

## UNDERGRADUATE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE (UCC) ACTION FORM

## February 2016

Report of Undergraduate Curriculum Committee Action

Document(s): #15-16-037, #15-16-038, #15-16-040, and #15-16-053.

Recommendation: Approve. Date of Action: 2/19/2016

Originated by: Nancy Bockbrader, Chair of Art Department Recommended by Undergraduate Curriculum Committee

(Department, Person, or Group)

Effective date: Fall 2016.

Catalog citations: See pages on Curriculum website.

Comments: #037 and #038 are both requesting that cognates outside the ART department no longer be required, but replaced with additional Art or Art Ed. courses; this includes courses previously required for Digital Media concentrations. #053 requests the approval of a new art course geared specifically toward Digital Media majors: ART 470 Web Design: Principles and Practice (that will also be crosslisted as ART 521 Electronic Media Production I). #040 has the widest implication as it asks for the creation of all 48 upper level ART studio courses to be included in the catalog, each with its own number, title and description. Listing them in this fashion will make it easier for students to sign up for the correct concentrations and will simplify record keeping. For example, instead of taking ART 491, ART 492, and ART 493, and having to find the right section of each course, all the art media will be clearly identified with their own unique number sequence; thus, if pursuing BA sculpture, a student would take ART 403, ART 423 and ART 443. If BFA Photography, it would be ART 416, 436, and 456.

## **APPROVALS**

Chair, Undergraduate Curriculum Committee: Susan Abbotson

Date: 2/19/2016