

**UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS  
URBANA-CHAMPAIGN SENATE**  
(Final; Information)

EP.19.09 Report of Administrative Approvals at the September 17, 2018 meeting of the EPC.

**Graduate Programs**

**Graduate Concentration in Information Technology and Control** – Add the part-time Master of Business Administration (PMBA) to the list of programs participating in the Graduate Concentration in Information Technology and Control offered by the Department of Business Administration. The concentration requirements would remain unchanged and would be the same for the PMBA as they are for all previously-approved programs that participate in the concentration.

**Graduate Concentration in Accountancy** – Add the part-time Master of Business Administration (PMBA) to the list of programs participating in the Graduate Concentration in Accountancy offered by the Department of Accountancy. The concentration requirements would remain unchanged and would be the same for the PMBA as they are for all previously-approved programs that participate in the concentration.

**Ph.D. in Music Education** – 1) Replace MUS 536, Soc-Cultur Inquiry Music Learn (4 hours) with MUS 543, Music Teacher Education (4 hours) as a specifically-required course and 2) Move MUS 536 to the list of Music Education Electives from which students are to select a total of 6 hours. This revision stems from the current faculty’s revised goals for the program, which place emphasis on preparing students as educators of music teachers. It does not alter the total number of hours required for the degree.

**Doctor of Musical Arts (DMA), Music Composition Concentration; Performance and Literature Concentration; and Vocal Coaching and Accompanying Concentration** – In these three concentrations, add MUS 522, Special Topics Seminar (4 hours), to the list of Advanced Musicology courses from which students are to select 8 hours. There is no change to the total hours required for the concentrations or for the degree.

**Master of Arts in Spanish, Concentration in Spanish Literatures and Cultures** – Revise the “Other Requirements” to replace the requirement of completing three comprehensive exams with the requirement of submitting a research paper.

<i>Current -- Other Requirements</i>		<i>Proposed -- Other Requirements</i>	
Requirement	Description	Requirement	Description
Other requirements may overlap		Other requirements may overlap	
A concentration is required		A concentration is required	
SPAN 571 is required of all teaching assistants		SPAN 571 is required of all teaching assistants	

Students must also complete three comprehensive exams on areas chosen in consultation with their advisors.		Students must also submit a research paper completed in consultation with their advisors.	
Minimum 500-level Hours Required Overall:	16	Minimum 500-level Hours Required Overall:	16
Minimum GPA:	3.0	Minimum GPA:	3.0

### Undergraduate Programs

**Bachelor of Science in Animal Sciences, all concentrations** – Switch ANSC 306, Equine Science (3 hours) from the “Basic Science” list of courses from which students select 6 hours (all concentrations) to the “Applied Science” list of courses from which students select 6 hours in the Companion Animal and Equine Science Concentration and in the Science, Pre-Veterinary and Medical Concentration and 12 hours in the Food Animal Production and Management Concentration. In the Companion Animal and Equine Science Concentration, the course will remain in the specific course options where a student chooses one group (6 hours) from ANSC 206 and ANSC 306 or ANSC 250 and ANSC 307, and it will remain the case that the course cannot be used to meet more than one requirement.

This change does not alter the number of hours required for any of the concentrations or the total number of hours required for the degree.

~~**Undergraduate Minor in Business**—1) Eliminate the currently required admission application. Requirements to officially declare the minor will be sophomore standing and completion and submission of the university’s Minor Declaration Form. 2) Eliminate restrictions on courses that count toward the minor such that non-business major/minor students will be able to register. Non-business major students who wish to register for courses that are part of the Business Minor will be expected to enroll in online sections of these courses when online sections are available. 3) Revise the prerequisites for Business Minor core courses such that CS 105, Intro Computing: Non Tech (3 hours), MATH 234, Calculus for Business I (4 hours), and STAT 100, Statistics (3 hours) will no longer be required but instead presented as *recommended* courses. Only ECON 102, Microeconomics (3 hours) remains a prerequisite to the core course FIN 221, Corporate Finance (3 hours). Other prerequisites do continue to apply to certain Business Minor elective courses. Documentation of notification of the Departments of Computer Science, Mathematics, and Statistics is attached.~~

~~None of these changes impact the total number of hours required for the minor.~~

**The item struck through above has been submitted as EP.19.10.**