The University Curriculum Committee recommends approval of the following:

1. New Courses

   **AERS 485. Directed Studies. Credit 1 to 3.** Directed study of problems in the field of aerospace studies. Prerequisites: Air Force ROTC Cadet; junior or senior classification; approval of department head.

   **GEOG 335. Pattern and Process in Biogeography. (3-o). Credit 3.** Distribution of organisms across the earth and on environmental and cultural processes that have contributed to these patterns of distribution; dynamic nature of biogeographic patterns; impacts of contemporary and prehistoric humans on plant and animal distributions; methods for exploring biogeographic patterns and detecting change. Prerequisite: Junior or senior classification.

   **GEOS 105. Introduction to Environmental Geoscience. (3-o). Credit 3.** Key concepts and generalizations of global environmental issues within an Earth systems science framework including climate change, air pollution, land and coastal degradation, water resources and pollution, and habitat loss; environmental ethics, economics and politics; environmental issues in Texas.

   **GEOS 405. Environmental Geosciences. (2-2). Credit 3.** Dynamics and human interactions with near-surface environments including land, atmosphere and oceans through problem-based learning; interdisciplinary environmental problem topic, for example, water quality, urbanization, coastal development, or environmental pollution; geoscience techniques used for monitoring human-geosphere interaction. Prerequisites: GEOS 105; junior or senior classification.

   **MGMT 440. Creativity and Innovation in Business. (3-o). Credit 3.** Examines factors that may foster or stifle individual, team, organizational creative performance; presents techniques that may improve the student’s creative thinking skills. Prerequisite: MGMT 363.

2. Changes in Courses

   **FINC 421. Investment Analysis I.**

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   **FINC 422. Investment Analysis II.**
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Course title
From: Investment Analysis II.
To: Portfolio Management.