## UNDERGRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL MAJOR CHANGE BULLETIN NO. 9 Spring 2014

---REQUIREMENTS---

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The requirements listed below reflect the undergraduate major curricular changes approved by the Catalog Subcommittee since approval of the last Undergraduate Major Change Bulletin. All changes are underlined. Deletions are crossed out. The column to the far right indicates the date each change becomes effective.

| Dept | Proposed | Effective <br> Date |
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| Apparel, Merchandising, Design \& Textiles Revise certification requirements in Apparel Design | Apparel Design ( 120 Hours) <br> Apparel design focuses on the interaction between design and merchandising and offers depth in apparel design. Students typically complete a minor in Fine Art and/or Business Administration. <br> Students wishing to certify in apparel merchandising, design, and textiles must have a minimum $2.70-2.50$ cumulative gpa. Students must receive a C or better grade in all AMDT courses and MKTG 360. A course may only be repeated once. Courses required in these programs cannot be taken on a pass, fail basis. To maintain certification, a $2.70 \underline{2.50}$ cumulative gpa is required each semester. Independent study and internship courses $(490,495,498)$ will not be included in gpa calculations. Students dropping below a $2.70 \underline{2.50}$ gpa will be de-certified and can reapply when the gpa is $2.70 \underline{2.50}$ or above. Students interested in the apparel design option are accepted through a portfolio review process. Applications are available in the main office and need to be submitted during the spring semester of the second year. Transfer student who have completed two years of college may submit an application during the summer prior to the first semester of attendance at WSU for consideration. | 8-14 |
| Apparel, Merchandising, Design \& Textiles Revise Certification Requirements in Merchandising | Merchandising ( $\mathbf{1 2 0}$ Hours) <br> Merchandising includes courses designed to allow students to develop competence in the planning, buying, and selling of merchandise in either manufacturing or retail organizations. Curriculum includes a focus on marketing. Students often pursue one of the minors in Business. <br> Students wishing to certify in apparel merchandising, design, and textiles must have a minimum $\mathcal{Z . 7 0} \underline{2.50}$ cumulative gpa. Students must receive a $C$ or better grade in all AMDT courses, MKTG 360, and ECONS 352. A course may only be repeated once. Courses required in these programs cannot be taken on a pass, fail basis. | 8-14 |
| Communication BA in | Strategic Communication (120 Hours) | 8-14 |

Communication:
Add new
Integrated Communication option to Strategic Communication major and revise existing major.

Certification Requirements
To certify a major in Communication, a student must meet the following minimum requirements: (1) Complete COM 101, 105, and 138; (2) Sophomore standing (transfer students should have at least 15 graded credits from courses in residence at WSU); (3) Complete the Murrow College Grammar and Writing exam administered by the College of Communication.

Certification in the Murrow College is based on the following: the number of available seats, the applicant's cumulative WSU gpa, the number of credits completed at the time of application, and the applicant's performance on the Murrow College Grammar and Writing Exam. The top students are certified based on the number of seats available that semester. Transfer course grades will NOT be used to calculate the cumulative WSU gpa. Students transferring into the College with 55 or more hours should complete the certification requirements with in two semesters. All students should certify before earning 90 credit hours.

Students are required to take at least 3 semester hours of multimedia content creation (COM 210 or equivalent) courses and 3 semester hours of communication writing (COM 300 or equivalent). Transfer students who do not have these credits in their AA can take these credits as electives.

All majors require a minimum of 49 semester hours in Communication.

| First Year | Hours |
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| First Term | 3 |
| COM 101 | 1 |
| COM 138 | 3 |
| Diversity [DIVR] | 3 |
| ENGLISH 101 [WRTG] | 3 |
| Quantitative Reasoning [QUAN] | 3 |
| Social Sciences [SSCI] | Hours |
| Second Term | 3 or 4 |
| Biological Sciences [BSCI] or SCIENCE 101 [SCI] ${ }^{1}$ | 3 |
| COM 102 [COMM] | 3 |
| COM 105 [HUM] | 3 |
| HISTORY 105 [ROOT] | 3 |
| Electives |  |
| Apply for and Certify in Major | Hours |
| Second Year | 3 |
| First Term | 3 |
| COM 210 | 3 or 4 |

First Term Hours
COM 1013
COM 138 1
Diversity [DIVR] 3
ENGLISH 101 [WRTG] 3
Quantitative Reasoning [QUAN] 3
Social Sciences [SSCI] 3
Second Term Hours
Biological Sciences [BSCI] or SCIENCE $101[\mathrm{SCI}]^{1} 3$ or 4
COM 102 [COMM] 3
COM 105 [HUM] 3
HISTORY 105 [ROOT] 3
Electives 3
Apply for and Certify in Major
Second Year
First Term Hours
COM 2103
Creative \& Professional Arts [ARTS] 3
Physical Sciences [PSCI] or SCIENCE $102[\mathrm{SCI}]^{1} \quad 3$ or 4


| Electrical <br> Engineering and <br> Computer | Computer Engineering Requirements (123 Hours) |  | 8-14 |
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| graduation | First Year |  |  |
| requirements for | First Term | Hours |  |
| Engineering | CHEM 105 [PSCI] | 4 |  |
|  | CPT S 121 | 4 |  |
|  | ENGLISH 101 [WRTG] | 3 |  |
|  | MATH 171 [QUAN] | 4 |  |
|  | Second Term | Hours |  |
|  | CPT S 122 | 4 |  |
|  | MATH 172 | 4 |  |
|  | MATH 216 | 3 |  |
|  | PHYSICS 201 | 4 |  |
|  | Second Year |  |  |
|  | First Term | Hours |  |
|  | CPT S 223 | $\underline{3}$ |  |
|  | E E 214 | 4 |  |
|  | HISTORY 105 [ROOT] | 3 |  |
|  | MATH 220 | 2 |  |
|  | MATH 273 | 2 |  |
|  | PHYSICS 202 | 4 |  |
|  | Second Term | Hours |  |
|  | CPT S 223 | 3 |  |
|  | Creative \& Professional Arts [ARTS] | 3 |  |
|  | E E 234 | 4 |  |
|  | E E 261 | 3 |  |
|  | E E 262 | 1 |  |
|  | HISTORY 105 [ROOT] | $\underline{3}$ |  |
|  | MATH 315 | 3 |  |
|  | Complete Writing Portfolio |  |  |
|  | Third Year |  |  |
|  | First Term | Hours |  |
|  | E E 311 | 3 |  |
|  | E E 321 | 3 |  |
|  | E E 324 | 4 |  |
|  | E E 352 | 3 |  |
|  | ENGLISH 402 [WRTG] | 3 |  |
|  | Second Term | Hours |  |




|  | Diversity [DIVR] <br> Second Term <br> Hours <br> CPT S 302 <br> Complete Cpt S Exit Interview and Survey <br> Footnotes <br> ${ }^{1}$ ECONS 101 or 102 recommended. <br> ${ }^{2}$ Fifteen credits ( 5 courses) of option area classes are required for completion of the degree program. The option courses are chosen from upper-level computer science related courses and must be approved by an advisor. BS Computer Science Option courses can be chosen from the following list of classes: CE 463, CPT S 425, CPT S 427. CPT S 430, CPT S 434, CPT S 438, CPT S 440, CPT S 442, CPT S 443, CPT S 451, CPT S 452, CPT S 453, CPT S 455, CPT S 456, CPT S 464, CPT S 466, CPT S 470, CPT S 481, CPT S 483, CPT S 490, CPT S 499, DTC 335, MATH 401, MATH 402, MATH 415, MATH 420, MATH 421, MATH 440, MATH 441. NOTE: Upper-division courses in other disciplines may be used with permission. Contact your advisor if you are interested in taking a course that is not included on this list. |  |
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| Electrical <br> Engineering and Computer Science Revise graduation requirements for BA in Computer Science | Bachelor of Arts, Computer Science Requirements(122 Hours) | 8-14 |



|  | ${ }^{1}$ Either math sequence below will satisfy the math requirement for this degree. Sequence B will allow a broader selection of advanced computer science electives. The course work in mathematics must total at least sixteen semester hours (including MATH 216). Sequence A: MATH 201, 202, 212, and a MATH elective chosen from the following list: MATH 364, 416, or STAT 412. Sequence B: MATH 171, 172, 220, and MATH 212, or MATH 360. <br> ${ }^{2}$ SOC 101 recommended. <br> ${ }^{3}$ Science electives must include a year-long sequence (two semesters including a laboratory in each semester) and two additional science courses, one of which must have a laboratory component. <br> ${ }^{4}$ Elective credits should include a minor program. Completion of a minor is strongly encouraged. If a minor in a science or engineering discipline is contemplated, Math Sequence B should be taken (see note 1). <br> ${ }^{5} 300-400$-level advanced computer science electives must be chosen to contain advanced work in at least three separate computer science areas. Eligible areas and courses are: a) Theory: CPT S 317, 450, 453; b) Scientific Computing: CPT S 430, 438, 470; c) Programming Languages: CPT S 355, 452, 481; d) Hardware Systems: CPT S 360, 460, 466; E E 324, 334; e) Graphics and Multimedia: CPT S 442, 443; f) Software Systems: CPT S 425, 427, 451, 455, 464; g) Intelligent Systems: CPT S 440, 434; h) Software Engineering: CPT S 421, 422, 423; i) Selected offerings of CPT S 483 could fit in one or more of the categories above. Consult with an advisor for course choices and other requirements. |  |
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| Electrical <br> Engineering and Computer Science Revise graduation requirements for BS in Electrical Engineering | Electrical Engineering Requirements(123 Hours) <br> Fourth Year <br> First Term <br> Biological Sciences [BSCI] <br> Second Term <br> Complete E E Exit Interview and Survey <br> Footnotes <br> ${ }^{1}$ Choose from CE 211, ME 212, ME 301, or MSE 302. <br> ${ }^{2}$ Students follow one of fourfive tracks for an emphasis in their degree program: Power track: required: E E 362, 491, and at least 6 hours from E E 486, 489, 492, 493, 494; Microelectronics track: required: E E 351, 476, 496, at least two of the following E E 431, 464, 489; Systems track: required: E E 464, 489, at least one from E E 432, 451, and two from E E 351, 431, 432, 451, 470; General track: at least one from E E 324, 351, 362, 489, and one from E E 432, 451, 491, 496; or Computer Engineering track: required: E E 434,466 , at least one from E E 324, 334, CPT S 360. See your academic advisor for an approved list and other requirements. | 8-14 |
| Engineering and Computer Science WSUVancouver Revise Minor in | Computer Science <br> The minor in computer science consists of 2021 credit hours that must include either CS 121 or 251 , plus CS $122,223,224,360$, and three two $300-400$ level CS courses, excluding CS 402. Lower division (100-200 level) courses must-may be | 8-14 |


| Computer Science | taken in residence at WSU or through WSU-approved education abroad or educational exchange courses, excluding CS 402. Upper division (300-400 level) courses must be taken in residence at WSU. All prerequisites for miner courses must be met. All courses must be completed with a grade of C or better and all course prerequisites must be met. The minor course of study must be preapproved by the computer science academic coordinator. |  |
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| Engineering and <br> Computer <br> Science WSU- <br> Vancouver <br> Revise <br> certification and graduation requirements in BS in Computer Science. | Bachelor of Science, Computer Science Requirements (Vancouver Only) (120 <br> Hours) <br> Each May the computer science faculty will examine the available capacity in the program and determine the number of new students to be certified for the fall semester. Similarly, the faculty will determine in September the number of additional students to be certified for the spring semester. Students must be certified computer science majors, or minors, to enroll in 300 or 400 level computer science courses. Certification is required by WSU prior to the granting of a baccalaureate degree. <br> Minimum qualifications for certification in computer science are: <br> 1) Completion of Math 171, Math 172, CS 121, CS 122, CS 216, CS 224, CS 260, CS 261 and PHYSICS 201, or their equivalents, with a grade of C or better. <br> 2) A cumulative GPA of 2.0 or better. <br> 3) Students must be in good academic standing when they apply for certification with a 2.0 GPA or better in their prior semester's coursework. <br> Students applying for certification for the fall semester must submit all necessary transcripts, along with their application for certification, by July $1^{\text {st }}$. Students applying for certification in the spring semester must submit their application (and necessary transcripts) by November $1^{\text {st }}$. Applicants will be notified of the decision by July $15^{\text {th }}$ for fall semester applicants, or by November $15^{\text {th }}$ for spring applicants. <br> If the number of applications for certification exceeds the program's capacity, the following criteria will be used to select the applicants to be certified: <br> 1) GPA earned in the courses required for certification <br> 2) Overall GPA <br> Students who meet the minimum qualifications for certification, but are denied certification, may appeal the decision. The appeal should describe any special circumstances to be considered. A faculty committee will consider the appeal the circumstances described, trends in the student's grades and course load - and make a final decision regarding certification. The appeal must be submitted within 2 weeks of the notification described above. Appeals will be considered and final decisions made by August $1^{\text {st }}$ and January $1^{\text {st }}$ for the fall and spring semesters, respectively. Previously-certified students who become academically deficient under WSU's academic regulations are subject to decertification. | 8-14 |



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| Engineering and <br> Computer <br> Science WSU- <br> Vancouver <br> Revise certification requirements in BS in Electrical Engineering. | Bachelor of Science, Electrical Engineering Requirements (Vancouver only) (121 Hours) <br> Students who have completed at least 30 semester hours of course work and who have completed CHEM 105; CS 251; ECE 214, ECE 234, ECE 260; MATH 273; and PHYSICS 202 or their equivalents are eligible for certification into the Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering program. All courses required for certification must be completed with a grade of C or better. Enrollment in many upper-division electrical engineering courses is restricted to certified majors or minors in electrical or mechanical engineering. <br> When it becomes necessary to limit enrollment, the overall gpa as well as the gpa | 8-14 |


|  | for the prerequisite courses listed will be important factors. Students who have not completed all of the prerequisite courses will be placed in a pre-engineering major. <br> No courses listed in this schedule of studies may be taken on a pass/fail basis. All upper-division electrical engineering courses must be completed with a minimum 2.0 average gpa. <br> First Year <br> First Term <br> Hours <br> CHEM 105 [PSCI] <br> ECE 101 <br> Hours |  |
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| Engineering and Computer Science WSUVancouver Revise certification requirements in | Bachelor of Science, Mechanical Engineering Requirements (Vancouver Only) ( 121 Hours) <br> Students who have completed at least 30 semester hours of course work and who have completed Chem 105; Math 220, 273; Mech 211, 212, 215; and Phys 201 or their equivalents are eligible for certification into the Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering program. All courses required for certification must be | 8-14 |


| BS in Mechanical <br> Engineering. | completed with a grade of C or better. Enrollment in many upper-division <br> mechanical engineering courses is restricted to certified majors or minors in <br> mechanical engineering. |
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|  | When it becomes necessary to limit enrollment, the overall gpa as well as the gpa |
| for the prerequisite courses listed will be important factors. Students who have not |  |
| completed all of the prerequisite courses will be placed in a pre-engineering major. |  |$|$

Revise graduation requirements for BA in Political Science -
General.
consent of the instructor; no more than 3 hours of 499 or 3 hours of 497 may be counted towards the departmental requirements.
36 hours in POL S are required, at least 15 of which must be earned at WSU.

## First Year <br> First Term

Creative \& Professional Arts [ARTS], Humanities [HUM], or Social Sciences [SSCI]
ENGLISH 101 [WRTG] 3
HISTORY 105 [ROOT] 3
Humanities [HUM] 3
POL S 101 [SSCI] 3
Electives 3
Second Term Hours
Creative \& Professional Arts [ARTS], Humanities [HUM], or Social 3
Sciences [SSCH]
Diversity [DIVR] 3
ENGLISH 101 [WRTG] $\underline{3}$
POL S 102 3
Electives 6
Second Year
First Term
Hours
Biological Sciences [BSCI] with lab or SCIENCE 101 [SCI] 4
Creative \& Professional Arts [ARTS] 3
Foreign Language, if necessary, or Elective 3 or 4
POL S 103 3
Quantitative Reasoning [QUAN] 3
Second Term
Hours
Foreign Language, if necessary, or Elective 3 or 4
Physical Sciences [PSCI] with lab or SCIENCE 102 [SCI] 4
POL S 201 ㅢ
POL S Electives ${ }^{1,2} \quad 6$
Electives $3 \underline{4}$
Complete Writing Portfolio
Third Year
First Term Hours
300-400-level Creative \& Professional Arts, Humanities, or Social 3 Sciences Elective
300-400-level POL S Elective [M] 3
POL S Electives ${ }^{31} \quad 6 \underline{9}$

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| Politics, Philosophy, and Public Affairs Revise graduation requirements for BA in Political Science - Global Politics. | Political Science - Global Politics Option(120 Hours) <br> 3336 hours in POL S are required, at least 15 of which must be earned at WSU. Consult advisor on study abroad in junior year International Experience requirement. <br> First Year <br> First Term <br> Hours <br> Biological Sciences [BSCI] with lab or SCIENCE 101 [SCI] <br> ENGLISH 101 [WRTG] <br> HISTORY 105 [ROOT] <br> Humanities [HUM] <br> POL S 101 [SSCI] <br> Quantitative Reasoning [QUAN] <br> 3 or 4 | 8-14 |



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| Politics, <br> Philosophy, and Public Affairs Revise graduation requirements for BA in Political Science - Prelaw. | Political Science - Pre-Law Option(120 Hours) <br> $24 \underline{30}$ hours in POL $S$ and 18 hours in other disciplines required. $21 \underline{15}$ of the $z 4$ 30 required-hours of POL S course work must be earned at WSU. <br> First Year <br> First Term <br> Biological Sciences [BSCI] with lab or SCIENCE 101 [SCI] <br> ENGLISH 101 [WRTG] <br> HISTORY 105 [ROOT] Humanities [HUM] <br> Humanities [HUM] <br> POL S 101 [SSCI] <br> Quantitative Reasoning [QUAN] <br> Second Term <br> ECONS 101 [SSCI] or ECONS 102 [SSCI] <br> ENGLISH 101 [WRTG] <br> Humanities [HUM] <br> Physical Sciences [PSCI] with lab or SCIENCE 102 [SCI] <br> POL S 102 <br> Electives | 8-14 |



