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[CHEM - 109 - 23-2310 - Course Change - General Chemistry I](#) - Update prerequisites: math placement category I or II or MATH 101 or MATH 101I or MATH 109G. Students with Math category III and IV do not have a strong enough background in algebra to do the math that is required in CHEM 109. This update includes the new course [MATH 109G](#).

Voting Action Calendar

Art Changes

[Art, B.A. \(Core\) - Change Core Requirements - 22-2146](#). Adds the new course ART 368 Photography II Studio Practice to the upper division studio art electives. Adds ART 308 Topics in Media Art History to UD art history electives.

[Art, Art Education Concentration, B.A. - Change Concentration/Emphasis Requirements - 22-2148](#). This proposal adds two new elective options: new GE course ART 105E Digital Media Foundations (lower division art studio elective; replaces ART 108 elective option, which is being deleted) and new course ART 368 Photography II Studio Practice (upper division art studio elective).

[Art, Art Studio Concentration, B.A. - Change Concentration/Emphasis Requirements - 22-2147](#). This proposal adds two new elective options: new GE course ART 105E Digital Media Foundations (lower division art studio elective, replacing ART 108 elective option, which is being deleted) and new course ART 368 Photography II Studio Practice (upper division art studio elective).

[Fine Arts, B.F.A. - Change Core Requirements - 22-2132](#). Summary from CDC: 3 Changes: 1) Adding ART 303M as required for art history bin. 2) Updating C-Classification for ART 494 (changing from C-05 seminar to C-07 activity, 4 to 6 hours, 4 to 3 units). 3) Adding three new courses of art studio electives: ART 105E, ART 368, ART 308 (art history bin).

These changes are to make the changes made to a similar degree, BA Studio Art, align. The BA studio art degree had to be revised to fulfill EO1071. It has therefore made the requirements slightly different for the BA Studio Art and BFA- potentially leading students to take more units than needed if they are accepted into the BFA. We have to keep the BFA to no more than 70 units, but also needed to add the 1 unit 303M to align with the BA. Therefore, we are updated the C-classification of the ART 494 class, which will now better align with the format of other studio classes. Additionally, this proposal adds three new elective option: ART 105E Digital Media Foundations (lower division art studio elective) and ART 368 Photography II Studio Practice (upper division art studio elective) and ART 308 Topics in Media History (art education studio elective.)

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[Art History Minor - Change Minor Requirements - 22-2145](#). Adds new course, ART 308 Topics in Media Art History, to the UD art history elective options.

[Art Studio Minor - Change Minor Requirements - 22-2155](#). Adding a few new courses to LD and UD options: ART 368 and ART 105E. Also adding in ART 105C and 105D that were left off earlier in error. Making ART 105B an elective versus requirement. Removing ART 108 Digital Media as Studio elective option because being deleted.

[ART - 105E - 22-2151 - New Course - Digital Media Foundations](#). In order to better align with the discipline, we are changing the content of the class away from graphic design to a broader emphasis in digital media. Graphic design implies a more limited scope of what is addressed in the classes and course descriptions. Creating a new course, ART 105E Digital Media Foundations, to replace ART 108 Digital Media I, broadening scope of course to update curriculum. Used in: GE Area C1, ART BA Art Education Concentration (core), ART BA Art Studio Concentration (elective), Art Studio Minor (elective), Fine Arts BFA (elective), Literary Publishing Minor (elective), ENST BA Media Production Emphasis (elective).

[ART - 108 - 22-2149 - Course Deletion - Digital Media I](#). ART 108 is being deleted and replaced with a new course, ART 105E, which will serve as an elective option to Literary Publishing Minor, Fine Arts BFA, ART BA Art Education concentration, ART BA Art Studio concentration, Art Studio Minor, GEAR LD C1, and eventually Media Arts BFA.

[ART - 308 - 22-2143 - New Course - Topics in Media Art History](#). New course will add an elective option to ART BA Core, Art History Minor, Fine Arts BFA, and GEAR UD C1. This course is cross-listed with FILM 308. It will offer students an option that focuses specifically on media arts issues- and will be applicable to the existing Art and Film majors- as well as the new polytech BFA in Media Arts that is slated to be offered beginning in Fall 2026. It does not increase the total number of GE courses being offered.

[ART - 340 - 22-2152 - Course Change - Digital Media II](#). Making a slight revision to the catalog description and updating prerequisite (changed from ART 108, which is being deleted, to the new course ART 105E).

[ART - 368 - 22-2063 - New Course - Photography II Studio Practice](#). New course will be used in Fine Arts BFA, ART BA Art Education concentration, ART BA Art Studio concentration, and Art Studio Minor. This course addition is to help clarify the upper division studio topics in photography for the art major. Currently, there is ART 367 Photography II, and students are encouraged to repeat the course in fall and spring because the topics rotate. However, making unique course numbers will be clearer for students.

[ART - 372 - 22-2153 - Course Change - Digital Media: Studio Topics](#). Updated Prereq: replace ART 108 (being deleted) with new course ART 105E.

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[ART - 373 - 22-2154 - Course Change - Illustration II](#). Changing one of the prerequisites from ART 108 (being deleted) to new course ART 105E.

[ART - 494 - 22-2133 - Course Change - B.F.A. Practicum in Studio Art](#). Changing C-classification from C-05 seminar to C-07 activity; reducing from 4 to 3 units; increasing weekly class hours from 4 to 6; excluding freshman, sophomores, juniors, and graduates (just for seniors).

Cannabis Studies

[Cannabis Studies, Equity and Social Justice Concentration, B.A. - Change Concentration/Emphasis Requirements - 22-2000](#). I propose to change the name of the "Equity and Social Justice" concentration to "Policy Stewardship."

Economics Changes

[Economics, B.A. - Change Core Requirements - 22-1965](#).

We are making two changes - the combined changes will change our Econ Major units from 53-65 to 55-65 - note that the current catalog says 53-61, but that is incorrect - the upper end should be 65 ($43+22 = 65$).

One change is minor and just cleaning up the change we made last year: We are splitting out our Data Science/GIS track into two tracks - one for data science (20 units) and one for GIS (18 units) - this reduces our units in the Applied Quantitative Emphasis from 15-22 to 15-20 (and the emphasis section from 12-22 to 12-20). Wilson met with GSP faculty on April 12 to develop GIS track and ensure that courses are offered regularly. Based on that discussion, we include a choice between GSP 270/272 and we are including flexibility for the last elective.

The other change is the key focus of this proposal: We are changing how we administer our LD core Principles of Economics requirement. This does not fundamentally change the program. Principles of Economics - both micro and macro, is still the foundational requirement for this major. We are simply replacing our single-semester Econ 210: Principles of Economics (both micro and macro) with the 2-semester split courses - Econ 202 (principles of micro) and Econ 203 (principles of macro). This increases the Econ Core units from 41-43 to 43-45)

- Econ 210 is equivalent to the combined Econ 202 and Econ 203. Listing both is an intermediate step clearly shows the equivalency of these 2 options.
- Currently, students transfer in with the 2-semester split courses (all CA colleges/universities and the vast majority of US colleges/universities offer the 2-semester split) and the registrar's office articulates both courses as equivalent for our Econ 210.

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Summary notes from CDC: Adding option to instead of taking ECON 210 (4 units) in one semester, take it across two semesters via two new courses ECON 202 (3 units) and ECON 203 (3 units). This new 2-semester option will add two units to the ECON Major, Econ Minor, and Business Major. ECON 210 has a high DFW rate, so this 2-semester approach will increase student success and will also be better for articulation with community colleges. NB: Business Administration does not support splitting ECON 210 into ECON 202 + ECON 203. ECON is therefore not officially suspending/canceling ECON 210, but does not plan to teach it again, so effectively is forcing BA to take the 2-semester version. Not sure how ICC feels about this approach; has CPS Dean and Associate Dean support.

Also, within the Applied and Quantitative Emphasis, splitting the Data Science / GIS Track into two tracks: Data Science Track (20 units) and GIS Track (18 units).

[Economics Minor - Change Core Requirements - 22-1967](#). The goal is to provide an alternative option to Econ 210 (4 units, high DFW rate) with 2-semester split courses - Econ 202 (3 units) and Econ 203 (3 units). This change is in response to external reviewer recommendation and will facilitate more ADT articulations.

[ECON - 202 - 22-1963 - New Course - Principles of Microeconomics](#). Splitting ECON 210 (Principles of Economics, 4 units) into two courses: 202 (Principles of Microeconomics, 3 units, GE D) + 203 (Principles of Macroeconomics, 3 units, GE D) as an option instead of 210 (which has a high DFW rate). This change will also facilitate ADT articulations.

[ECON - 203 - 22-1964 - New Course - Principles of Macroeconomics](#). Splitting ECON 210 (Principles of Economics, 4 units) into two courses: 202 (Principles of Microeconomics, 3 units, GE D) + 203 (Principles of Macroeconomics, 3 units, GE D) as an option instead of 210 (which has a high DFW rate). This change will also facilitate ADT articulations.

[ECON - 305D - 22-2198 - Course Change - International Economics and Globalization - Additional Depth](#). Add ECON 202 and ECON 203 as pre-reqs (keep Econ 210 because several students will have taken that course).

[ECON - 306D - 22-2199 - Course Change - Economics of the Developing World - Additional Depth](#). Add ECON 202 and ECON 203 as pre-reqs (keep Econ 210 because several students will have taken that course).

[ECON - 308D - 22-2200 - Course Change - History of Economic Thought - Additional Depth](#). Add Econ 202 and Econ 203 as pre-reqs (keep Econ 210 because several students will have taken that course).

[ECON - 309D - 22-2201 - Course Change - Economics of a Sustainable Society - Additional Depth](#). Add Econ 202 and Econ 203 as pre-reqs (keep Econ 210 because several students will have taken that course).

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[ECON - 310 - 22-2205 - Course Change - Intermediate Microtheory and Strategy](#). Add Econ 202 as pre-req (keep Econ 210 because several students will have taken that course). NOTE: we don't need Econ 203 (principles of macro) as a prereq for intermediate micro. Econ 310 is sustainability-related, but Econ 311 is not.

[ECON - 311 - 22-2206 - Course Change - Intermediate Macroeconomics](#). Add Econ 203 as prereq (keep Econ 210 because several students will have taken that course). NOTE: we don't need Econ 202 (principles of micro) as a prereq for intermediate macro.

[ECON - 423D - 22-2202 - Course Change - Environmental and Natural Resources Economics - Additional Depth](#). Add Econ 202 and Econ 203 as pre-reqs (keep Econ 210 because several students will have taken that course).

[ECON - 435 - 23-2244 - Course Change - Financial Institutions and Capital Markets](#). Title change from "Principles of Money and Banking" to "Financial Institutions and Capital Markets". Description change from "Nature and function of financial institutions and Federal Reserve System in the US economy. Monetary and fiscal policy and the international financial system. Implications of recent financial system deregulation legislation." to "Explore new and traditional financial markets including cryptocurrencies, stock markets, mortgage-backed securities, foreign exchange, fixed income, and money. Understand financial crises. Learn fundamentals of central bank policy and commercial bank operations." Add Econ 202 and Econ 203 as pre-reqs (keep Econ 210 because several students will have taken that course).

[ECON - 450 - 22-2204 - Course Change - Energy Economics and Climate Policy](#). Add Econ 202 and Econ 203 as pre-reqs (keep Econ 210 because several students will have taken that course).

Education Changes

[Education, M.A. - Change Concentration/Emphasis Requirements - 23-2248](#). Change by combining EED 724 with EED 724B and EED 728 with EED 728B. No change in units. Catalog changes are shown in the Curriculum Schema within the form and not a separate attachment.

[Elementary Education: Preliminary Credential Program - Change Core Requirements - 23-2247](#). Change with combining of EED 724 with EED 724B and EED 728 with EED 728 B. No change in units. Catalog changes are shown in the Curriculum Schema within the form and not a separate attachment.

[EED - 724 - 23-2240 - Course Change - Fine Arts in the Integrated Elementary Curriculum](#). Combining course with EED 724B per Commission of Teacher Credentialing requirements. Units will increase from 0.5-1 to 2 units.

[EED - 724B - 23-2241 - Course Suspension - Fine Arts in the Integrated Elementary Curriculum](#). Combining with EED 724 per California Commission of Teacher Credentialing.

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[EED - 728 - 23-2242 - Course Change - History/Social Science in the Integrated Elementary Curriculum](#). Combining course with EED 728B per Commission of Teacher Credentialing requirements. Units will increase from 0.5-1 to 2 units.

[EED - 728B - 23-2243 - Course Suspension - History/Social Science in the Integrated Elementary Curriculum](#). Combining with EED 728 per California Commission of Teacher Credentialing.

English Changes

[Literary Publishing Minor - Change Minor Requirements - 23-2209](#). Summary from CDC: Updating course number and title for two elective options within the Literary Publishing Minor: 1) ES 210, CouRaGeouS Cuentos Production (replacing ES 280, Selected Topics in ES). 2) ART 105E, Digital Media Foundations (replacing ART 108 Digital Media, which is being deleted).

Environmental Science & Management Changes

[ESM - 410 - 22-1730 - Course Change - Geospatial Capstone](#). GWAR certification for Geospatial Science and Technology, B.S. Numbering update per policy to ESM 410W. Pre-requisite changes to cross-list with GSP 410W.

[GSP - 410 - 22-1854 - Course Change - Geospatial Capstone](#). Part of the GWAR requirement for geospatial BS major (starts Fall 2023). Numbering update per policy to GSP 410W. Course description changes to cross-listed with ESM 410W.

[ESM - 411 - 23-2250 - Course Change - Energy and Climate Capstone](#). This proposal is to have ESM 411 be designated as meeting the GWAR requirement for ESM majors with a concentration in Energy & Climate. Course numbering change per the Course Numbering policy from ESM 411 to ESM 411W.

[ESM - 453 - 23-2251 - Course Change - Environmental Education and Interpretation Capstone](#). This proposal is to have ESM 453 be designated as meeting the GWAR requirement for ESM majors with a concentration in Environmental Education and Interpretation. Course numbering change from ESM 453 to ESM 453W per the Course Numbering Policy.

[ESM - 455 - 23-2249 - Course Change - Ecological Restoration Capstone](#). This proposal is to have ESM 455 be designated as meeting the GWAR requirement for ESM majors with a concentration in Ecological Restoration. Course numbering change from ESM 455 to ESM 455W per the Course Numbering Policy. Removed ESM Only from requisites.

[ESM - 475 - 23-2253 - Course Change - Environmental Planning and Policy Capstone](#). This proposal is to have ESM 475 be designated as meeting the GWAR requirement for ESM majors with a concentration in Environmental Planning & Policy. Course numbering changing from ESM 475 to ESM 475W per the Course Numbering Policy.

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Environmental Studies Changes

[Environmental Studies, B.A. - Change Concentration/Emphasis Requirements - 23-2286](#). (1)

Adding NAS 308 Indigenous Ethnobotany to the Earth System Sciences upper division bucket of options. (2) Minor changes to Program Description. (3) Replacing ART 108 (course being deleted) with ART 105E (New Course).