

UC 10809 10S

TO: Lawrence Williams, Chair
Undergraduate Council

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Degree Programs Committee: Programs

SUBJECT: UC 10786 10S: Request to Update College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences
Limitations on Kinesiology and Physical Activity Courses

DATE: April 14, 2010

APPROVED APR 21 2010
as amended. See
4/21/10 UC minutes

The Committee met on Wednesday, April 7 to consider a proposal from the College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences to modify the College's limitations on Kinesiology and Physical Activity courses and to remove the list of specific Kinesiology and Physical Activity courses that can be used for elective credits toward a student's degree. Participating in the discussion were committee members Betty Barr, Roger Blakeney, Miranda Bennett, Debbie Hermann, Iain Morrison, and Richard Scamell. Jeanette Morales, Jyoti Cameron, and Sarah Fishman attended the meeting as guests.

Current Catalog Wording

5. Unless they are obtaining a minor in Kinesiology, or are candidates for teacher certification with a second teaching field in Kinesiology, students may apply credit toward any degree in CLASS for only the following courses offered by the Department of Health and Human Performance:
 - a. No more than three semester hours in KIN or PEB physical activities.
 - b. KIN 1252, 3300, 3301, 3304, 3305, 3306, 3309, 3325, 3360, 4200, 4307, 4310, 4315, 4325, 4345, 4350, 4355, 4360, 4365, 4370.

Suggested Catalog Wording

5. Unless they are obtaining a minor in Kinesiology, or are candidates for teacher certification with a second teaching field in Kinesiology, the following restrictions apply to credit toward any degree in CLASS for the following courses offered by the Department of Health and Human Performance:
 - a. No more than three semester hours in KIN or PEB 1 credit hour physical activity courses.
 - b. No special problems courses in KIN or PEB.

Note: See UH General Regulations for the Transfer of College Credits for additional transfer limitations on Physical Education courses.

Discussion

The suggested catalog wording is being proposed because the current catalog has not been revised in some time rendering the list of courses in the current catalog outdated. The suggested catalog wording allows any Kinesiology course of more than one semester hour for elective credit and (a) restricts to three hours the credit for one semester hour physical activity courses, and (b) excludes all special problems Kinesiology and Physical Activity courses.

Recommendation

The Committee recommends approval of UC 10786 10S.