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COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES
CURRICULUM PROPOSALS

Proposal: Name Change of Agricultural Economics Major to Agricultural & Applied Economics

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NAME CHANGE JUSTIFICATION FORM

School/College

Name: _____

Proposed

Name: _____

Department Name Changes:

Current Department Name: Proposed Department Name:

Major Name Changes:

Current Major Name: Degree Proposed Major Name: Degree

Agricultural Economics BSA Agricultural & Applied Economics BSA

Minor Name Change:

Current Minor Name: Degree Proposed Minor Name: Degree

Prefix Changes:

A prefix change package should be submitted after the name change has been approved.

Current Department Proposed Department

Prefix Prefix

JUSTIFICATION:

Attach a page justifying changes.

SIGNATURES:

School/College:

Agri Road

Department:

Fred C. White

Name Change Justification

Current Name: Agricultural Economics

Proposed Name: Agricultural & Applied Economics

The Department of Agricultural and Applied Economics is requesting the change the major Agricultural Economics to Agricultural & Applied Economics to more accurately describe the major. The major involves significant course work concerning land and labor resources, finance, law-economics, and international trade that can more accurately be described under the major of Agricultural & Applied Economics.

**Agricultural and Applied Economics
Core Curriculum - First- and Second-Year Courses**

Area A: Essential Skills (9 hours)

- ENGL 1101*
 - ENGL 1102
 - MATH 1113
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Area B: Institutional Options (4 hours)

- Excess hour from Area D, excess hours (0-2 hours) from Area F
 - Elective (hours needed depend on excess hours from Area F)
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Area C: Humanities/Fine Arts (6 hours)

- SPCM 1100 (or SPCM 1500)
 - Select 3 hours from the following:
 - ARTS 2000, 2050; ARHI 2100; CLAS 1000, 1010, 1020, CMLT 2111, 2210, 2212, 2220, 2400, 2500; DANC 2010; DRAM 2000, 2120, 2130; ENGL 2310, 2320, 2330, 2340, 2400; EDES 2510, 2520; LING 2100, MUSI 2020, 2040, 2060, 2080; PHIL 1000, 1500, 2200, 2400; RELI 1001, 1002, 1003, 2004, (AFAM) 2005; ROML 2550
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Area D: Science, Mathematics, and Technology - (11 hours)

- BIOL 1107-1107L - 4 hours or PBIO 1210-1210L - 4 hours
 - MATH 2200-2200L - 4 hours
 - Lab Science Course (4 hours) - See UGA Core Curriculum
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Area E: Social Sciences (12 hours) (Selections are required from at least two departments)

- Preferred Courses:
- POLS 1101 - 3 hours (required if student has not met Georgia and U.S. Constitution requirement by examination)
 - HIST 2111 - 3 hours or HIST 2112 - 3 hours (required if student has not met Georgia and U.S. History requirement by examination)
- Select 6 hours from the following:
- AAEC 2580; AFAM 2000; ANTH 1102, 2310; ECON 2100, 2105, 2200; EDES 1500; GEOG 1101-1101D, 1103-1103D, 1125-1125D; HIST 2050H, 2221, 2222, 2301, 2302, 2501, 2502, 2701, 2702; PSYC 1101, 2100; SOCI 2500, 2730, (AFAM) 2820; SPCM 1010; WMST 1110, 2010
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Area F: Related to Major (18 hours)

- MIST 2090 or PHIL 1500 or CSCI 1100-1100L - 3 hours
 - AAEC 2580 - 3 hours or ECON 2106 - 3 hours
 - ACCT 2101 - 3 hours
 - ECON 2105 - 3 hours
 - STAT 2000 - 4 hours
 - MATH 2110 - 3 hours or MATH 2210-2210L - 4 hours
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*A grade of "C" or better in ENGL 1101 and an average of 2.0 for ENGL 1101 and 1102.

**Agricultural and Applied Economics
Third- and Fourth-Year Courses**

Major Requirements (14 hours)

- ___ AAEC 3400 Introduction to Agricultural Policy - 3 hours
- ___ AAEC 3580-3580L Intermediate Economic Principles - 4 hours
- ___ AAEC 4610-4610L Applied Econometrics - 4 hours
- ___ ECON 4020 Intermediate Macroeconomics - 3 hours

Major Related Requirements (9-10 hours)

Select at least 9 hours from the following:

- ___ AAEC 3040 Economics of Agricultural Marketing or AAEC 3100 Food and Fiber Marketing - 3 hours
- ___ AAEC 3060 Principles of Resource Economics - 3 hours
- ___ AAEC 3690 Agribusiness Finance - 4 hours
- ___ AAEC 4210 Production Economics: Theory with Applications - 3 hours

Major Electives (15 hours)

Select at least 15 hours from the following not taken as Major Requirements or Major Related Requirements

- ___ AAEC courses \geq 3000 level - 12 hours. No more than 3 hours in AAEC 4271.
- ___ AAEC, ECON, FINA, HACE, LEGL, MARK, MGMT, MIST, REAL, or RMIN course \geq 3000 level - 3 hours

Applied Life Science Requirement (3 hours)

- ___ Select one course from the following: ADSC 2010, ADSC 3320, CRSS \geq 2010, EHSC \geq 3060, ENTO \geq 3740-3740L, ENGR \geq 3050, FORS \geq 3000-3000L, FDST \geq 3000, PGEN 3580-3580L, HORT \geq 2000, PATH \geq 3530-3530L, POUL 2020-2020L

General Electives (18-19 hours)

- ___ Any other courses to reach 120 hours required for graduation, 39 hours of upper division courses, and 15 hours at the 4000 level.

TOTAL HOURS REQUIRED - 120 hours

Student Check Sheet:

- ___ Total of 120 hours of course work.
- ___ Total of 39 hours of upper division courses.
- ___ At least 21 hours of upper division courses in major field (major requirements, major related course, and major electives).
- ___ At least 15 hours at the 4000-level.
- ___ Grades of "C" or better are required in the major requirements, major required courses, and major electives.
- ___ A grade of "C" or better in ENGL 1101 and an average of 2.0 for ENGL 1101 and 1102.
- ___ Residency requirement: 45 of last 60 hours taken at UGA.
- ___ One hour of Physical Education.
- ___ UGA environmental literacy
- ___ UGA cultural diversity requirement