



UNIVERSITY OF
SOUTH DAKOTA

October 19, 2016

Dr. Paul D. Turman
System Vice President for Academic Affairs
South Dakota Board of Regents
306 East Capitol Avenue
Pierre, SD 57501

Dear Dr. Turman,

During the August 2016 SDBOR meeting, BOR policy 2.7: Baccalaureate Degree General Education Requirements and BOR policy 2.26: Associate Degree General Education Requirements were revised to eliminate institutional graduation requirements. This required our university to review every active undergraduate program of study and make all appropriate updates. 114 of the 126 USD undergraduate programs were reviewed by the collective faculty and has been revised. The remaining 12 programs consist of our B.A. and B.S. major programs plus secondary education certification specializations. These combinations are housed separately in our online catalog. Our hopes are to combine curriculum to maintain these degrees under 120 total credit hours. These will be reviewed by the collective faculty next week.

Based on SDBOR modification guidelines as defined in August AAC materials, we have completed the review of our program changes. These details are documented on a substantive modification form for each program. Attached is a zip file with all of the detailed changes. Additionally we have tracked these program changes on four alternative forms to showcase the reallocation of credit hours for each program. The attached alternative tracking form includes: unspecified electives (general education and free electives), specific requirements associated with baccalaureate or associate degree, specific requirements associated with the major, and specific requirements associated with the specialization.

We understand that you will present to the SDBOR your plan to review these requests in December. If this new process is not considered by the SDBOR, we would ask for a special review of our items at the November AAC meeting and the December SDBOR meeting. This timing will help assure that we can successfully implement these changes on campus.

Thank you for your consideration and support of this request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jim Moran'.

Jim Moran
Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs

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UNSPECIFIED ELECTIVES

The following programs will realize an increase in free electives:

Program Code	Program Description	Impacted Credits
U.BS.ADST-PREV	Addiction Studies Prevention, B.S.	General Education (-9); Free Electives (+9)
U.BS.ADST-TRMT	Addiction Studies Treatment, B.S.	General Education (-9); Free Electives (+9)
U.BFA.ARTE	Art Education (B.F.A.) [EXCEPTION 128 CR HRS]	No change in hours
U.BFA.ARTE-CERM	Art Education-Ceramics (B.F.A.) [EXCEPTION 128 CR HRS]	No change in hours
U.BFA.ARTE-GRDS	Art Education-Graphic Design (B.F.A.) [EXCEPTION 128 CR HRS]	No change in hours
U.BFA.ARTE-PAIN	Art Education-Painting (B.F.A.) [EXCEPTION 128 CR HRS]	No change in hours
U.BFA.ARTE-PHOT	Art Education-Photography (B.F.A.) [EXCEPTION 128 CR HRS]	No change in hours
U.BFA.ARTE-PRNT	Art Education-Printing (B.F.A.) [EXCEPTION 128 CR HRS]	No change in hours
U.BFA.ARTE-SCUL	Art Education-Sculpture (B.F.A.) [EXCEPTION 128 CR HRS]	No change in hours
U.BGS.GENS	General Studies, B.G.S.	General Education (-9); Free Electives (+9)
U.AA.GENST	General Studies, A.A.	General Education (-6); Free Electives (+6)
U.BGS.GENS-BUS	General Studies, B.G.S. (Business Specialization)	No change in hours
U.BS.HSC	Health Sciences, B.S.	General Education (-6); Free Electives (+6)
U.BS.HSC-PMDC	Health Sciences Paramedic, B.S.	General Education (-6); Free Electives (+6)
U.BS.MLS	Medical Laboratory Science, B.S.	No change in hours
U.BM.MUED	Music Education (B.M.) [EXCEPTION 129-130 CR HRS]	No change in hours
U.BM.MUAP	Music Performance (B.M.)	No change in hours
U.BMA.MUSA	Musical Arts (B.M.A.)	No change in hours
U.AS-NURS-LPN	Nursing LPN (A.S.) [EXCEPTION 65 CR HRS currently—New Gen Eds will be 68 credit hours for the major]	General Education (+6); Nondepartmental requirements (-3) Increase program by 3 hours
U.BSED.PE	Physical Education, B.S.Ed.	No change in hours
U.BSED.ENED	Secondary Education English Education, B.S.Ed.	General Education (-3); Free Electives (+3)
U.BSED.SNED	Secondary Education Spanish Education, B.S.Ed.	No change in hours
U.BSED.SPED	Secondary Education Special Education, B.S.Ed. [EXCEPTION 124-136]	No change in hours
U.BSED.SPET	Secondary Education Speech Education, B.S.Ed.	No change in hours

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NEW DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

The following programs will realize an increase in requirements attached to the degree itself:

Program Code	Program Description	Impacted Credits	New degree-specific requirement (include course prefix + number combinations)
U.BA.ANTH	Anthropology, B.A.	BA +3cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BS.ANTH	Anthropology, B.S.	BS +3/+5cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements and +2 potential for MATH courses plus prerequisites
U.BS.CHEM	Chemistry, B.S. (ACS)	BS +3	Degree requirements +3/+5 (max # of MATH courses plus prerequisites)
U.BS.CHEM	Chemistry, B.S. (Coordinate)	BS +3/+5cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements and +2 potential for MATH courses plus prerequisites
U.BA.CSD	Communication Sciences & Disorders, B.A.	BA +3cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BS.CSD	Communication Sciences & Disorders, B.S.	BS +3/+5cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements and +2 potential for MATH courses plus prerequisites
U.BA.CMST	Communication Studies, B.A.	BA +3cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BS.CMST	Communication Studies, B.S.	BS +3/+5cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements and +2 potential for MATH courses plus prerequisites
U.BA.CSCI	Computer Science, B.A.	BA +3cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BS.CSCI	Computer Science, B.S.	BS +23	Degree requirements no longer contain built in Composite minor +18, Add ENGL 210, Add 2 cr hours for MATH prerequisites
U.BS.CJUS	Criminal Justice Studies, B.A.	BS +3/+5cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements and +2 potential for MATH courses plus prerequisites
U.BA.CJUS	Criminal Justice Studies, B.S.	BA +3cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BS.ESCI	Earth Sciences, B.S.	BS +3/+5cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements and +2 potential for MATH courses plus prerequisites
U.BA.ECON	Economics, B.A.	BA +3cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BS.ECON	Economics, B.S.	BS +3/+5cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements and +2 potential for MATH courses plus prerequisites
U.BA.ENGL	English, B.A.	BA +3cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BS.ENGL	English, B.S.	BS +3/+5cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements and +2 potential for MATH courses plus prerequisites
U.BA.ENGL-CWRT	English-Creative Writing, B.A.	BA +3cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BS.ENGL-CWRT	English Creative Writing, B.S.	BS +3	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BA.ENGL-EDUC	English Education, B.A.	BS +3	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BS.ENGL-EDUC	English Education, B.S.	BS +3	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BA.FFST	French & Francophone Studies, B.A.	BA +3cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BA.GERM	German, B.A.	BA +3cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BA.HIST	History, B.A.	BA +3cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BS.HIST	History, B.S.	BS +3/+5cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements and +2 potential for MATH courses plus prerequisites
U.BA.INTS	International Studies, B.A.	BA +3cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BS.MATH	Mathematics, B.S.	BS +3	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BS.MBIO	Medical Biology, B.S.	BS +3/+5cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements and +2 potential for MATH courses plus prerequisites
U.BA.NATV	Native American Studies, B.A.	BA +3cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3

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U.BA.NATV-LAKS	Native American Studies-Lakota Studies, B.A.	BA +3cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BA.PHIL	Philosophy, B.A.	BA +3cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BS.PHIL	Philosophy-Ethics/Law/Society, B.S.	BS +3/+5cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements and +2 potential for MATH courses plus prerequisites
U.BA.PHIL-ELS	Political Science, B.A.	BA +3cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BS.PHIL-ELS	Political Science, B.S.	BS +3	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BA.POLS	Psychology, B.A.	BA +3cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BS.POLS	Psychology, B.S.	BS +3/+5cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements and +2 potential for MATH courses plus prerequisites
U.BA.PSYC	Psychology-Disaster Response, B.A.	BA +3cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BS.PSYC	Psychology-Disaster Response, B.S.	BS +3/+5cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements and +2 potential for MATH courses plus prerequisites
U.BA.PSYC-DISR	Philosophy-Ethics/Law/Society, B.A.	BA +3cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BS.PSYC-DISR	Political Science, B.S.	BS +3	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BA.SOC	Sociology, B.A.	BA +3cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BS.SOC	Sociology, B.S.	BS +3/+5cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements and +2 potential for MATH courses plus prerequisites
U.BA.SPAN	Spanish, B.A. (Double Major)	BA +3cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BA.SPMM	Sport Marketing & Media, B.A.	BA +3cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BS.SPMM	Sport Marketing & Media, B.S.	BS +3/+5cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements and +2 potential for MATH courses plus prerequisites
U.BA.SUST-NSCI	Sustainability-Natural Sciences, B.A. (Double Major)	BA +3cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BS.SUST-NSCI	Sustainability-Natural Sciences, B.S. (Double Major)	BS +3/+5cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements and +2 potential for MATH courses plus prerequisites
U.BA.SUST-SSCI	Sustainability-Social Sciences, B.A. (Double Major)	BA +3cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements +3
U.BS.SUST-SSCI	Sustainability-Social Sciences, B.S. (Double Major)	BS +3/+5cr	Add ENGL 210 to degree requirements and +2 potential for MATH courses plus prerequisites

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NEW MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

The following programs will realize an increase in requirements attached to the degree itself:

Program Code	Program Description	Impacted Credits	New degree-specific requirement (include course prefix + number combinations)
U.BBA.ACCT	Accounting, B.B.A.	General Education (-9); Free Electives (+9 or +4); Major (0 to +5)	Pre-business core is moved into the major hours +22 (ACCT 210/211, BADM 101/220, ECON 201/202, MATH 121 or MATH 123; Added prerequisites to MATH 121/MATH 123 +0 to +5
U.BFA.ART	Art (B.F.A.)	Major +3	Add 3 hours to the Studio Specialization
U.BFA.ART-CERM	Art-Ceramics (B.F.A.)	Major +3	Add 3 hours to the Ceramics Studio Specialization
U.BFA.ART-GRDS	Art-Graphic Design (B.F.A.)	Major +3	Add 3 hours to the Graphic Design Studio Specialization
U.BFA.ART-PAIN	Art-Painting (B.F.A.)	Major +3	Add 3 hours to the Painting Studio Specialization
U.BFA.ART-PHOT	Art-Photography (B.F.A.)	Major +3	Add 3 hours to the Photography Studio Specialization
U.BFA.ART-PRNT	Art-Printmaking (B.F.A.)	Major +3	Add 3 hours to the Printmaking Studio Specialization
U.BFA.ART-SCUL	Art-Sculpture (B.F.A.)	Major +3	Add 3 hours to the Sculpture Studio Specialization
U.BS.BIOL-CBIO	Biology Conservation & Biodiversity, B.S.	Degree increases +3/+5; Major +1; General Education (-9); Free Electives (-2/+5)	ENGL 210 added to degree requirements and +2 additional prerequisite hours for MATH requirements; Major Remove BIOL 490 (1cr), Add BIOL 280/280L(2cr)
U.BS.BIOL-PCMB	Biology Physiology/Cell/Molecular, B.S.	Degree increases +3/+5; Major +1; General Education (-9); Free Electives (+2)	ENGL 210 added to degree requirements and +2 additional prerequisite hours for MATH requirements; Major Remove BIOL 490 (1cr), Add BIOL 280/280L(2cr)
U.BBA.BSAD	Business Administration, B.B.A.	General Education (-9); Free Electives (+9 or +4); Major (0 to +5)	Pre-business core is moved into the major hours +22 (ACCT 210/211, BADM 101/220, ECON 201/202, MATH 121 or MATH 123; Added prerequisites to MATH 121/MATH 123 +0 to +5
U.BS.DHYG	Dental Hygiene, B.S.	Major -6; GE +6	Remove ENGL 210; Remove Advance Comp, Aesthetic Experience IGR, and Humanities/Fine Arts requirement at program level and allow student to take Gen Ed requirements; Increase professional program electives by 6.
U.BSED.ELED/SPED	Elementary & Special Education, B.S.Ed. [EXCEPTION 126 CR HRS]	Major +17; GE -17	Add to major BIOL 104/L, CHEM 104/L, ESCI 104/L, PHYS 104/L, HIST 151, MATH 102, and POLS 100 to requirements.
U.BSED.ELED	Elementary Education (includes Early Childhood Emphasis & Kindergarten Education Emphases), B.S.Ed.	Major +17; GE -17	Remove ELED 492; Add to major BIOL 104/L, CHEM 104/L, ESCI 104/L, PHYS 104/L, EDFN 438, HIST 151, MATH 102, and POLS 100 to requirements.
U.BBA.FIN	Finance, B.B.A.	General Education (-9); Free Electives (+9 or +4); Major (0 to +5)	Pre-business core is moved into the major hours +22 (ACCT 210/211, BADM 101/220, ECON 201/202, MATH 121 or MATH 123; Added prerequisites to MATH 121/MATH 123 +0 to +5

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U.BBA.HSAD	Health Services Administration, B.B.A.	General Education (-9); Free Electives (+9 or +4); Major (0 to +5)	Pre-business core is moved into the major hours +22 (ACCT 210/211, BADM 101/220, ECON 201/202, MATH 121 or MATH 123; Added prerequisites to MATH 121/MATH 123 +0 to +5
U.BBA.HRMGT	Human Resource Management, B.B.A.	General Education (-9); Free Electives (+9 or +4); Major (0 to +5)	Pre-business core is moved into the major hours +22 (ACCT 210/211, BADM 101/220, ECON 201/202, MATH 121 or MATH 123; Added prerequisites to MATH 121/MATH 123 +0 to +5
U.BBA.IENT	Innovation and Entrepreneurship, B.B.A.	General Education (-9); Free Electives (+9 or +4); Major (0 to +5)	Pre-business core is moved into the major hours +22 (ACCT 210/211, BADM 101/220, ECON 201/202, MATH 121 or MATH 123; Added prerequisites to MATH 121/MATH 123 +0 to +5
U.BBA.MGT	Management, B.B.A.	General Education (-9); Free Electives (+9 or +4); Major (0 to +5)	Pre-business core is moved into the major hours +22 (ACCT 210/211, BADM 101/220, ECON 201/202, MATH 121 or MATH 123; Added prerequisites to MATH 121/MATH 123 +0 to +5
U.BBA.MKTG	Marketing, B.B.A.	General Education (-9); Free Electives (+9 or +4); Major (0 to +5)	Pre-business core is moved into the major hours +22 (ACCT 210/211, BADM 101/220, ECON 201/202, MATH 121 or MATH 123; Added prerequisites to MATH 121/MATH 123 +0 to +5
U.BA.MJRN-JOUR	Media & Journalism-Journalism, B.A.	Major +0-3, General Education (-9); Free Electives (+3 or +3); Degree +3	Add ENGL 203 or grammar placement; ENGL 210 Added to degree requirements.
U.BS.MJRN-JOUR	Media & Journalism-Journalism, B.S.	Major +0-3, General Education (-9); Free Electives (+1 or +6); Degree +3to5	Add ENGL 203 or grammar placement; ENGL 210 Added to degree requirements.
U.BA.MJRN-STCM	Media & Journalism-Strategic Communication, B.A.	Major +0-3, General Education (-9); Free Electives (+3 or +3); Degree +3	Add ENGL 203 or grammar placement; ENGL 210 Added to degree requirements.
U.BS.MJRN-STCM	Media & Journalism-Strategic Communications, B.S.	Major +0-3, General Education (-9); Free Electives (+1 or +6); Degree +3to5	Add ENGL 203 or grammar placement; ENGL 210 Added to degree requirements.
U.BSN.NURS	Nursing, B.S.N.	Major -10, General Education (+6); Free Electives (+4)	Remove STAT 281, CHEM 107/L, ENGL 210, MATH 102 (move to GE), Aesthetic Experience, Add PSYC 451 and choice HSC 250 or CLHU 101
U.BSN.NURS-RN	Nursing (RN), B.S.N.	Major -15, General Education (+9); Free Electives (+6)	Remove STAT 281, 10 electives, Add PSYC 451, CHEM 106/L, MICR 230. Remove ENGL 210, MATH 102 (use Gen Ed), Humanities, Aesthetic Experience
U.BSN.NURS-LPN	Nursing (LPN), B.S.N.	Major -10, General Education (+6); Free Electives (+4)	Remove STAT 281, CHEM 107/L Add PSYC 451, CHEM 106/L, MICR 230. Remove ENGL 210, MATH 102 (use Gen Ed), Aesthetic Experience

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U.BBA.OPAN	Operational Analytics, B.B.A.	General Education (-9); Free Electives (+9 or +4); Major (0 to +5)	Pre-business core is moved into the major hours +22 (ACCT 210/211, BADM 101/220, ECON 201/202, MATH 121 or MATH 123; Added prerequisites to MATH 121/MATH 123 +0 to +5
U.BS.PHYS	Physics, B.S. , B.S.	Major +3; General Education (-9); Free Electives (+14 or +21);Degree -8-15	Add additional MATH course above 102; Add ENGL 210 to degree
U.BS.PHYS-APPH	Physics-Applied Physics, B.S.	Major +3; General Education (-9); Free Electives (+14 or +21);Degree -8-15	Add additional MATH course above 102; Add ENGL 210 to degree
U.BSED.BIOED	Secondary Education Biology Education, B.S.Ed.	Major +3; GE -3	Add ENGL 210
U.BSED.HSED	Secondary Education History Education, B.S.Ed.	Major +3; GE -3	Add ENGL 210
U.BSED.MTED	Secondary Education Math Education, B.S.Ed.	Major +3; GE -3	Add ENGL 210
U.BS.SOCW	Social Work, B.S.	Major +0-1; General Education -9-10; Free Electives +9	Remove ATHN 210/HSC 380, add variable to Science requirement from 3 to 3-4 hours, Add choice of ADS 412, REL 250, PHIL 220; [ADD waiver of 18 hr minor if double major or associate degree]
U.BS.SOCW-CWLF	Social Work-Child Welfare, B.S.	Major +0-1; General Education -9-10; Free Electives +9	Remove ATHN 210/HSC 380, add variable to Science requirement from 3 to 3-4 hours, Add choice of ADS 412, REL 250, PHIL 220; [ADD waiver of 18 hr minor if double major or associate degree]
U.BFA.THEA-ACT	Theatre-Acting (B.F.A.)	Major +3; General Education -9; Free Electives +6	Add ENGL 210
U.BFA.THEA-DNTT	Theatre-Design Theatre/Technology (B.F.A.)	Major +3; Free Electives -3	Add THEA 403
U.BFA.THEA-MUST	Theatre-Musical Theatre (B.F.A.)	Major +3; General Education -9; Free Electives +6	Add ENGL 210
U.BFA.THEA-THEA	Theatre-Theatre (B.F.A.)	Major +3; General Education -9; Free Electives +6	Add ENGL 210

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NEW SPECIALIZATION REQUIREMENTS

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U.BS.KSS-EXSC	Kinesiology & Sport Science-Exercise Science, B.S.	+3	Move KSM 244 from core to specialization; remove option for KSS 385
U.BS.KSS-SPMG	Kinesiology & Sport Science-Sport Management, B.S.	-3	Remove KSM 244 from core; Remove HLTH 370

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