



To: Provost, Sam Gingerich
University of Alaska Anchorage

Fr: Kimberly Swiantek,
UAA Governance Office

Re: Department of Geomatics Proposed Changes in Contact Hours


On November 6, 2015 the Faculty Senate approved the following motion, brought forward by the Undergraduate Academic Board (UAB), revising the contact hours for Geomatics courses from (2+2) to (3+0).

Attachments: Memo from Department of Geomatics Chair, Gennady Gienko.

Provost

Approved Disapproved

Comments:



Sam Gingerich, Provost

11/15/2015

Date

Chancellor

Approved Disapproved

Comments:



Tom Case, Chancellor

19 Nov 2015

Date

MEMORANDUM

To: Undergraduate Academic Board, UAA

April 14, 2015

The Department of Geomatics proposes changes in contact hours for several courses.

The Department has implemented the major curriculum review in 2014. It became apparent that allocation of the contact hours for many classes is not aligned well with the delivery mode. This prompted the Department to modify the CCGs in line with the optimal course delivery. The CCG's are all written in a general way and do not specify information about lab activities. Per instructor's preference, hands-on activities would be handled by in-class demonstrations, reinforced through homework assignments and outside of class activities. It is proposed to change contact hours from (2+2) to (3+0) for the following courses:

GEO A157 - Computer-Aided Drafting for Surveyors

GEO A355 - Land development design

GEO A357 - Photogrammetry

GEO A410 - Airborne LiDAR Surveying

GEO A420 - High Density Spatial Data Analysis

GEO A466 - Geopositioning

GIS A201 - Intermediate GIS

GIS A301 - Spatial Data Structures

GIS A351 - Remote Sensing

GIS A366 - Spatial Analysis

GIS A367 - Image Analysis

GIS A433 - Coastal mapping

GIS A458 - Spatial Data Management

There are no any other changes apart from updating implementation date and coordination emails.

Thanks,



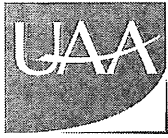
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To: Vice Provost, Susan Kalina

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Susan Kalina', written over the 'To:' line.

Cc: University Registrar, Lora Volden
Faculty Senate President, Tara Smith
Undergraduate Academic Board Chair, Carrie King

Fr: Governance Coordinator, Kimberly Swiantek,

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Re: Department of Geomatics Proposed Changes in Contact Hours

The Department of Geomatics submitted a memo to the Undergraduate Academic Board (UAB) requesting a change in contact hours, from (2+2) to (3+0), for several courses that were approved through the curriculum process in 2014. The UAB approved the change in contact hours on April 17th, 2015. As a result of the memo not going to the Faculty Senate for approval and to ensure the changes in contact hours were made prior to the opening of Spring 2016 registration, the Faculty Senate Executive Board approved the change on behalf of the Faculty Senate on October 13, 2015. The memo will proceed to the Faculty Senate for approval at their regularly scheduled meeting in November.

Attachment: Department of Geomatics memo to the UAB

If I may be of further assistance, please let me know.