

VALDOSTA STATE UNIVERSITY  
ACADEMIC COMMITTEE MINUTES  
November 13, 2023

The Academic Committee of the Valdosta State University Faculty Senate met in the Education Center on Monday, November 13, 2023. Dr. Sharon Graves, Associate Provost for Academic Programs and Services, presided.

Members Present: Dr. Joshua Pifer, Dr. Carol Crenshaw, Dr. Kenny Ott, Dr. Taewon Hwang, Dr. Samantha Paul, Dr. Laurel Yu, Dr. Deborah Briehl, Dr. Colette Drouillard, Dr. R. Paul Mihail, Dr. Cynthia Tori, Dr. Cynthia Tori (Proxy), Dr. Kelly Mathis, Ms. Kytt Moore, and Ms. Terri Ray.

Members Absent: Dr. Michelle Blankenship, Mr. Tommy Crane, Dr. Ophelie Desment, Mr. Brian Williams, Lisa Batten, and Dr. Kelly Mathis.

Catalog Editor: Dr. Jane Kinney and Dr. Emma Kostopolus

Visitors Present: Dr. Natlie Kuhlmann, Dr. Debbie Paine, Dr. Paul Vincent, and Dr. Andreas Lazari

The Minutes of the October 2, 2023 meeting were approved by email on October 6, 2023 (page 1).

A. College of the Arts

1. Revised degree requirements for the BFA in Art was approved effective Fall Semester 2024. (pages 2-3)
2. Revised prerequisite Art Education (ARED) 3000, 'Issues and Trends in Contemporary Art Education' (ISSUES/TRENDS CONTEMPORARY ARE) - 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 1 lab hour, and 4 contact hours, was approved effective Spring Semester 2024. (pages 67-68).

B. College of Education and Human Services

1. Revised course description Elementary Education (ELED) 2500, 'Survey of Science Standards for Elementary Education' (SCISTAND ELED) - 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours, was approved effective Spring Semester 2023 with the description changed to An inquiry-based introduction to fundamental science concepts in kindergarten through grade five. The course focuses on elementary science standards through an examination of the Next Generation Science Standards.

FLED 6000	World Languages and TESOL Methods
FLED 6010	P-8 Classroom Laboratory
FLED 6780	Supervised Internship/Clinical Practice
FLED 6790	Student Teaching/Clinical Practice
FLED 6800	Clinical Practice Seminar
FLED 7000	Curriculum and Instruction of World Languages & TESOL
FLED 7010	6-12 Classroom Laboratory

C. College of Science and Mathematics

1. Deactivation of the BA in Mathematics was approved effective Spring Semester 2024 (2022-12-13).

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