

University Committee on Undergraduate Instruction (UCUI)
Year End Report
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UCUI had a busy year in 2016-17. The following business was completed:

New Program Approvals

BFA Dance Education
BFA Dance Education and Performance
BM Piano Pedagogy
BM Piano Performance and Pedagogy
BA Public Relations and Strategic Communication

Program Modifications

Psychology 3+3 with Wayne State Law
Biology specialization in anatomy
Removal of Dance Teaching Minor
Removal of Sociology and Sociology Secondary Teaching Minor
MTD – Addition of Technique Seminar
MTD – Addition of MUE 3080 to Chamber Music
Removal of Broadcasting Minor
Addition of Digital Media Minor
SBA Honors Program
Approval of competency credits in EHS
WHP name change and curricular modification
Art History addition of Senior Thesis
MTD increase credit in Piano Pedagogy and Piano Performance
Rubric Change for International Programs
Specialization in MIS Major
Information Security Management (ISM) Minor
Merging of CSE/CIT into CSI (new rubric)
Increase in credit (4) in Liberal Arts major in Psychology
Political Science 3+3 with Wayne State Law
Social Studies Elementary Education modification
Math Elementary Education modification
Addition of Urban Agriculture and Agroecology minor

Policy Changes:

Revision of CLEP to eliminate credit requirements
OU grading scale change from numeric to alpha
Petition of Exception changes

Discussion Items for future action:

Three credit vs four credit courses
Number of double counted credits allowed in minor
Total number of credits completed vs required for degrees
End of semester exam policy
Faculty violation of Grade Appeal policy
Competency Credit Language
Use of graduate credits from non-affiliated pharmacy programs toward SHS baccalaureate