.00
040	ILAS 2360		COSMIC NARRATIVES	3.00

040	ITAL 3305		ITALIAN CULTURE THROUGH FILMS	3.00
040	ITAL 3306		ITALIAN CINEMA	3.00
040	ITAL 3308		ITALIAN HERITAGE	3.00
040	ITAL 3335		SURVEY OF ITALIAN LITERATURE	3.00
040	ITAL 3336		SURVEY ITALIAN LIT IN TRANSL	3.00
040	JWST 2380		INTRODUCTION TO JEWISH STUDIES	3.00
040	MAS 3340		MEXICAN AMER URBAN COMMUNITIES	3.00
040	PHIL 1301	PHIL 1301	INTRO TO PHILOSOPHY	3.00
040	PHIL 1305	PHIL 2306	INTRO TO ETHICS	3.00
040	POLS 3340		ANCIENT/MEDIEVAL POL THOUGHT	3.00
040	POLS 3342		LIBERALISM AND ITS CRITICS	3.00
040	RELS 1301		INTRO TO RELIGIOUS STUDIES	3.00
040	RELS 2310		BIBLE AND WESTERN CULTURE I	3.00
040	RELS 2311		BIBLE AND WESTERN CULTURE II	3.00
040	RELS 2330		JUDAISM	3.00
040	SPAN 3331		MEXICAN AMERICAN LITERATURE	3.00
040	SPAN 3373		SPANISH CULTURE & CIVILIZATION	3.00
040	SPAN 3374		SPAN AMERICAN CULTURE & CIV	3.00
040	SPAN 3375		US HISPANIC CULTURE & CIVILIZA	3.00
040	WCL 2351		WORLD CULTURES THRU LIT & ARTS	3.00
040	WCL 2352		WORLD CINEMA	3.00
040	WCL 2370		CULTURES OF INDIA	3.00
040	WCL 3351		INTRO LATINO CULTURAL STUDIES	3.00
040	WCL 3377		MODERN MIDDLE EAST	3.00
040	WGSS 2350		INTRO TO WOMEN'S STUDIES	3.00
040	WGSS 2360		INTRODUCTION TO GLBT STUDIES	3.00

050 Creative Arts

Overflow Semester Credit Hours: Counted in Degree Program

050	ARCH 2350		SURVEY OF ARCHITECTURAL HIST I	3.00
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050	ARCH 2351		SURVEY OF ARCH HISTORY II	3.00
050	ARTH 1381	ARTS 1304	ART & SOC: RENAISS TO MODERN	3.00
050	CLAS 3345		MYTH&PERFORMANCE IN GREEK TRAG	3.00
050	CLAS 3381		FROM HOMER TO HOLLYWOOD	3.00
050	DAN 2307		INTRODUCTION TO DANCE	3.00
050	DAN 3310		DANCE HISTORY I	3.00
050	ENGL 2307		INTRO TO DRAMA	3.00
050	ENGL 2318		CREATION AND PERFORM OF LIT	3.00
050	GERM 3363		THEMES IN GERMAN DRAMA	3.00
050	GERM 3381		GERMAN CINEMA	3.00
050	GERM 3384		FASCISM AND GERMAN CINEMA	3.00
050	GERM 3385		EAST GERMAN CINEMA	3.00
050	HIST 4371		LATIN AMERICAN HIST THRU FILM	3.00
050	INDS 2355		DESIGN HISTORY I	3.00
050	INDS 2356		DESIGN HISTORY II	3.00
050	MUSI 2302		LISTENING TO JAZZ	3.00
050	MUSI 2342		MUSIC FOR CHILDREN	3.00
050	MUSI 2362		HISTORY OF MUSIC I	3.00
050	MUSI 3300		LISTENING TO MUSIC MASTERWORKS	3.00
050	MUSI 3301		LISTENING TO WORLD MUSIC	3.00
050	PHIL 1361		PHILOSOPHY AND THE ARTS	3.00
050	POLS 2346		POLITICS OF GREK THEATER	3.00
050	SPAN 3386		SPANISH CULTURE THROUGH FILM	3.00
050	THEA 1331	DRAM 1310	INTRODUCTION TO THEATRE	3.00
050	THEA 1332		FUNDAMENTALS OF THEATRE	3.00
050	WCL 3366		LATIN AMERICAN AND LATINO FILM	3.00

060 American History

Overflow Semester Credit Hours: Counted in Degree Program

060	HIST 1376		THE UNITED STATES TO 1877	3.00
060	HIST 1377	HIST 1301	THE U S TO 1877	3.00

060	HIST 1378	HIST 1302	THE U S SINCE 1877	3.00
060	HIST 1379		THE UNITED STATES SINCE 1877	3.00
060	HIST 2341		TEXAS TO 1865	3.00
060	HIST 2343		TEXAS SINCE 1865	3.00
060	HIST 2348		U.S. LATINO/A HISTORIES	3.00

070 Government/Political Science

Overflow Semester Credit Hours: Counted in Degree Program

070	POLS 1107		FEDERAL AND TEXAS CONSTITUTION	1.00
070	POLS 1336	GOVT 2301	US AND TEXAS CONST/POLITICS	3.00
070	POLS 1337	GOVT 2302	US GOVT: CONGRESS,PRES & CRTS	3.00
070	POLS 2336		US/TX CONST, POLITICS & INSTNS	3.00

080 Social and Behavioral Sciences

Overflow Semester Credit Hours: Counted in Degree Program

080	ANTH 1300	ANTH 2346	INTRO ANTHROPOLOGY	3.00
080	ANTH 2301	ANTH 2301	INTRO-PHYSICAL ANTH	3.00
080	ANTH 2302	ANTH 2351	INTRO TO CULTURAL ANTH	3.00
080	ANTH 2303	ANTH 2302	INTRO TO ARCHAEOLOGY	3.00
080	CUST 2300		INTRO ASIAN AMERICAN STUDIES	3.00
080	ECON 2301		GLOBAL ECONOMIC CONCEPTS	3.00
080	ECON 2304	ECON 2302	MICROECONOMIC PRINCIPLES	3.00
080	ECON 2305	ECON 2301	MACROECONOMIC PRINCIPLES	3.00
080	HDFS 2317		HUMAN DEV AND INTERVENTIONS	3.00
080	HRMA 2365		TOURISM	3.00
080	KIN 1304		PUBLIC HLT ISSUES IN PHYS/OBES	3.00
080	POLS 3311		INTRO COMPAR POLITICS	3.00
080	POLS 3354		LAW AND SOCIETY	3.00
080	PSYC 1300	PSYC 2301	INTRO TO PSYCHOLOGY	3.00
080	PSYC 2350		CHILD DEVELOPMENT	3.00
080	PSYC 2351		PSYCHOLOGY OF ADOLESCENCE	3.00
080	SOC 1300	SOCI 1301	INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY	3.00

080	SOC 1301	HONORS INTRO TO SOCIOLOGY	3.00
080	TECH 1313	IMPACT MODERN TECH. ON SOCIETY	3.00
090 Component Area Option			
090	ANTH 2304	INTRO TO LANGUAGE AND CULTURE	3.00
090	ANTH 3348	ANTHROPOLOGY OF RELIGION	3.00
090	ANTH 3361	HUMAN ORIGINS	3.00
090	ANTH 3381	GLOBAL HINDUISM	3.00
090	ARAB 3314	WOMEN AND GENDER IN ARABIC LIT	3.00
090	ARCH 1359	DESIGN SINCE 1945	3.00
090	ARTH 3312	PRE-COLUMBIAN ART	3.00
090	BCHS 4311	BIOCHEMISTRY LAB II	3.00
090	BIOL 3311	GENETICS LABORATORY	3.00
090	CLAS 4305	FIFTH-CENTURY ATHENS	3.00
090	CLAS 4381	LATIN CLASSICS IN TRANSLATION	3.00
092	COSC 1306	COMPUTER SCIENCE & PROGRAM	3.00
092	CUIN 2320	MATHEMATICS FOR EC-6 TEACHERS	3.00
090	DAN 2307	INTRODUCTION TO DANCE	3.00
090	DAN 3310	DANCE HISTORY I	3.00
092	ECON 2370	INTRO TO ECON DATA ANALYSIS	3.00
090	ECON 3344	HISTORY OF ECONOMIC DOCTRINE	3.00
090	ECON 3350	AMERICAN ECONOMIC GROWTH	3.00
092	ELET 2300	INTRODUCTN TO C++ PROGRAMMING	3.00
090	ENGI 2304	TECHNICAL COMMUNICATIONS	3.00
090	ENGL 2330	WRITING DISCIPLINE ENGLISH	3.00
090	GENB 4350	BUSINESS LAW AND ETHICS	3.00
091	HDCS 1300	HUMAN ECOSYSTEMS & TECH CHANGE	3.00
090	HDFS 1300	DEV OF CONTEMPORARY FAMILIES	3.00
090	HIST 3314	LIB VS. CONSERV: FDR TO PRESEN	3.00

090	HIST 3333		CHICANO HISTORY SINCE 1910	3.00
090	HIST 3351		WORK&FAMILY-MODERN EUR	3.00
090	HIST 3369		COLONIAL MEXICO	3.00
090	HIST 4339		MOD EUROPEAN INTELLECTUAL HIST	3.00
090	HON 3300		INTRO TO SOCIAL MEDICINE	3.00
090	HRMA 3358		HOSPITALITY INDUSTRY LAW	3.00
090	IDNS 4392		HISTORY OF 20TH CENT. SCIENCE	3.00
090	ITAL 3307		ITALIAN RENAISSANCE	3.00
090	ITAL 3309		WOMEN WRITERS & FILMMAKERS	3.00
090	ITAL 4308		DANTE AND HIS WORLD	3.00
090	LAST 3300		INTERDISCIPLINARY PERSPECTIVES	3.00
090	MAS 3342		MEXICAN IMMIGRATION TO THE US	3.00
090	MAS 3345		LATINO LEADERSHIP/ACTIVISM	3.00
092	MATH 1312		INTRO TO MATH REASONING	3.00
092	MATH 1313	MATH 1324	FINITE MATH WITH APPLICATIONS	3.00
092	MATH 1314	MATH 1325	CALC FOR BUS/LIFE SCIENCES	3.00
092	MATH 1330	MATH 2312	PRECALCULUS	3.00
092	MATH 1431	MATH 2413	CALCULUS I	4.00
092	MATH 1432	MATH 2414	CALCULUS II	4.00
092	MATH 1450		ACCELERATED CALCULUS	4.00
092	MATH 1451		ACCELERATED CALCULUS	4.00
092	MATH 2311	MATH 1342	INTRO TO PROB & STATISTICS	3.00
090	MATH 4388		HISTORY OF MATHEMATICS	3.00
090	MUSI 2301		CLASSICAL MUSIC/LASTING VALUE	3.00
090	MUSI 3303		POP MUSIC OF AMERICAS SN 1840	3.00
090	NURS 4312		LDERSHIP AND MGMT IN PROF NUR	3.00 New
092	PHIL 1321	PHIL 2303	LOGIC I	3.00
090	PHIL 1334		MINDS AND MACHINES	3.00

090	PHYS 3313	ADVANCED LABORATORY I	3.00
090	POLS 2341	RENAISSANCE CLASSICS	3.00
090	POLS 3310	INTRO TO POLITICAL THEORY	3.00
092	POLS 3312	ARGUMENTS, DATA, POLITICS	3.00
092	POLS 3316	STATS FOR POLITICAL SCIENTISTS	3.00
090	POLS 3348	LEFT, RIGHT, AND CENTER	3.00
090	POLS 3349	AMERICAN POLITICAL THOUGHT	3.00
090	PSYC 2344	CULTURAL PSYCHOLOGY	3.00
092	PSYC 3301	INTRO PSYCH STATS	3.00
090	PSYC 3310	INDSTR-ORGNZTNL PSY	3.00
090	PSYC 4321	ABNORMAL PSYCHOLOGY	3.00
090	RELS 2340	INTRODUCTION TO HINDUISM	3.00
090	RELS 2350	INTRODUCTION TO ISLAM	3.00
090	RELS 2360	INTRODUCTION TO BUDDHISM	3.00
090	RELS 3370	THE BIBLE AND MODERN SCIENCE	3.00
090	RELS 3381	GLOBAL HINDUISM	3.00
090	SOC 3315	SEXUALITY AND SOCIETY	3.00 New
090	SOC 3351	SOC CLASS&MOBILTY IN AM	3.00
090	SOC 3360	SOCIOLOGY OF FOOD	3.00 New
090	SPAN 3384	INTRO TO HISPANIC LITERATURE	3.00
090	TELS 3363	TECHNICAL COMMUNICATIONS	3.00
090	THEA 2344	AMERICAN DRAMA	3.00
092	TMTH 3360	APPLIED TECHNICAL STATISTICS	3.00
090	WCL 3348	ENLIGHTENMENT STORIES	3.00
090	WCL 4351	FRAMES OF MODERNITY I	3.00
090	WCL 4352	FRAMES OF MODERNITY II	3.00
090	WCL 4356	WORLD FILM AND FILM THEORY	3.00

090	WCL 4365	WORLD DOCUMENTARY FILM	3.00
090	WCL 4367	VOICES FROM EXILE AND DIASPORA	3.00

Component III. Denied Courses:

The following courses were evaluated and did not align with the description of the Foundational Component Area and/or did not incorporate the appropriate Core Objectives. These courses are not approved and may not be included in your 2018 Core Curriculum:

Category	Course	TCCNS	Title	SCH
040 Language, Philosophy and Culture				
040	CHNS 3354		CHINESE CULTURE AND LANGUAGE	3.00 New
050 Creative Arts				
050	CLAS 3371		ANCIENT COMEDY & ITS INFLUENCE	3.00 New
090 Component Area Option				
090	HISP 1301		INTRO.BILLING CREATIVE WRITING	3.00 New

Additional Comments:

The course CHNS 3354, Chinese Culture and Language, was not approved, because it does not align with the Language, Philosophy and Culture Foundational Component Area (FCA). The course is a mix of elementary language skills and sociological and anthropological study of culture. The study of parts of the Chinese literature canon is cursory. -- The course CLAS 3371, Ancient Comedy & Its Influence, was not approved. It is not evident from the documentation that the Core Objective Teamwork, which consists of group script readings, has a tangible outcome produced as group effort. It is not clear that this course, which is classified as upper-division course, should be included as general education course in the Core Curriculum. -- The course HISP 1301, Introduction to Bilingual Creative Writing, was not approved because its focus is on creative writing, which is not aligned with any FCA definition. --