



**University Senate
Annual Committee Report
Academic Year 2020-2021**

Name of Committee: Curriculum and Academic Programs Committee (CAPC)

Submitted by: Denise Bodman, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences-Social Sciences, Tempe campus 2021 (Chair)

Date Submitted: 4/2021

Membership Roster:

- Kate Brown, College of Health Solutions, Downtown Phoenix campus 2022
- Scott Danielson, Ira A. Fulton Schools of Engineering, Polytechnic campus 2022
- Mary Sully De Lague, Thunderbird School of Global Management, Downtown Phoenix campus 2022
- Kay Faris, W.P. Carey School of Business, Tempe campus 2022
- Aaron Fellmeth, Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law, Downtown Phoenix campus 2022
- Teresa Foulger, Mary Lou Fulton Teachers College, West campus 2021
- Kate Fox, Watts College of Public Service & Community Solutions, Downtown Phoenix campus 2021
- Caroline Harrison, College of Global Futures, Tempe campus 2022
- Patricia Huntington, New College of Interdisciplinary Arts and Sciences, West campus 2022
- Stephen Johnston, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences - Natural and Life Sciences, Tempe campus 2022
- Stacey Kuznetsov, Herberger Institute for Design and the Arts, Tempe campus 2022
- Imge Oranli, College of Integrative Sciences and Arts, Polytechnic campus 2022
- Adam Rigoni, Barrett, The Honors College, Tempe campus 2021
- Dennis Russell, Walter Cronkite School of Journalism and Mass Communication, Downtown Phoenix campus 2022
- Claudia Sadowski-Smith, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences-Humanities, Tempe campus 2022
- Aribides Usman, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences - Social Sciences, Tempe campus 2022
- Shawn Youngstedt, College of Nursing and Health Innovation, Downtown Phoenix campus 2021

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Ex officio non-voting

- Simin Levinson, University Senate President (ex-officio, non-voting)
- Elizabeth Wentz, Graduate College (ex-officio, non-voting)

Overview Narrative:

Over the course of the academic year, the committee met monthly to consider a total of 68 curricular proposals brought before the committee, including 41 establishments of degrees, certificates, concentrations, minors, and academic unit; 13 disestablishments of degrees, concentrations, and certificates; 12 name changes; and 2 miscellaneous changes.

The committee also devoted additional time to reviewing the purpose, functions, and processes of CAPC. As a result, the committee decided to update the bylaws, clarify our roles and goals, create a flowchart of the CAPC process, as well as University wide processes, and create a brief training program for future CAPC members. These and other changes will be addressed in the upcoming academic year (21/22).

Finally, in April 2021, Koali, an organizational software program designed to facilitate course/program proposals was introduced and will be used by ASU this coming year, allowing improved communication and CAPC processing.

The entire committee recognizes that none of the good work of the committee could have been accomplished without the support and participation of Phyllis Lucie.

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68 curricular proposals went before the Curriculum and Academic Program Committee:

Establishments	
Establishment of a graduate degree	12
Establishment of an undergraduate degree	3
Establishment of a graduate certificate	3
Establishment of an undergraduate certificate	6
Establishment of a graduate concentration	8
Establishment of an undergraduate concentration	7
Establishment of a minor	1
Establishment of an Academic Unit/Reorganization of Existing Programs	1

Disestablishments	
Disestablishment of a graduate degree	4
Disestablishment of an undergraduate degree	1
Disestablishment of a graduate concentration	3
Disestablishment of an undergraduate concentration	1
Disestablishment of a graduate certificate	2
Disestablishment of an undergraduate certificate	2

Name Changes	
Name change of an undergraduate certificate	2
Name change of a graduate certificate	2
Name change of an undergraduate concentration	2
Name change of a graduate concentration	3
Name change of an undergraduate degree	1
Name change of a graduate degree	1
Name change of an existing academic unit	1

Miscellaneous Proposals	
Change the Academic Organization Code	1
Transfer of an UG degree	1

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