

College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources  
Curriculum Committee  
Summary of Actions  
Date: February 9, 2018

**Faculty Action<sup>1</sup>**

*Courses (new, revisions, deletions, ACE certification and recertification)*

Unit Title and Number	Type of Action Requested	Approved CASNR Curriculum Committee	Approved CASNR Faculty
<b>NRES 457/857. Green Space and Urban Forestry Management</b>	<p><b>New Course with ACE</b>  <b>NRES 547/857. Green Space and Urban Forestry Management</b> (HORT 457) (3 cr) Lec 3. Prereq: Junior or Senior standing, Graduate student or permission.            A focus on the management of trees, parks, and green infrastructure in rural and urban communities. Perspectives from community planning, landscape architecture, urban forestry, natural resources, horticulture, and environmental policy. Development and implementation of green space and forest management plans encompassing societal needs and biological limitations in rural and urban communities.</p>	2/9/18	
<b>AGRO 134. Plant Sciences Laboratory</b>	<p><b>New Course</b>  <b>AGRO 134. Plant Sciences Laboratory.</b> (HORT 134, TLMT 134) (1 cr, 1 cr per sem II, III) Lab 1. Prereq: Prior or concurrent</p>	2/9/18	

	<p>enrollment in AGRO/HORT 131 required. Open to all majors except Agronomy or Horticulture. This course can be used to remove "D/F" grades in a predecessor course AGRO/HORT 122/133. This course is offered online.</p> <p>An exploration of plant morphology, physiology, and maturation with an emphasis on environment, biotic, and human interactions within production and landscape systems.</p>		
<b><i>New degree programs, options, specializations, certificates, minors (undergraduate and graduate)<sup>2</sup></i></b>			
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<b><i>None</i></b>			
<b><i>College core requirements and academic policies, name changes for any credentialed academic program, transfer articulation agreements</i></b>			
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<b><i>None</i></b>			
<b><i>Other action that requires Academic Planning Committee (APC), Board of Regents and/or Nebraska Coordinating Commission for Postsecondary Education approval</i></b>			

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<i>None</i>			
<b>Curriculum Committee Approval Only: substitutions/waivers, student appeals, bulletin copy (format, consistency, accuracy, editorial), operating procedures for the curriculum committee</b>			
Type of Action Requested		Approved CASNR Curriculum Committee	
<b>AESC Major Options—Name Changes</b> The general options will now be CASNR Minor and Communicating Public Issues.			
<b>ABUS &amp; AECN Major Options—Name Changes</b> The general options will now be Applied Economics and Management.			
<b>Information Items: tabled items, calendar of meetings and deadlines, changes in membership, program changes in degree program that do not include the college core, ACE assessment reports</b>			
<b>New Course</b> <b>FORS 415/815. Forensic Toxicology</b> (3 cr I) Lec 3. Prereq CHEM 252/254; BIOC 321 (concurrent) Provides a comprehensive understanding of the principles of toxicology, pharmacokinetics, metabolism, analytical methods and instrumentation relative to forensic science.			
<b>Transferrable Skills Data</b> An option now exists in the catalog for transferrable skills. Degree programs can add these if they choose. Send to Karen Jackson by April 1.			

Footnotes:

<sup>1</sup> If you have specific questions or concerns, please visit with your CANSR Curriculum Committee Representative to discuss the specific agenda item.

Any unit or group of at least five (5) faculty may challenge a decision of the Committee that requires faculty action by filing a written objection. The unit administrator will coordinate the written response to the Dean by Feb 2, 2018. Unless the concerns can be resolved with clarification, revision and/or withdrawal and re-submission, the matter in question will be brought before the full faculty for discussion, debate and vote. If no written objections are properly filed, the action will be considered approved by the College faculty and either implemented or forwarded to the appropriate University Committee (University Curriculum Committee, Graduate Council and/or Academic Planning Committee) with the faculty recommendation for approval.

<sup>2</sup>The CASNR Curriculum Committee serves as the Parent Unit for the following degree programs:

B.S. in Applied Science, B.S. in Forensic Science, B.S. in Integrated Science (pending approval by the Nebraska Coordinating Commission for Postsecondary Education), Master of Applied Science, and Doctor of Plant Health