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**University Curriculum Committee  
RECOMMENDATION**

**SR 20-21-39 CC**

Recommends approval of the listed **UNDERGRADUATE MAJOR ADDITION, DELETION, CHANGE** in the following college and/or schools/programs:

**College of Engineering and Computer Sciences**

**Major Change: TE30 - Bach of Sci Mech Engineering**

**Summary of Changes:** Reduction of required credit hours for the major.

**Rationale:** Reduce the graduation requirements of the BSME degree program from a minimum of 132 credit hours (CH) of coursework to the minimum 125 CH of coursework. This reduction is achieved by eliminating the requirement of the following courses: ENGR 318 (3CH), ENGR 451 (3CH), and PHY 204 (1CH). It also involved a revision of the ME 360, and changing the course alpha designator (ENGR to ME) of the following courses: ENGR 240, ENGR 245, ENGR 452, and ENGR 453. ENGR 452 (2CH) was changed to ME 452 and reduced to 1 CH.

**Curriculum:**

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**Major Change: TS20 – BS, Occupational Safety/Health**

**Summary of Changes:** Changes to the required courses for the major.

**Rationale:** To incorporate changes being made to SFT 465 and SFT 489, add an additional SFT elective option, incorporate the recently created SFT 461 (Workers Compensation) course as a potential SFT elective and delete SFT 497 (Occup Safety & Health Prog) as a potential SFT elective (course is no longer taught).

**Curriculum:**

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**College of Liberal Arts**

**Major Change: LP-20 Psychology**

**Summary of Changes:** Remove STA 150/150L as a required course for the Psychology major. This reduces the total number of hours required by Psychology by 4-5 (depending on whether students had to choose STA 150B instead of STA 150).

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**Rationale:** Last year we chose to require STA 150/150L as the Core 2 Math requirement for psychology majors. We believe that requiring this course creates a hardship for a significant number of our students (e.g. some have already completed a Core 2 Math before entering psychology, sections of the course were limited and registration was difficult, etc.). We would like to drop this requirement and instead only recommend that psychology majors choose the STA 150/150 L option for their Core 2 Math.

**Curriculum:**

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### College of Science

#### Major Change: SM10 – BS, Mathematics

**Summary of Changes:** Deletion of courses from the major requirements.

**Rationale:** We are streamlining the major to reduce major course offerings.

**Curriculum:**

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#### Major Deletion: S30 – BS, Applied Mathematics

**Summary of Changes:** Deletion of major.

**Rationale:** We are streamlining our program to include fewer majors and elective courses.

**Curriculum:**

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#### Major Change: SM40 – BS, Statistics

**Summary of Changes:** Deletion of courses from the major requirements.

**Rationale:** We are streamlining the major to reduce major course offerings.

**Curriculum:**

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**FACULTY SENATE CHAIR:**

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DISAPPROVED BY THE  
FACULTY SENATE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT:**

APPROVED:  \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: 5-12-21 \_\_\_\_\_

DISAPPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**COMMENTS:** \_\_\_\_\_

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