## Memorandum

To:	General Faculty
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**Date:** April 16, 2009

**Regarding**: Agenda, Faculty Senate Meeting, October 9<sup>th</sup> at 3:00 pm in TLC 1-303

The agenda for the October 9<sup>th</sup> Faculty Senate Meeting will be as follows:

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Roll Call
- 3. Approval of the minutes of the September 11, 2009 meeting (See Addendum I)
- 4. Committee Reports

#### **Committee I: Undergraduate Academic Programs (Chair, Shelly Elman)**

#### Action Items: (See Addendum II)

- A) College of Arts and Sciences
  - 1) Department of Computer Science
    - a) Program: Minor in Computer Science Request: Modify Action: Approved
    - b) CS 2000 Request: Delete Action: Approved
    - c) CS 2100 Request: Add Action: Approved
    - d) CS 2311 Request: Delete Action: Approved

- e) CS 2600 Request: Delete Action: Approved
- f) CS 3201 Request: Add Action: Approved
- g) CS 3202 Request: Add Action: Approved
- h) CS 3312 Request: Delete Action: Approved
- i) CS 4410 Request: Delete Action: Approved
- j) CS 4980 Request: Delete Action: Approved
- 2) Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures
   a) Program: BA in Foreign Languages and Literatures, Spanish Track Request: Modify Action: Approved

## 3) Department of Psychology

a) Program: Psychology Request: Modify description Action: Approved

## 4) Department of Sociology and Criminology

- a) CRIM 4211 Request: Add Action: Approved
- b) SOCI 3283 Request: Add Action: Approved
- c) SOCI 4325 Request: Add Action: Approved

#### **Information Items:**

- A) College of Arts and Sciences
  - 1) Department of Computer Science
    - a) CS 1301 Request: Modify Action: Approved
    - b) CS 3110 Request: Modify Action: Approved
    - c) CS 3151 Request: Modify Action: Approved
    - d) CS 3211 Request: Modify Action: Approved
    - e) CS 3270 Request: Modify Action: Approved
    - f) CS 3280 Request: Modify Action: Approved
  - 2) Department of Math

     a) MATH 2008
     Request: Modify
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  - 3) Department of Foreign Languages
    - a) SPAN 4004 Request: Modify Action: Approved
    - b) SPAN 4006 Request: Modify Action: Approved
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- k) SPAN 4240 Request: Modify Action: Approved
- SPAN 4250 Request: Modify Action: Approved
- m) SPAN 4280 Request: Modify Action: Approved
- n) SPAN 4785 Request: Modify Action: Approved

#### **Committee II: Academic Policies and Procedures (Chair, Janet Donohoe)**

#### **Action Items:**

A) Proposed addition to Faculty Handbook section 201. The addition of Section 201.07 includes a policy regarding response to a pandemic or other emergency situation.
 (See Addendum III)

#### **Information Items:**

A) Academic Calendar for 2010-2011 (See Addendum IV)

Committee IX: Graduate Studies (Chair, Skip Clark) (See Addendum V)

#### Action Items:

- A) College of Arts and Sciences
  - 1) Department of Sociology and Criminology
    - a) Program Accelerated Masters Program Criminology Request: Add Action: Approved
    - b) Program Accelerated Masters Program Sociology Request: Add Action: Approved

#### 5. Old Business

- 6. New Business
- 7. Announcements
- 8. Adjournment

# Addendum I

## **Faculty Senate Meeting**

## **University of West Georgia**

## **September 11, 2009**

## **Minutes**

1. The Senate was called to order at 3:05 by Chris Huff, Chair Pro Tem.

2. Roll Call was taken and the following Senators were present: Jean Cook, Bridgette Gunnels, Charles Hodges, Ron Reigner for Tami Ogletree, Janet Donohoe, Mary Hooper, David Boldt, Carol Wilson for Cynthia Epps, Chris Huff (Senate Chair Pro Tem), Paul Luken, Jason Huett for Phyliss Snipes, Lewis Baumstark, Greg Payne, Alison Shook, Heather Mbaye, Abbot Packard, Dawn McCord, Mina Rollins, Mary Hancock, Eilis Crean, Sunil Hazari, Adrian Austin, Laura Hatfield, Javier Hasbun, Danilo Baylen, Tm Chowns. Those absent were: Shelly Elman and Leanne Defoor.

3. Minutes for the July 24, 2009 meeting of the Faculty Senate were approved.

#### Action Items (Addendum II)

4. All items (adding SOCI 3283: Globalization and SOCI 4325: Social Change in the Middle East) submitted by the College of Arts and Sciences through the Undergraduate Academic Programs Committee were approved. The UAPC revision of its manual to reflect online submissions of course modification/addition/deletion forms and supporting material was approved. These revisions also clarify the steps to go through to modify, add, or delete courses from the core curriculum. The modification of the pre-requisites for MATH 2008 was presented as an information item by the COAS.

#### **Unfinished Business**

5. Chris Aanstoos was nominated and elected to serve as the Executive Secretary of the Faculty Senate.

#### **New Business**

6. A lively discussion took place concerning preparing for the flu. It was agreed that the faculty should be made aware of the need to prepare for conducting courses and having students meet course learning objectives should faculty and/or students become ill with the flu. AP& P will address this issue and return with recommendations for the Senate to consider. The Senate asked the Interim VPAA to notify the faculty concerning issues surrounding preparation for the possibility of a wide spread flu epidemic or pandemic.

6a. Several new business items not on the agenda were presented by Chris Huff. After a brief discussion, a motion was made and approved to allow for two senators from the School of Nursing and for other nursing faculty to serve on senate committe es. It was also approved for minor edits to some previous minutes as recommended by Chris Huff.

#### Announcements

7. It was announced that there will be an Ad Hoc Committee for ELI; a special meeting of the general faculty will be called by the President; and the Ad Hoc Budget Committee will meet as soon as possible.

## Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 4:15

Submitted by Brent M. Snow

# **Addendum II**

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## **Program Modification: Minor in Computer Science**

Effective Term: Fall 2010

These changes are dependent upon approval of the following new courses: CS 2100 and CS 3201 (new course requests have been submitted together with this program modification proposal).

Please note, strikethrough text represents a deletion from the current version, and the bold, highlighted text represents an addition (referencing the 2008 – 2009 Undergraduate Catalog, p. 190).

CS 2100	Introduction to Web Development	3	
CS 3201	Program Construction I	3	
CS 3211	Software Engineering I	3	
CS 3280	System and Network Administration	3	
<del>CS 3110</del>	System Architecture	<u>3</u>	
	(prerequisite CS 1301 & 1302 or department consent)		
<u>CS 3151</u>	Data Structures and Discrete Mathematics I		
<del>CS 3152</del>	Data Structures and Discrete Mathematics II		
<del>Three</del> Add	litional 3000/4000 level CS courses	<del>9</del> -3 - 6	
TOTAL		<b>15 -</b> 18	

Rationale

The proposed modification places emphasis on knowledge and skills in web development, principles and practice of software development, and an introduction to administering computer systems and networks. The minor will focus less on traditional computer science theory, offering students pursuing other majors a more attractive and relevant introduction to the study of computer science. Finally, the adjustment to the number of required credit hours (allowing 15 – 18) provides flexibility for various majors who have differing requirements for the number of hours needed for a minor.

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## **Program Modification: B.S. in Computer Science**

Effective Term: Fall 2010

These changes are dependent upon approval of the following new courses: CS 2100, CS 3201, and CS 3202 (new course requests have been submitted together with this program modification proposal).

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CS 3211	Software Engineering I	3	
CS 3212	Software Engineering II	3	
CS 3230	Information Management	3	
CS 3270	Intelligent Systems	3	
CS 3280	System and Network Administration	3	
CS 4225	Parallel and Distributed Systems	3	
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<del>CS 4980</del>	Web Technologies	3	
CS 4982	Computing Capstone	3	
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## Rationale

These changes will allow the Department of Computer Science to:

- Expose students to more breadth of coverage of computer science early in their coursework.
- Reinforce at the beginning of the students' careers important concepts and practices that will help them succeed in advanced classes.
- Give students who tire of the heavy emphasis on programming in the introductory computer science course sequence (CS 1300, 1301, & 1302) the chance to develop different kinds of skills early on.
- Offer a wider variety of courses to take in the first years of the program, relieving the back loading that now occurs.

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Course Addition: CS 2100 - Introduction to Web Development

Effective Term: Fall 2010

Catalog Description

An introduction to the design and implementation of web pages and sites: foundations of human-computer interaction; development processes; interface, site, and navigation design; markup and style-sheet languages; site evaluation; introduction to client-side scripting.

Pre-requisites CS 1300 with a minimum grade of C

Credit Hours 2/2/3

**Course Learning Outcomes** 

- Given clear functional specifications, apply best practices to design and implement a multipage website using markup and style-sheet languages. [Bloom's level 3]
- Apply fundamental principles of human-computer interaction to the interface and navigation design of a multipage website. [Bloom's level 3]
- Follow an iterative, incremental user-centered software development process in the design and implementation of a multipage website. [Bloom's level 2]
- 4. Analyze a website's usability and conformance to industry standards. [Bloom's level 4]
- 5. Adapt existing client-side scripts to add dynamic elements to a website. [Bloom's level 2]

Possible Text

<u>Web Development and Design Foundations</u>, by Terry Felke-Morris Addison Wesley; 4th edition (February 2, 2008) ISBN-10: 0321530195 ISBN-13: 978-0321530196 Chapters 1 – 10, 13, 14

Grading Policy

- 3 tests: 60%
- Lab and homework exercises: 20%
- 2 projects: 20%

Proposed Class Schedule

- Week 1: Introduction to the Internet and the World Wide Web
- Week 2: XHTML basics

- Week 3: Configuring color & text with style sheets
- Week 4: Using visual elements and graphics; test 1
- Week 5: Site design
- Week 6: Page layout with style sheets; project 1 assigned
- Week 7: Navigation, lists and layout
- Week 8: Tables; project 1 due
- Week 9: Forms; test 2
- Week 10-11: Site development process; project 2 assigned
- Week 12: Web promotion
- Weeks 13 14: Introduction to client-side scripting; project 2 due last day of class
- Final exam (test 3)

Examples of lab exercises

- Week 3: create two external style sheets to set text and color styles for the same web page.
- Week 7: design and implement a navigation scheme for a 5-page website
- Week 12: create meta tags, page titles, and heading keywords to promote a web site

#### Sample project

Design and implement a web site for an animal hospital with a home page and linked pages for services, facilities, personnel, frequently asked questions, photo gallery, and an "ask the vet" interactive form. View Document Info

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Course Addition: CS 3202 - Program Construction II

Effective Term: Fall 2010

Catalog Description

A continuation of CS 3201: effective practices, principles, and patterns for building correct, understandable, testable, and maintainable code using a variety of programming paradigms, programming languages, and system architectures.

Pre-requisites CS 3201

Credit Hours 2/2/3

#### **Course Learning Outcomes**

The student should learn, given clear functional specifications, to apply best practices in the construction of multi-layer software applications involving at least two programming paradigms, languages, and system architectures. Construction of such systems will require the student to:

 Evaluate two each of programming paradigms, programming languages, and system architectures to determine which are most appropriate for an application.

[Bloom's level 5]

- Develop architectural and implementation designs. [Bloom's level 4]
- 3. Implement code in at least two languages in different programming paradigms.

[Bloom's level 3]

- Justify design and implementation decisions in code reviews and presentations.
   [Bloom's level 5]
- Design and implement unit and integration tests for modules employing different programming paradigms.
   [Bloom's level 4]
- 6. Select and use appropriate software tools. [Bloom's level 3]

Possible Text <u>Code Complete</u>, by Steve McConnell Microsoft Press; 2nd edition ISBN-10: 0735619670 ISBN-13: 978-0735619678 Grading Policy

- 2 tests: 40%
- Lab and homework exercises: 20%
- 3 projects: 40%

Proposed Class Schedule

- Weeks 1 3: Programming paradigms
- Weeks 4 6: System architectures; test 1
- Weeks 7 10: Implementing and testing multi-layer systems; test 2
- Weeks 11 14: Implementing and testing web applications
- Final exam (test 3)

Examples of lab and homework exercises

- Week 2: implement a script in a dynamically typed scripting language to dynamically generate a web page.
- Week 9: implement a data mapper to move data between model objects and a database while keeping the model and database independent of each other and of the mapper itself.
- Week 13: create and implement a test plan for a server-side script.

Sample project

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## Course or Program Addition, Deletion or Modification Request

Department: Foreign Languages and Literatures

College: College of Arts & Sciences

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#### Bachelor of Arts: Major in FOREIGN LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES, SPANISH TRACK

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College: College of Arts & Sciences

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## Psychology Department-Approved Modifications to Undergraduate Catalogue

**Undergraduate Catalogue Modification #1** [from p. 351 of 2008–2009 Undergraduate Catalogue]:

At the very-least, students must declare the major in Psychology at the mid-point of

the semester prior to the semester of graduation. [NEW SENTENCE]: At the very least, students must declare the major in Psychology before 90 attempted hours of course work and at the mid-point of the semester prior to the semester of graduation.

## Undergraduate Catalogue Modification #2 [from pp. 351-352 of 2008-2009 Undergraduate Catalogue]

Learning Outcomes

In keeping with the mission of the University of West Georgia, the Department of Psychology provides its students with opportunities for intellectual and personal development through quality teaching, scholarly inquiry, creative endeavor, and service for the public good. The University aspires to preeminence in providing educational excellence in a personal environment through an intellectually stimulating and supportive community for its students, faculty, and staff. The Department joins the University in its commitment to high-quality undergraduate and graduate programs that are grounded in a strong liberal arts eurriculum-and-that: · Impart broad-knowledge and foster critical understanding needed for intellectual growth, personal and social responsibility, cultural and global literacy, and life-long learning Emphasize-disciplinary rigor · Foster the development of effectiveness in communication, critical and independent thinking, problem solving, and the use of technology · Create a learning community-dedicated to instructional excellence where

close student faculty interaction enhances both teaching and learning for a diverse and academically well-prepared student body

[NEW PARAGRAPH]:

#### **Learning Outcomes**

The Undergraduate Psychology curriculum at the University of West Georgia affirms and builds upon the liberal arts goals of the University Core Curriculum and provides discipline-specific training designed to achieve the following goals and learning outcomes:

**Theoretical Dexterity**—Graduates of the psychology program will have developed a deep understanding of the dominant themes, conflicts, and perspectives within the discipline, as well as the ability to employ, critically evaluate, and shift among various perspectives when required. Specifically, they will

- Articulate and employ the major perspectives of psychology including biological/neuroscientific, behavioral, cognitive, psychoanalytic, critical, humanistic, and transpersonal psychology.
- Compare, contrast and describe advantages and limitations of these perspectives.
- Discuss overarching themes, persistent questions, or enduring conflicts in psychology such as the interaction of heredity and environment, or the interaction of mind and body.

**Application of Learning**—Graduates of the psychology program will be able to effectively and judiciously apply psychological concepts and perspectives to the major domains of life outside the classroom. Specifically, they will

- Identify and evaluate the source, context, and credibility of information.
- Articulate how psychological principles can be used to explain social issues and inform public policy.
- Critically evaluate popular media reports of psychological research.

**Historical-Cultural Context**—Graduates of the psychology program will demonstrate a keen awareness of the ways that culture and history have shaped the discipline and affect its practitioners. Specifically, they will

- Recognize how sociocultural contexts influence the application of psychological ideas.
- Narrate the history of psychology, including the evolution of methods, the theoretical conflicts, and the sociocultural contexts of the field.
- Understand how privilege, power, and oppression may affect prejudice, discrimination, and inequity.

**Personal Development**—Graduates of the psychology program will gain knowledge about their identity, values, aspirations, emotions, strengths and weaknesses. Specifically, they will

- Identify their personal and professional values.
- Demonstrate insight into, and awareness of, their emotions, motives, and attitudes using psychological ideas and principles.

**Career Discernment and Preparation**—Through close collaboration with faculty, graduates of the psychology program will have an understanding of the major career areas in psychology and an intimate knowledge of their own inclinations and vocations toward a particular area of work. Specifically, they will

- Describe preferred career paths in conjunction with their advisor and on the basis of an accurate selfassessment of abilities, achievement, motivation, and work habits.
- Apply knowledge of psychology (e.g., decision strategies, life-span processes, psychological assessment, types of psychological careers) to the formulation of career choices.

#### Friendly Amendment from UAPC

#### 30 September 2009

Program: Psychology Request: Modify Descriptions Action: Approved with a friendly amendment Modification #1 was confusing because the modification in a different form was made to the 2009-2010 catalog (the catalog currently reads: *Students must declare the major in Psychology prior to attempting 90 credit hours.*)

A suggestion was made to change the proposed sentence to (change is in red):

"At the very least, students must declare the major in Psychology before 90 attempted hours of course work and [at] before the mid-point of the semester prior to the semester of graduation."

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#### **University of West Georgia**

#### Spring Semester, 2009

#### Crim – 4280

#### **Police Deviance**

<u>Instructor</u>: Dr. David Jenks, phone (678) 839 – 6327 Email: <u>djenks@westga.edu</u> (the best way to reach me)

Office: Department of Sociology and Criminology, Pafford 230

Office Hours: MW 11-12:30 // 1:45-3:30 // 5-6 -- All other times by appointment

#### Required Texts:

"Understanding Police use of Force" by Alpert and Dunham, 2004. Cambridge University Press

A variety of articles will be assigned. Each student will be personally responsible for retrieving the articles as most will be available online full-text from the library.

#### Course Description:

The main focus of this course will be on examining a variety of contemporary issues in policing. Policing in a democracy often conflicts with the core principles protecting citizens from government intrusions. Controversies have arisen regarding officer misconduct, racial profiling, excessive use of force, and ineffective traditional policing strategies such as the war on drugs. The controversies provide a context for studying police deviance and they are the substance of this course. After completing this course, students will be able to demonstrate:

- A working knowledge of police deviance (L3).
- The areas where Police prejudice/discrimination may appear, both on duty and off, related to sex, race, nationality, and other persons of interest (L4).
- A working knowledge of police discretion (L3).
- A working knowledge of the police subculture/personality related to personal and social consequences (L3).
- An understanding of the concept of the war on crime (L9).
- An ability to identify problems police have in cross-cultural contacts (L6).
- A working knowledge of the issues in the administrative review of alleged police brutality (L10).
- An understanding of the role of Police today related to homeland security (L11).
- The importance and the effects of education on Police Officers (L11).

## Prerequisites:

Crim1100 or consent of Instructor.

#### Course Requirements:

Students are expected to attend class regularly, and complete the required assignments by the scheduled date. Due dates for assignments are tentatively listed in the course schedule and any changes will be announced in class. Because class participation is part of the course grade, it is imperative to attend class. Late papers or presentations will not be accepted unless approved and only under extreme circumstances.

Students are expected to conduct themselves in a professional manner. Participation in class discussions is highly encouraged as it enhances the learning experience for everyone. Rude and obnoxious behavior will not be tolerated. This includes, but certainly is not limited to talking while the instructor is lecturing and *cell phones going off during class and exams*. All types of electronic devices (e.g. cell phones, pagers, personal digital assistants, laptops) are prohibited during class. If any cell phones ring or vibrate during class you should leave the classroom and not return for the remainder of that class. If any cell phones or pagers are visible during an exam, you will receive an F for that exam.

Promptness is necessary for examinations. Students will not be allowed to take exams if they arrive after the first person finished has turned in their exam. This is to ensure academic honesty.

#### Academic Dishonesty

#### **Special Needs**

If you need course adaptations or accommodations because of a disability, if you have emergency medical information to share with me, or if you need special arrangements in case the building must be evacuated, please make an appointment with me as soon as possible so that I may make proper arrangements to accommodate your needs.

#### Grading:

Final grades will be based on the four essay exams.

The exams will be cumulative essay exams covering *all* of the material covered in the text *and* class discussions.

Letter grades will be assigned as follows:

90 - 100% = A

80 - 89.99 = B

70 - 79.99 = C

60 - 69.99 = D

00 - 59.99 = F

# Course Schedule

Week of:	Торіс	Assignment
Jan 5th	Introduction	
Jan 12th	Defining Corruption - Police Perspective	
	Unconstitutional Policing: The Ethical Challenges in Dealing with Noble Cause Corruption - Thomas J. Martinelli 2006	
Jan 19th	Defining Corruption - Academic Perspective	
	Police (mis)behavior: a cross-cultural study of corruption seriousness - Sanja Kutnjak Ivkovic 2005	
Jan 26th	Examining the merits of Noble Cause corruption -	
	Law enforcement and the rule of law: Is there a trade-off? - David Bayley 2002	
	EXAM ONE - JAN 28th	
Feb 2nd	Alpert and Dunham, Chapters 1	
Feb 9th	Alpert and Dunham, Chapters 2	
Feb 16th	Alpert and Dunham, Chapters 3	
Feb 23rd	EXAM TWO - FEB 25th	
March 2nd	Alpert and Dunham, Chapters 4,5	
March 9th	Alpert and Dunham, Chapters 6	
March 16th	SPRING BREAK	

March 23rd	Alpert and Dunham, Chapters 7,8		
March 30th	EXAM THREE - March 30th		,
April 6th	Racial Profiling - NOBLE	*	
April 13th	Excessive Use of Force - Louima, Dialou		
April 20th	Dichotomy of the police role		
April 27th	EXAM FOUR - APRIL 29th		ţ.

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#### Globalization (Soc 4999-Sec. 1)

#### Spring 2009

Instructor: Dr. Neema Noori Class Time and Place: Mondays and Wednesdays 3:30 – 4:45 pm, Pafford Hall 110 Office: Pafford Hall 217 Email address: nnoori@westga.edu Office hours: Mondays 9-12, Tuesdays 9-12, Wednesdays 9-12 Prerequisite: Office phone: 678-839-6329

#### I. Course Description

Globalization refers both to the compression of the world and the intensification of consciousness of the world as a whole ... [it] does not simply refer to the objectiveness of increasing interconnectedness. It also refers to cultural and subjective matter, namely, the scope and depth of consciousness of the world as a single place. {Roland Robertson}

Globalization has something to do with the thesis that we all now live in one world ... {Anthony Giddens}

Though formally a sociology course, this class will take an interdisciplinary approach to the study of Globalization. From the beginning, due to its scope and complexity, social scientists have studied Globalization in an interdisciplinary manner. However, because of its origins in the social and political upheavals of 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> century Europe, one might argue that Sociology is best positioned to take up this intellectual challenge. Globalization has ushered in a period of transformation that is every bit as profound as that of the industrial revolution in terms of social dislocation, economic restructuring, and political change.

The first half of the course will analyze the technological, political, institutional, and economic changes that have made Globalization as we experience it today a reality. We will then examine the impact of globalization on cultural identity, asses how economic globalization has influenced the autonomy of the nation-state, and survey the institutional innovations that have emerged in response to increasing global interdependency. The second half of the course will examine growing resistance to Globalization in the form of transnational activism and the reassertion of "traditional" identities.

## I. Learning Objectives

- 1. Students will define the specialized vocabulary used in the interdisciplinary literature on Globalization.
- 2. Students will identify how processes associated with globalization are manifested locally.
- 3. Students will analyze cultural, historical, political, and economic approaches towards examining Globalization.
- 4. Students will assess the prevailing views on the developmental effects of economic globalization.
- 5. Be able to communicate (orally and in writing) how sociology contributes to an understanding of social reality.
- 6. Understand theoretical and methodological approaches to description and interpretation. Understand basic concepts, perspectives, and their interpretive applications.
- 7. Demonstrate an ability to think critically.
- 8. Show specific knowledge in one subfield of sociology.

## **Course Requirements**

#### Discussion and Reaction Papers

Participating in discussions is one of the best ways to learn. You are expected to contribute your insights to the class. Preparation is paramount. To meet the learning goals of this course, you will need to read the materials for every class session carefully and thoughtfully. Bring your text to every class session for ready reference. To help organize your participation and preparation, and to allow you to help set the agenda for discussion, you are required to fulfill the following two tasks. First, you must prepare a weekly memo summarizing the argument of the material you have just read and your critique, extension, or application of the author's thesis. Second, you must come to class equipped with at least one question to help generate discussion.

Your memos must be two to three pages in length (double-spaced). Your papers should briefly summarize and react to the argument or main points advanced by the assigned reading. The key to writing a reaction paper is to succinctly summarize the main argument in your own words. The reaction should take the form of a critique and/or elaboration of the author's argument. All papers must be turned in to the instructor on Monday before the class begins. (You are permitted two skips over the course of the semester)

#### Grading

Reaction Papers: 20 points Participation: 10 points Exam 1: 20 points Exam 2: 20 points Presentations: 10 points Final exam: 20 points Total: 100

Grading Scale

A 95-100	C+ 78-80
A- 90-95	C 74-78
B+ 88-90	C- 70-74
B 84-88	D 60-70
B- 80-84	F Less $< 60$

#### Dates:

Exam 1: 2/18 Exam 2: 4/1 Final Exam:

## **Class Policies**

- Please do not attempt to carry on conversations with other students during class. Even whispering creates a distracting buzz. Please turn off your cell phones and beepers.
- To maintain an environment that is conducive to learning, no disruptions will be tolerated. I reserve the right to expel disruptive students from the class.
- Attendance is mandatory: If you miss more than three classes, you will lose two points from your accumulated point total for each additional absence.
- If you wish to use a laptop in class, you must sit near the front of the classroom (rows 1-2).
- As discrepancies with regard to grades can occur, it is recommended that students retain all graded materials until such time as final grades have been sent out.
- PLEASE DO NOT EMAIL PAPERS.
- Extra-credit or make-up work is not available in this course.

- Assignments <u>must</u> be submitted no later than the <u>beginning</u> of the class scheduled on the due date. Late work will be penalized at 10% of the total value for each day late, beginning immediately during the class on the due date. No work will be accepted after the last scheduled class of the semester. The instructor is not responsible for lost papers. If you are unable to turn in the assignment personally, please your own arrangements to have the paper submitted on your behalf. Students are strongly encouraged to keep a copy of each assignment until final grades are recorded. Any exceptions must be approved well in advance of the due date with the instructor.
- No coursework will be accepted after the final exam.
- Plagiarism is a serious infraction. Proven plagiarized work will be treated as not submitted, resulting in an F for the course.
- Permission for make-up exams/quizzes will only be granted in unusual circumstances. To obtain permission, I need to be notified via email in advance of the day of the exam/quiz. In the interest of fairness, make-up exams/quizzes will be more challenging than the original.

#### II. Required Textbooks

Globalization: A Very Short Introduction, Manfred B. Steger The World is Flat 3.0, Thomas Friedman All other Readings will be made available via CourseDen

#### III. Schedule of Lectures, Discussions, Films/Slides and Readings

#### Weeks 1-4: Introduction to Globalization

- 1/7 Introductions
- 1/12 Stephen Walt, "One World Many Theories"Ikenberry, "Illusions of Empire: Defining the New American Order"
- 1/14 Jessica Mathews, "Power Shift"
- 1/19 Martin Luther King Holiday
- 1/21 Friedman, Chapter 1, pp. 3-48
- 1/26 Friedman, Chapter 2, pp.48-100
- 1/28 Friedman, Chapter 2, pp.100-150
- 2/2 Friedman, Chapter 2-4 pp.150-225
- 2/4 Friedman, Chapters 5-7, pp. 225-276
- 2/9 Friedman, Chapters 8-9, pp.276-339
- 2/11 Friedman, Chapters 10-11, 339-414
- 2/16 Friedman, Chapters 12-13, 414-441
- 2/18 Exam I

#### Weeks 4-8: Debating Globalization

Historical Foundations of Globalization

2/23 Steger, (1-37)

Economic and Political Dimensions of Globalization

2/25 Steger, (37-69)

Cultural and Ideological Dimensions of Globalization

- 3/2 Steger, (pp.69-93)
- 3/4 Steger, (pp.93-113)
- 3/9 Steger, (pp.113-131)

#### Weeks: Culture, Religion, Identity, and Globalization

3/11 Huntington, "Clash of Civilizations"

#### 3/13-22 Spring Break

- 3/23 Tomlinson, "Globalization and Cultural Identity" Watson, "McDonalds in Hong Kong"
- 3/25 Lechner and Boli, "Expanding World Culture: Pentecostalism as a Global Movement"

#### Weeks: Economic Globalization

- 3/30 Stiglitz, "Globalization and its Discontents"
  Peter Evans, "The Eclipse of the State? Reflections on Stateness in an Era of Globalization"
  Martin Wolf, "Why this Hatred of the Market?"
  Robert Wade, "Is Globalization Reducing Poverty and Inequality"
- 4/1 Exam II

#### Dubai

4/8 Saskia Sassen "Whose City Is It?"

## 4/13 Mike Davis, "Fear and Money in Dubai"

### Weeks: The Political Impact of Globalization

4/22 Kenichi Ohmae, "The End of the Nation-State" Phil Williams, "Transnational Criminal Organizations: Strategic Alliances"

#### Weeks: Resistance

- 4/27 Peter Evans, "Is An Alternative Globalization Possible?"
- 4/29 Margaret Keck and Kathryn Sikkink, *Activists Beyond Borders: Transnational Advocacy Networks in International Politics.*

#### **Final Exam:**

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#### Social Change in the Middle East (Soc 4325)

#### Fall 2009

Instructor: Dr. Neema Noori Class Time and Place: Tuesdays and Thursdays 3:30 – 4:45 pm, Pafford Hall 110 Office: Pafford Hall 217 Email address: nnoori@westga.edu Office hours: Mondays 9-12:00, Tuesdays 9-12, Wednesdays 9-12:00 Prerequisite: Office phone: 678-839-6329

#### I. Course Description

This course has two central goals. The first goal is to provide students with an understanding of the physical and cultural geography of the Middle East. The second goal is to introduce students to the most critical political, cultural, and economic forces that have impacted the region in the 20<sup>th</sup> century. Conventional accounts of political and economic development in the Middle East typically conclude that religion is the primary impediment to progressive social change in the region. This course contests conventional accounts by showing how dependence on foreign aid and the export of mineral resources have inhibited democratization in the region. In pursuing this line of inquiry we will pay close attention to the role external actors, particularly the US, have played in the region's politics. Course readings in comparative religion, gender studies, political science, sociology, and anthropology will help provide a broad, interdisciplinary perspective to social change in the Middle East.

The course is organized around the following four modules: America's relationship with the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, the Arab-Israeli conflict, terrorism, the rise of political Islam, social and cultural change in post-revolutionary Iran, women's rights, and the political economy of the Middle East. Each module will be accompanied by an independent set of readings, films, and assignments.

#### I. Learning Objectives

- 1. Students will identify the physical, political, and cultural geography of the Middle East.
- 2. Students will identify the most critical political, cultural, and economic forces to have impacted the region in the 20<sup>th</sup> century.
- 3. Students will analyze the role that external actors have played in the region's politics.
- 4. Students will assess the political impact of the Middle East's economic dependence on mineral resources.
- 5. Students will improve their skills in researching and writing academic papers.
- 6. Be able to communicate (orally and in writing) how sociology contributes to an understanding of social reality.

- 7. Understand theoretical and methodological approaches to description and interpretation.
- 8. Understand basic concepts, perspectives, and their interpretive applications.
- 9. Demonstrate an ability to think critically.

#### **Course Requirements**

#### Research Paper

Write a 7-10 page academic research paper presenting your research and findings on a topic having to do with Middle East. The topic must be approved by the instructor. Your paper should have a focused argument, address relevant counter-arguments, and use evidence to support your conclusions. It should be your own work and should refer to at least five approved sources that are NOT on the syllabus.

#### Presentations

Each member of the class will be assigned to a group for presentation of a predetermined reading. Presentation times and details of expectations will be discussed in class. Group presentations will be worth 100 possible points and will account for **20%** of your overall grade.

#### Class Attendance and Participation

Students are required to attend all class meetings and to participate actively in all class discussions. To facilitate discussion, all students are required to come to class equipped with one question and a tentative answer based on course readings. It is, therefore, important that you keep up with the readings. I reserve the right to call on specific students during class discussion.

#### Grading

Participation: 15 points Exam 1: 20 points Exam 2: 20 points Paper Proposal: 5 points Rough Draft: 10 points Final Draft of Research Paper (7-10 pages): 20 points Presentation of Research Proposal: 10 points Total: 100

#### Grading Scale

A 95-100C+ 78-80A- 90-95C 74-78B+ 88-90C- 70-74B 84-88D 60-70

B- 80-84 F Less < 60

#### Dates:

Exam 1: 2/12 Exam 2: 4/2 Final Exam:

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## II. Required Textbooks

A History of Modern Palestine, Ilan Pappe America's Kingdom, Mythmaking on the Saudi Oil Frontier, Robert Vitalis Algeria 1830-2000, Benjamin Stora

#### III. Schedule of Lectures, Discussions, Films/Slides and Readings

Introduction to the Middle East: Physical and Cultural Geography

1/13 Introduction

1/15 Sami Zubeida

Historicizing the Arab-Israeli Conflict

1/20 Pappe, pp. 1-43 Pappe, pp. 43-122 1/22 Pappe, pp. 122-141 1/27Pappe, pp. 141-183 1/29 2/3 Pappe, pp. 183-230 Pappe, pp. 230-272 2/5 Pappe, pp. 272-287 2/10 2/12 Exam 1

Terrorism, Algeria

2/17	Stora, pp.1-33
2/19	Stora, pp. 33-56
2/24	"Battle of Algiers," Film
2/26	Pape, "The Strategic Logic of Suicide Bombing"

Social Change in Post-Revolutionary Iran

- 3/3 Pardis Mahdavi
- 3/5 Farhad Khosrokhavar (2007): The New Religiosity in Iran. Social Compass

#### Women's Rights

- 3/10 Janet Abu Lughod, "Do Muslim Women Really Need Saving,"
- 3/12 "Divorce Iranian Style," Film
- 3/17 Spring Break
- 3/19 Spring Break

Political Economy of the Middle East

3/24 Lisa Anderson, "Peace and Democracy in the Middle East: the Constraints of Soft Budgets"Budgets" and Michael Ross, "Does Oil Hinder Democracy."

Democratization in the Middle East

- 3/26 Inglehart, "The True Clash of Civilizations;" Snyder, "Prone to Violence;" and Wiktorowicz, "The Limits of Democracy in the Middle East."
- 3/27 Rough Draft of Paper Due
- 3/31 Democracy Promotion in the Middle East, Review for Exam
- 4/2 Exam 2

America's Relationship with the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

- 4/7 Vitalis, pp. 1-27
- 4/9 Vitalis, pp. 27-88
- 4/14 Vitalis, pp.88-127
- 4/16 Vitalis, pp.127-194
- 4/21 Vitalis, pp.194-
- 4/23 Presentations
- 4/28 Presentations

# **Addendum III**

#### Suggested Policy language for consideration by Academic Policies and Procedures Committee

#### Faculty Handbook, section 201.07

In the event of prolonged and/or widespread absences of students and/or faculty on campus due to epidemic illness, natural disaster, or other such emergency situation, faculty are responsible for communicating with students regarding alternative means of meeting the learning objectives of the course. If the faculty member is absent for a prolonged period, he or she should provide for alternative means of delivery of course material. Such means may include distance learning options, make-up class periods, or electronic submission of assignments. In cases of prolonged student absences, faculty should relax attendance requirements and allow students to make up work missed. Each student is responsible for completing any assignments, and for making specific arrangements with the instructor for the work missed. The degree to which missed work can be made up will depend upon the nature of the work and its intended purpose, with the methods of the make-up at the discretion of the course instructor. In extreme cases of prolonged absence of either faculty or students, students may be given an 'I' for the course.

# **Addendum IV**

# Proposed Fall 2010 University Calendar

# August 2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11 New Student Registration	12 Classes Begin Drop/Add & Late Registration	13 Drop/Add & Late Registration	14
15	16 Drop/Add & Late Registration Earliest Start for BOR	17 Drop/Add & Late Registration	18 Drop/Add & Late Registration	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

# September 2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4 No Saturday Classes
5	6 Labor Day No Classes Offices Closed	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

# October 2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 Graduation App Deadline S11	2
3	4	5	6 "W" Deadline	7 Fall Break	8 Fall Break	9 No Classes
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
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# November 2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20 Saturday Classes End
21	22	23 T only classes end	24 No Classes Offices Open	25 Thanksgiving Offices Closed	26 Thanksgiving Break Offices Closed	27
28	29 M Only classes end	30 T & TH classes end				

# December 2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 MW & W classes end	2 TH only classes end	3 MWF classes end	4 Exams Latest End Date
5	6 EXAMS	7 EXAMS	8 EXAMS	9 EXAMS	10 EXAMS	11 Fall Graduation
12	13 Grades Due @ 8:30 am	14	15	16	17	18
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26	27Winter Break	28 Winter Break	29 Winter Break	30 Winter Break	3 Winter Break	

#### **Current Regents Requirements:**

Must have 75 class days; 15 class weeks Earliest Start Date: Monday, August 16 – **Received approval to start Thursday, August 12** Latest End Date: Saturday, December 4

Class Period	Begin	End	Total
MW classes must have 30 75- minute class periods	August 16	December 1	30
MWF classes must have 50 75° minute class periods	Ŭ	December 3	30
TTH classes must have 30 75-minute class periods	0	December 2	31
Must have 13 Saturdays	August 14	November 20	13

One night a week classes:

15 Mondays – classes begin August 16, end November 29 (150-minute periods)

15 Tuesdays – classes begin August 17, end November 23 (150-minute periods)

15 Wednesdays – classes begin August 18, end December 1 (150 minute periods)

15 Thursdays – classes begin August 12, end December 2 (150 minute periods)

Recommended by AP&P: Approved by PAC: Information Item, Faculty Senate:

# Proposed Spring 2011 University Calendar

# January 2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1
2	3	4	5 Classes Begin Drop/Add Late Registration	6 Drop/Add Late Registration	7 Drop/Add Late Registration	8
9	10 Drop/Add Late Registration	11 Drop/Add Late Registration	12	13	14	15 No Saturday Classes
16	17 Holiday Offices Closed	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

# February 2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28					

# March 2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2 "W" Deadline	3	4	5 No Saturday
						Classes
6	7 Spring Break	8 Spring Break	9 Spring Break	10 Spring Break	11 Spring Break	12 No Saturday
						Classes
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

#### April 2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20 W only classes end	21	22	23
24	25 M only classes end	26 T only and TTH classes end	27MW & MWF classes end	28 Reading Day	29 Exams	30 Saturday Exams

# May 2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 Exams	3 Exams	4 Exams	5 Exams	6	7 Graduation
8	9 Grades due by 8:30 am	10	11	12	13	14
15	16 Session I Classes Begin	17	18	19	20	21
22	23 Session I "W" deadline	24	25	26	27	28 No Saturday Classes
29	30 Holiday Offices Closed	31 Session Lends				

# Addendum V

Course or Program	1 Addition, Deletion or Modifica	tion Request
Department: Sociology and Criminolo	Ogy College: Colleg	ge of Arts & Sciences V EU
Current course catalog listing: (for mod	ifications or deletions)	
Prefix Course Title	)	'JAN/23/2009 Hours: Lecture/Lab/Total
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Course Program	Undergraduate	GRADUATE SCHOOL
☐ Modify	Graduate	☐ Yearly
☐ Number ☐ Title	Other*	Other
Description Other	*Variable credit must be explained	
Rationale: To include a discussion of the impact the (attach additional material as necessary) and wheth		the major or academic program
	prary resources need enhancement	
Catalog Description (New courses must attach: grading policy; and a brief class schedule. For 5 graduate credit and the differences in grading p Prerequisite(s)	XXX/4XXX courses please highlight th	
Present or Projected Enrollment: (Students *For a new course, one full term must pass between approval and		ate*: / Term/Year
Grading System:	Pass/Fail Other	
Approval: <u>Department/Ohair</u> <u>Department/Ohair</u> <u>Date</u> <u>1</u> 22 <u>MDean of Collège</u> Date	Department Chair (if cross lis Dean of College (if cross list	
Chair of TEAC (if teacher prep. program) Date Final Approval: Submitted by College Dean to Undergraduat signature for proposals carrying undergraduate credit only and se Chair, Undergraduate Academic Programs Committee	ven copies with signatures carrying both undergrad	Graduate Studies Chairman (ex copies with tuate and graduate credit). Graduate Studies Date
Vice President for Academic Affairs	Date	

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#### Add: Accelerated Master's Program for Criminology

The Department of Sociology and Criminology is proposing an accelerated Master's Program for the degree program in Criminology. Students in the accelerated Master's Program may double count up to 18 hours of coursework. This program is designed to allow academically superior undergraduate students the opportunity to complete both a Bachelor's and a Master's degree after completing 138 credits, as opposed to 156 credits currently required. Thus, students can receive their BS and MA degrees in five years.

#### **Rationale:**

- 1. Many students who succeed easily in undergraduate work choose to pursue higher degrees. With the number of schools within our state and around the country offering graduate degrees in criminology, this program will create for us a niche. In effect, we will allow academically superior students to achieve their objective to earn both degrees in less time than earning these degrees separately.
- 2. This proposed program meets important goals set by the University. As found in the Vision Statement for the University of West Georgia, Year 2000 and Beyond, "The University of West Georgia will seek to create for students from various backgrounds every possible avenue to intellectual achievement, personal development, and leadership potential without compromising academic excellence." Specifically, "the University of West Georgia will be characterized by Educational Opportunities for a Wide Range of Academically-Prepared Students." Too, this proposed program meets one of the University's "Bread and Butter Goals," in that we are "developing (another) focused recruitment plan for our graduate education programs."
- 3. The job outlook for the Criminology major, particularly those with advanced degrees, is excellent. With the passage of the Crime Control Act, opportunities in the field of criminology are rapidly expanding. Employment of police and detectives is expected to grow about as fast as the average for all occupations through 2014 (Bureau of Labor Statistics, 2006) and, according to the Bureau of Labor Statistics (2006), it is predicted that the employment rate of correctional officers and jailers will increase 4.8 % by the year 2014. The growing emphasis on homeland security has created an unprecedented demand for criminal justice and security professionals. The field of cyber-security continues to push the bounds of prepared individuals. And, due to the proliferation of criminal activity on the Internet (identity theft, e-mail harassment, industrial spying, and financial theft), it is predicted that employment of investigators will grow faster than the average for all occupations through 2014 (Bureau of Labor Statistics, 2006). Furthermore, there are a number of federal jobs that require Master's degrees (CJRA, 2006). Nearly every cabinet level department (Small Business Association, the Drug Enforcement Administration, and various branches of the Department of Justice) has enforcement divisions and people with graduate degrees in criminal justice will fit into many of them (CJRA, 2006).



The undergraduate criminology program has always been a strong program. Today, the undergraduate program in criminology is one of only three majors requiring that students have earned a 2.5 grade point average upon completion of the core area of study. In addition, the criminology program was named as the College of Arts and Sciences' evening program – the only major to guarantee that a student can complete her or his program of study in the evenings within four years.

For these and many other reasons, the number of majors in the criminology program remains consistently high – averaging over 75 majors and 27 graduates per year in the past six years. Furthermore, the graduation rate from the criminology program is third highest among all departments offering a Bachelor of Science degree.

5. Hastening the degree granting process is not new to the University System of Georgia. In fact, the joint enrollment and early admission programs do just that. These programs are available to select, college-bound high school students whose academic accomplishments indicate that they merit special consideration, and the programs allow these students to get a head start on their baccalaureate degrees.

The accelerated Master's degree program in Criminology is similar to the joint enrollment and early admission programs in that it will only be offered to University of West Georgia criminology majors whose scholarly records indicate that they are likely to be successful in the program.

#### Admission Requirements:

Students typically apply for the Accelerated program in the last semester of their junior year and complete courses during the final two semesters of their senior year.

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#### Additional Information:

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