University Committee on Curriculum (UCC)  
2012-13

Issues Addressed:

- Curricular review of courses and programs

  **Undergraduate Programs** – Changes (61), Deletes (1), New (8), Moratoria (6), **Total** (76)

  **Graduate Programs** - Changes (41), Deletes (2), New (14), Moratoria (0), **Total** (57)

  **Total Undergraduate and Graduate Programs** (133)

  **Undergraduate and Graduate Course Actions** - New (208), Changes (887), Deletes (92), **Total** (1187)

- Courses Administratively Deleted from the Catalog (Not Taught in the Preceding Four Calendar Years)

  72 courses deleted August 2012 – 5 courses reinstated (.069%)

Policies Developed:

- Request to Change the *Bylaws for Academic Governance* to add the University Registrar as Ex Officio Member of the University Committee on Curriculum, Section 4.5.1.
- Request to Change Policy for Enrollment in AL 201
- Instituted a prerequisite, corequisite, restriction review on all undergraduate courses
- Proposal to University Committee on Undergraduate Education (UCUE) to Convert Undergraduate Specializations to Minors
- Proposal to University Committee on Undergraduate Education (UCUE) to Change the Policy Definition of a Minor

Informational and Briefing Items: University Curriculum and Catalog works in support of the University Committee on Curriculum.

- Serves as a curricular resource for all colleges
- Makes web improvements to the University Curriculum and Catalog website
- Provides Academic Orientation Program Course Descriptions 2013-14
- Conducts COURSES and ACADEMIC PROGRAMS Training Sessions on an as-needed basis
- Provides academic units with special reports regarding academic programs including specialization and enrollment data, [http://www.reg.msu.edu/ucc/ucc.asp](http://www.reg.msu.edu/ucc/ucc.asp)
- Provided “Swift Curricular Approvals: What Does it Take?” workshop for faculty and advisors.

Anticipated Items for 2013-2014:
(UCC governance items are asterisked (*))

- Continue curricular review of courses and programs *
- Continue website enhancements
- Offer updated curricular workshops
- Conversion of undergraduate specializations to minors

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