Proposed Curricular Changes in the College of Education and Human Sciences

Following are proposed curricular changes in the College of Education and Human Sciences. If you have questions or concerns, contact Jill Prushiek at prushijt@uwec.edu or 715-836-5710 within 15 days of this notice, posted March 13, 2018

Department of Kinesiology

From Current Catalog Web Page:


To: Remove KINS 284 and KINS 277 as required courses for the Athletic Training major (see below for catalog years affected).

Rationale: This request entails the removal of KINS 284 and KINS 277 from the program requirements for the Athletic Training major. The Department of Kinesiology has moved the content from KINS 284 into KINS 294 (addition of lab component to class) and removed this course as an offering. KINS 294 is a required class for KINS as well as the Athletic Training major, therefore the students will still be obtaining the knowledge/content associated with this course. In addition, the content from KINS 277 was moved into KINS 275 (addition of lab component to class) and KINS has removed this course as an offering. KINS 275 is a required class for Athletic Training majors, therefore the students will still be obtaining the knowledge/content associated with this course.

Due to accreditation requirements for the Athletic Training major, this proposal change should go into effect beginning with the following catalogs:

Removal of KINS 277 requirement effective for students in catalog 2017-18 and beyond.

Removal of KINS 284 requirement effective for students in catalog 2018-19 and beyond.

Department of Communication Sciences Disorders

From Current Catalog Web Page: The Communication Sciences and Disorders program offers a certificate program for interested students in American Sign Language (ASL). The goals of this program are for students to develop a depth of knowledge and skill in
the use of ASL; students will appreciate the distinct culture of the Deaf community and behave according to the social norms of the culture; and students will apply semantic and/or linguistic elements of ASL in their use of the language. This certificate will not satisfy external standards. Interpreters must complete a minimum of an Associate’s degree; teachers of ASL must be licensed to teach ASL or hold Deaf and Hard of Hearing teacher licensure.

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Completion of the ASL Certificate requires 18 credits of ASL coursework or 12 resident credits of ASL coursework beyond CSD 102.

Rationale: Under the current ASL Certificate requirements, students need to complete 18 credits of ASL coursework to earn the certificate. This is problematic for students who place into the higher-level ASL courses without earning the prior ASL course credits. Adding the option to take the placement test to place into an ASL level up to ASL 4, in addition to completing 12 resident ASL credits will provide flexibility for students earning the ASL Certificate and maintain the UWEC 12-credit minimum for Certificates.