PART I – NEW ACADEMIC PROGRAMS AND PROGRAM CHANGES

COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCE

1. Request to change the requirements for the Bachelor of Arts degree in Interdisciplinary Studies in Social Science: Social Science Education in the College of Social Science. The Teacher Education Council will consider this request at its September 8, 2014 meeting.

   a. Under the heading Requirements for the Bachelor of Arts Degree in Interdisciplinary Studies in Social Science: Social Science Education make the following changes:
      
      (1) In item 3. e., change the credits from ‘21’ to ‘20’.
      
      (2) In item 3. e., change the credits of TE 408 from ‘6’ to ‘5’.

   Effective Spring 2015.

2. Request to change the requirements for the Bachelor of Arts degree in History Education in the Department of History. The Teacher Education Council (TEC) will consider this request at its September 8, 2014 meeting.

   a. Under the heading Requirements for the Bachelor of Arts Degree in History Education make the following changes:
      
      (1) In item 7. a. change the credits of TE 408 from ‘6’ to ‘5’ and add the following course:

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      \text{TE 409 Crafting Teaching Practices in the Secondary Teaching Minor} \quad 1
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      (2) Replace item 7. b. with the following:

      b. All of the following courses for elementary majors:
      
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      \text{TE 301} & \quad \text{Learners and Learning in Contexts – Elementary (W)} & 3 \\
      \text{TE 403} & \quad \text{Teaching of Science to Diverse Learners – Elementary} & 3 \\
      \text{TE 404} & \quad \text{Teaching of Social Studies to Diverse Learners – Elementary} & 3 \\
      \text{TE 405} & \quad \text{Teaching of Language and Literacy to Diverse Learners – Elementary} & 3 \\
      \text{TE 406} & \quad \text{Teaching of Mathematics to Diverse Learners – Elementary} & 3
      \end{align*}
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   Effective Spring 2015.
PART II - NEW COURSES AND CHANGES

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES

CSUS 215  International Development and Sustainability
Spring of every year. 3(3-0) RB: To have some curiosity about international development and sustainability.
NEW  Theories, concepts and themes in international development and sustainability.
Effective Spring 2015

CSUS 301  Citizen Engagement for Sustainability
Community Engagement for Sustainability
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. 3(3-0) P: (CSUS 200) and completion of Tier I writing requirement
Application of principles of change theory, citizenship, sustainability, and community engagement at multiple scales. Public and participatory decision making in diverse contexts. Techniques and skills for community engagement. Examination of personal identities as citizens. Leadership and communication challenges in active practice of engagement.
Effective Fall 2014 Effective Summer 2015

CSUS 465  Environmental Law and Policy
Environmental and Natural Resource Law
Fall of every year. 3(3-0) Interdepartmental with Environmental Economics and Policy and Forestry. P: CSUS 200 or EEP 255 R: Open to juniors or seniors or graduate students.
Legal principles and process related to the environment and natural resources. Common law, constitutional law, statutory and administrative law.
SA: ESA 430, RD 430
Effective Fall 2014 Effective Summer 2015

MSU COLLEGE OF LAW

LAW 501M  Commercial Transactions Survey
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. 0 to 6 credits. P: LAW 530B R: Open to Law students or master of laws students or law lifelong students or law non-degree students. Not open to students with credit in LAW 501F or LAW 501G.
NEW  Survey of sales of goods and payment systems under the Uniform Commercial Code.
Effective Fall 2014

LAW 530Q  Research, Writing and Analysis: Social Justice Perspectives
Fall of every year. 0 to 6 credits. R: Open to Law students or master of laws students or law lifelong students or law non-degree students. Not open to students with credit in LAW 530D or LAW 530E or LAW 530N.
NEW  Written projects with a social justice focus.
Effective Fall 2014

LAW 605A  Hospitality Law
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. 0 to 6 credits. P: LAW 500R and LAW 530B R: Open to Law students or master of laws students or law lifelong students or law non-degree students.
NEW  Lodging, food and alcohol legal issues.
Effective Fall 2014

LAW 625D  Law Externship Seminar
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. Summer of every year. 0 to 6 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 6 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open to Law students or master of laws students or law lifelong students or law non-degree students.
NEW  Classroom component for students participating in law externships. Request the use of the Pass-Fail Grade (P-F) system.
Effective Summer 2014
LAW 631F  Chance at Childhood Clinic I  
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. 0 to 6 credits. P: (LAW 530D or LAW 530E or LAW 530N or LAW 530Q) and LAW 530J R: Open to Law students or master of laws students or law lifelong students or law non-degree students.
NEW  Child advocacy  
Effective Fall 2014

LAW 631G  Chance at Childhood Clinic II  
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. 0 to 6 credits. P: LAW 631F R: Open to Law students or master of laws students or law lifelong students or law non-degree students.
NEW  Child advocacy  
Effective Fall 2014

COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCE

EC 201  Introduction to Microeconomics  
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. Summer of every year. 3(3-0) Not open to students with credit in EC 252H.
PCR  Economic institutions, reasoning and analysis. Consumption, production, determination of price and quantity in different markets. Income distribution, market structure and normative analysis.  
Effective Summer 2002 Effective Fall 2014

EC 202  Introduction to Macroeconomics  
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. Summer of every year. 3(3-0) Not open to students with credit in EC 252H.
Effective Summer 2002 Effective Fall 2014

EC 210  Economics Principles Using Calculus  
Fall of every year. 3(3-0) P: MTH 133 or MTH 153H or MTH 126 Not open to students with credit in EC 201 or EC 202.
PCR  A combined microeconomics and macroeconomics course. Emphasis on topics of interest in engineering and management, such as discounting, cost-benefit analysis, innovation, externalities, and the role of government regulation.  
Effective Summer 2002 Effective Fall 2014

EC 251H  Microeconomics and Public Policy  
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. 4(4-0) Not open to students with credit in EC 301.
PCR  Theories of consumer behavior, production and cost. Output and price determination in competition and monopolies. Welfare economics, general equilibrium, externalities, and public goods.  
Effective Summer 2002 Effective Fall 2014

EC 252H  Macroeconomics and Public Policy  
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. 3(3-0) P: (EC 201 and EC 301) or EC 251H Not open to students with credit in EC 302.
PCR  Theory of national income, unemployment, inflation and economic growth and its application to economic analysis and policy.  
Effective Spring 2005 Effective Fall 2014

EC 301  Intermediate Microeconomics  
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. Summer of every year. 3(3-0) P: EC 201 and (MTH 124 or MTH 132 or MTH 152H or LB 118) RB: EC 202 Not open to students with credit in EC 251H.
PCR  Theories of consumer choice, production, cost, perfect competition, and monopoly. Welfare economics, general equilibrium, externalities, and public goods.  
Effective Spring 2014 Effective Fall 2014
EC 302 Intermediate Macroeconomics
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. Summer of every year. 3(3-0) P: (EC 201 or EC 251H) and
EC 202 Not open to students with credit in EC 252H.
PCR National income accounting. Determination of aggregate output, employment, price level,
and inflation rate. Policy implications.
Effective Spring 2013 Effective Fall 2014

EC 306 Comparative Economic Systems
Fall of every year. 3(3-0) P: (EC 201 or EC 251H) and (EC 202 or EC 252H)
PCR Characteristics and functions of economic systems. Alternative patterns of economic
control, planning, and market structure. Theories, philosophies, and experiences
associated with capitalism, socialism, and mixed economies.
Effective Summer 2002 Effective Fall 2014

EC 310 Economics of Developing Countries
Spring of every year. 3(3-0) P: EC 201 or EC 251H Not open to students with credit in EC 410.
PCR Economic patterns and policy issues of developing countries such as modern economic
growth and structural transformation, state controls versus markets, poverty and human
welfare, investments in human resources, and trade and industrialization.
Effective Summer 2002 Effective Fall 2014

EC 330 Money, Banking, and Financial Markets
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. Summer of every year. 3(3-0) P: (EC 201 or EC 251H) and
(EC 202 or EC 252H)
PCR Money markets and financial intermediation. Money, the Federal Reserve System, and
monetary policy. Regulation of money markets.
Effective Summer 2002 Effective Fall 2014

EC 333 Governments and Markets: When Laissez-Faire Fails
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. Summer of every year. 3 credits. P: EC 201 or EC 251H
PCR Economic and philosophical underpinnings of governmental intervention in the economy.
Critical analysis of governmental interventions as solutions to contemporary economic and
social problems.
Effective Summer 2007 Effective Fall 2014

EC 335 Taxes, Government Spending and Public Policy
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. Summer of every year. 3(3-0) Interdepartmental with
Environmental Economics and Policy. P: EC 201 or EC 251H Not open to students with credit in
EC 435 or EC 436.
PCR Economics of the public sector. Public goods, externalities, design and incidence of the
tax system. Equity and efficiency effects of government programs.
Effective Fall 2002 Effective Fall 2014

EC 340 Survey of International Economics
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. Summer of every year. 3(3-0) P: (EC 201 or EC 251H) and
(EC 202 or EC 252H) Not open to students with credit in EC 440 or EC 441.
Balance of payments. Foreign exchange markets. The international monetary system.
Contemporary trade and international currency issues.
Effective Summer 2003 Effective Fall 2014

EC 360 Private Enterprise and Public Policy
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. Summer of every year. 3(3-0) P: EC 201 or EC 251H
PCR Effects of antitrust, economic regulation, and other public policies on competition,
monopoly, and other market problems in the United States economy.
Effective Summer 2003 Effective Fall 2014
EC 370  Economics of Sports  
Summer of every year. 3(3-0) P: EC 201 P: EC 201 or EC 251H  
PCR  Economic analysis of sports teams, leagues, and institutions. Strategic considerations, demand and pricing, betting markets, optimal compensation for athletes, the market for superstars, anti-trust and public finance issues.  
Effective Summer 2012 Effective Fall 2014

EC 380  Labor Relations and Labor Market Policy  
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. Summer of every year. 3(3-0) P: EC 201 or EC 251H Not open to students with credit in EC 480.  
Effective Summer 2014 Effective Fall 2014

EC 391  Special Topics in Economics  
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. 3(3-0) A student may earn a maximum of 9 credits in all enrollments for this course. P: (EC 201 or EC 251H) and (EC 202 or EC 252H) R: Approval of department.  
PCR  Special topics supplementing regular course offerings.  
Effective Fall 2004 Effective Fall 2014

EC 401  Advanced Microeconomics  
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. 3(3-0) P: EC 251H or EC 301  
PCR  Economics of uncertainty and incomplete information. Game theory and theories of oligopoly. Transaction costs. Advanced topics in welfare economics, general equilibrium, externalities, and public goods.  
Effective Fall 2006 Effective Fall 2014

EC 402  Advanced Macroeconomics  
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. 3(3-0) P: (EC 251H or EC 301) and (EC 252H or EC 302)  
PCR  Consumption, investment, and monetary theories. The role of expectations. Theories of economic growth and cycles. Stabilization policies.  
Effective Summer 2002 Effective Fall 2014

EC 406  Economic Analysis of Russia and the Commonwealth of Independent States (W)  
Spring of even years. 3(3-0) P: (EC 202 or EC 252H) and (EC 301 or EC 251H) and Completion of Tier I Writing Requirement  
PCR  Analysis of structure and performance of planning, transition economy, and post-transition economy in Russia and the commonwealth of independent states (CIS) with focus on micro foundations of macroeconomic outcomes.  
Effective Fall 2014

EC 410  Issues in the Economics of Developing Countries (W)  
Fall of every year. 3(3-0) P: (EC 202 or EC 252H) and (EC 301 or EC 251H) and Completion of Tier I Writing Requirement  
PCR  Topics in development economics, such as growth, technological change, structural transformation, poverty and inequality, investment in human resources, trade, international capital flows, and the political economy of policy formation and governance.  
Effective Fall 2014

EC 412  Economic Analysis of Latin America (W)  
Fall of even years. 3(3-0) P: (EC 202 or EC 252H) and (EC 301 or EC 251H) and Completion of Tier I Writing Requirement  
Effective Fall 2014
EC 413  Economic Analysis of Asia (W)  
Spring of odd years. 3(3-0) P: (EC 202 or EC 252H) and (EC 301 or EC 251H) and Completion of Tier I Writing Requirement  
PCR  Development of agriculture, industry, labor markets, and trade in some of the following: India and South Asia, China, the Pacific Rim countries, and Japan. Productivity, income distribution, finance, and planning.  
Effective Fall 2014

EC 414  Economic Analysis of Sub-Saharan Africa (W)  
Fall of odd years. 3(3-0) P: (EC 202 or EC 252H) and (EC 301 or EC 251H) and Completion of Tier I Writing Requirement  
PCR  African economic development in historical perspective. Contemporary development issues including agricultural policies, industrial development, foreign trade and aid, human resource investments, AIDS, and the political economy of economic and political policies and reforms.  
Effective Fall 2014

EC 420  Introduction to Econometric Methods  
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. 3(3-0) P: (EC 202 or EC 252H) and (EC 251H or EC 301) and (MTH 124 or MTH 132 or MTH 152H or LB 118) and (STT 315 or STT 421 or STT 430 or STT 441)  
Effective Fall 2014

Effective Fall 2014

EC 421  Advanced Econometric Methods  
Spring of every year. 3(3-0) P: (EC 420)  
PCR  Panel data methods, instrumental variables, limited dependent variables, time series analysis, and other advanced topics.  
Effective Fall 2014

EC 425  Law and Economics (W)  
Fall of every year. 3(3-0) Interdepartmental with Finance. P: (EC 251H or EC 301) and Completion of Tier I Writing Requirement  
PCR  Application of economic analysis to the law. Property rights, takings, the Coase Theorem. The economics of regulation, crime and punishments, liability law, and public choice.  
Effective Fall 2014

EC 435  Public Expenditures (W)  
Fall of every year. 3(3-0) P: (EC 251H or EC 301) and Completion of Tier I Writing Requirement  
Effective Fall 2014

EC 436  Public Revenues (W)  
Spring of every year. 3(3-0) P: (EC 251H or EC 301) and Completion of Tier I Writing Requirement  
PCR  Principles and theory of efficiency and the incidence of taxation. Income and sales taxes and other major revenue sources.  
Effective Fall 2014

EC 440  International Trade (W)  
Fall of every year. 3(3-0) P: (EC 251H or EC 301) and Completion of Tier I Writing Requirement  
PCR  Neoclassical and modern theories regarding trade patterns and commercial policies. Applications of theory to United States policy. Contemporary issues involving international trade of goods, services, and productive factors.  
Effective Fall 2014
EC 441  International Finance (W)  
Spring of every year. 3(3-0) P: (EC 251H or EC 301) and (EC 252H or EC 302) and Completion of Tier I Writing Requirement  
PCR  Neoclassical and modern theories pertaining to balance of payments and exchange rate determination. Macroeconomic performance under alternative exchange rate regimes. Contemporary issues involving international monetary arrangements. Effective Fall 2014  

EC 450  Economics of Environmental Policy (W)  
Spring of every year. 3(3-0) P: (EC 301 or EC 251H) and Completion of Tier I Writing Requirement  

EC 460  American Industry: Structure and Behavior (W)  
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. 3(3-0) P: (EC 251H or EC 301) and Completion of Tier I Writing Requirement  
PCR  Market structure and performance. Empirical analysis of market definition, concentration, product differentiation, vertical integration, innovativeness, collusion, and entry deterrence. Effective Fall 2014  

EC 480  Analysis of Labor Markets (W)  
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. 3(3-0) P: (EC 251H or EC 301) and Completion of Tier I Writing Requirement  
PCR  Labor supply and demand. Human capital, search, migration, and labor turnover. Analysis of unemployment and wage growth. Structure of wages, including economics of discrimination. Effective Fall 2014  

EC 485  Economics of Education (W)  
Fall of every year. 3(3-0) P: (EC 251H or EC 301) and Completion of Tier I Writing Requirement  
PCR  The intersection of economics and education with a focus on U.S. education policy. Human capital, education production, and education reforms. Effective Fall 2014  

EC 490  Independent Study  
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. Summer of every year. 1 to 3 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 3 credits in all enrollments for this course. P: (EC 202 or EC 252H) and (EC 251H or EC 301) R: Approval of department.  
PCR  Research and reading course for students interested in doing independent work in economics under faculty supervision. Effective Fall 2006 Effective Fall 2014  

EC 491  Advanced Topics in Economics  
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. 3(3-0) A student may earn a maximum of 9 credits in all enrollments for this course. P: (EC 251H or EC 301) and (EC 252H or EC 302) and (MTH 124 or MTH 132 or MTH 152H) R: Approval of department.  
PCR  Advanced work in specialized topics of economics. Effective Fall 2006 Effective Fall 2014  

EC 495  Economics of Poverty and Income Distribution (W)  
Fall of every year. 3(3-0) P: (EC 251H or EC 301) and Completion of Tier I Writing Requirement  

EC 498  Economics of Health Care (W)  
Fall of odd years. 3(3-0) P: (EC 251H or EC 301) and Completion of Tier I Writing Requirement  
PCR  Economic factors in determining health care costs, utilization, quality, and efficiency. Demand and insurance. Comparative health care systems. Public policy issues. Effective Fall 2014
EC 499  Senior Seminar for Economics Majors (W)
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. 3(3-0) P: (EC 251H or EC 301) and (EC 252H or EC 302) and (EC 420 and completion of Tier I writing requirement) R: Open only to seniors in the Department of Economics.  R: Open to seniors in the Economics Major.

PCR Capstone course for economics majors. Reading and discussion concerning selected economics topics. Preparation and presentation of student research project.  
Effective Fall 2006 Effective Fall 2014