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**University Curriculum Committee
RECOMMENDATION**

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Recommends approval of the listed **UNDERGRADUATE COURSES CHANGES** in the following college and/or schools/programs:

College of Science

CJ 314 Crime Scene Investigation

Summary of Change: Change in name and catalog description

Rationale: The Marshall University Division of Academic Affairs has requested that departments reduce the number of course offerings, sections of courses being offered, and use of adjunct of instructors. To facilitate this request, the Department of Criminal Justice and Criminology has made the decision to expand CJ 314 to include material from CJ 312 Criminal Investigation. The content of both classes is integrally related and it would benefit students to learn and apply this content in a single class which allows them to work a criminal investigation from start to finish. Therefore, the adjustments made to CJ 314 are not major content changes and do not necessitate creating a new course. The new name for CJ 314 reflects these changes.

CJ 314 is a required course for cyber forensics and security students; and for forensic chemistry students, while CJ 312 is an elective course for any student with the appropriate pre-requisite class (CJ 211). The chairs of both departments have expressed agreement with the change (see attached e-mails). Keeping CJ 314 as the course designation and deleting CJ 312 (as opposed to creating a new course) reduces paperwork for all departments effected by this change. The course deletion application for CJ 312 also has been submitted for consideration. This course will be no longer be offered as of Fall 2021.

Curriculum:

<https://livemarshall.sharepoint.com/:b:/s/UniversityCurriculumCommittee/EburThMdSBVGkRWCrtEero wB QnWAKemK-DqbThPKHi8 A?e=PGsAjr>

PHY 201 College Physics I

Summary of Change: Change in catalog description

Rationale: This is a very small correction in the description of the course.

Curriculum:

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PHY 203 College Physics II

Summary of Change: Change in catalog description

Rationale: This is a very small correction in the description of the course.

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PHY 211 University Physics I

Summary of Change: Change in catalog description

Rationale: This is a very small correction in the description of the course.

Curriculum:

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PHY 213 University Physics II

Summary of Change: Change in catalog description

Rationale: This is a very small correction in the description of the course.

Curriculum:

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PHY 360 Medical Physics

Summary of Change: Change in catalog description

Rationale: This is a very small correction in the description of the course.

Curriculum:

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College of Education and Professional Development

CI 248 Intro Sci Elem Ed

Summary of Change: Increase in credit hour from 3 to 4 and change to catalog description.

Rationale: Increase in credit hour to accommodate extra material being added to cover the engineering standards and a change in the catalog description to reflect the new material.

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College of Arts and Media

AM 299: Sophomore Review

Summary of Change: Change in catalog description

Rationale: There are no listed prerequisites, which causes confusion when students need to register for the class. This class is a required step for students to proceed in the program. Making this change will keep students on track as they work toward their capstone project.

Curriculum:

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MUS 432: Electronic Music Comp

Summary of Change: Change in title and catalog description

Rationale: The new course title and description are more appropriate for current practice in the field. Removal of music theory pre-req enables music students to take the course when it is offered and opens it up to majors outside of music (e.g. video production, journalism, etc.)

Curriculum: <https://livemarshall.sharepoint.com/:b:/s/UniversityCurriculumCommittee/EaYMJA-MyaBJqGGCs2pYJ7EBPEkAE7O3GSjFP4Harss1zA?e=CqgnIG>

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FACULTY SENATE: *Kurt Hill* DATE: 4/9/21

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FACULTY SENATE: *[Signature]* DATE: 4-22-2021

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