

Program Change Request

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Viewing: **BS/MPS-AGEC/PSAA-BPS : Agricultural Economics - 5-Year Bachelor of Science/Master of Public Service Administration**

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15. Curricular Services

Approval Path

1. 09/21/18 9:45 am
Mark L. Waller
(mwall): Approved for AGEC Department Head
2. 09/25/18 8:20 am
Angel Mario Carrizales
(carri1214): Rollback to Initiator
3. 10/04/18 11:37 am
Norma Pantoja
(nbpantoja): Approved for AGEC Department Head
4. 10/11/18 5:57 pm
Angel Mario Carrizales
(carri1214): Rollback to Initiator
5. 10/16/18 4:32 pm
Norma Pantoja
(nbpantoja): Approved for AGEC Department Head
6. 10/19/18 11:10 am
Angel Mario Carrizales
(carri1214): Approved for Curricular Services Review
7. 10/19/18 12:39 pm
Dawn Kerstetter
(dkerstetter): Approved

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Academic level	Undergraduate-Graduate
Effective Term	2019-2020
Department	Agricultural Economics
Department 2	Public Service & Administration
College	Agriculture & Life Sciences
College 2	Bush School of Gov & Pub Serv
Program type	Combination
Degree designation	BS/MPS - Bachelor of Science/Master of Public Svc & Administration
With a major in	Agricultural Economics/Public Service & Administration (AGEC/PSAA)
Associated Program	Not Applicable
With a concentration in	BUSH MPS 3+2 Program (BPS)
Catalog Program Title	Agricultural Economics - 5-Year Bachelor of Science/Master of Public Service Administration
CIP and Fund code	01010300

Rationale for Proposal

Math 140 is the prerequisite for the required Math 142. Making change to reflect the requirements of Math 142. Footnote #3 - Changed to reflect University requirements

Program hours **168**

Is this program eligible for financial aid?

Will program hours change (increase/decrease) No

due to the proposed curriculum changes?

- for AG Committee Preparer UG
- 8. 11/08/18 3:54 pm
Rane Cunningham (rane): Approved for GB Committee Preparer
- 9. 11/12/18 3:15 pm
Blease Graham (cole_graham): Approved for GB Committee Chair
- 10. 11/14/18 4:00 pm
Bob Knight (bob-knight): Approved for AG Committee Chair UG
- 11. 11/14/18 4:08 pm
Dawn Kerstetter (dkerstetter): Approved for AG College Dean UG
- 12. 11/14/18 5:40 pm
Frank Ashley (fashley): Approved for GB College Dean
- 13. 11/16/18 10:13 am
Sandra Williams (sandra-williams): Approved for UCC & GC Preparers
- 14. 12/14/18 2:33 pm
LaRhesa Johnson (lrjohnson): Approved for UCC & GC Chairs

Catalog Program Requirements

History

1. Aug 15, 2016 by clmig-jwehrheim
2. May 15, 2018 by Sandra Williams (sandra-williams)

Plan of Study Grid

		Semester Credit Hours
First Year		
Fall		
AGEC 105	Introduction to Agricultural Economics 1	3
ENGL 103	Introduction to Rhetoric and Composition	3
or ENGL 104	or Composition and Rhetoric	
MATH 141	Finite Mathematics	3
MATH 140	Mathematics for Business and Social Sciences	3
American History 2		3
Life and physical sciences elective		3
	Semester Credit Hours	15
Spring		
AGEC 117	Critical Thinking and Decision Making in Agricultural Economics 3	1
MATH 142	Business Calculus	3
American History 2		3
Communication		3
Life and physical sciences elective		3
Creative arts elective 4		3
	Semester Credit Hours	16
Second Year		
Fall		
ACCT 209	Survey of Accounting Principles	3
AGEC 217	Fundamentals of Agricultural Economics Analysis 3	3
ECON 202	Principles of Economics	3

POLS 206	American National Government 2	3
Language, philosophy and culture elective 4		3
	Semester Credit Hours	15
Spring		
ECON 203	Principles of Economics	3
ACCT 210	Survey of Managerial and Cost Accounting Principles	3
POLS 207	State and Local Government 2	3
Life and physical sciences elective		3
STAT 303	Statistical Methods	3
	Semester Credit Hours	15
Summer		
AGEC 314	Marketing Agricultural and Food Products	3
Directed non-agricultural economics elective 4		3
Select one of the following:		
ECMT 461	Economic Data Analysis	
ECON 433	Energy Markets and Policy	
ESSM 406	Natural Resources Policy	
GEOG 330	Resources and the Environment	
or GEOG 430	or Environmental Justice	
GEOS 430	Global Science and Policy Making	
MKTG 409	Principles of Marketing	
NFSC 444	Fundamentals of Food Law	
POLS 340	Introduction to Public Administration	
POLS 364	Global Political Thought	
POLS 412	International Political Economy	
POLS 415	Contemporary Issues in American Foreign Policy	
POLS 439	Foreign Policy Decision Making	
POLS 440	Public Policies and Policymaking	
POLS 447	National Security Policy	
or POLS 475	or Government and the Economy	
URPN 360	Issues in Environmental Quality	
WGST 430/MGMT 430	Employment Discrimination Law	
	Semester Credit Hours	6
Third Year		
Fall		
ECON 323	Microeconomic Theory	3
AGEC 330	Financial Management in Agriculture	3
AGEC 340	Agribusiness Management	3
AGEC 429	Agricultural Policy 3	3
AGEC 452	International Trade and Agriculture	3
or AGEC 453	or International Agribusiness Marketing	
Directed agricultural economics elective 5		3
	Semester Credit Hours	18
Spring		
AGEC 317	Economic Analysis for Agribusiness Management	3
AGEC 344	Food and Agricultural Law	3
AGEC 350	Environmental and Natural Resource Economics	3
AGEC 430	Macroeconomics of Agriculture	3
or ECON 311	or Money and Banking	
AGEC 481	Ethics in Agribusiness and Agricultural Economics	1
Directed agricultural economics elective 5		3
	Semester Credit Hours	16
Summer		
Directed non-agricultural economics elective		3
Select one from the following:		
ECMT 461	Economic Data Analysis	
ECON 433	Energy Markets and Policy	
ESSM 406	Natural Resources Policy	
GEOG 330	Resources and the Environment	
or GEOG 430	or Environmental Justice	
GEOS 430	Global Science and Policy Making	
MKTG 409	Principles of Marketing	
NFSC 444	Fundamentals of Food Law	
POLS 340	Introduction to Public Administration	
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POLS 415	Contemporary Issues in American Foreign Policy	
POLS 439	Foreign Policy Decision Making	
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POLS 447	National Security Policy	
or POLS 475	or Government and the Economy	
URPN 360	Issues in Environmental Quality	
WGST 430/MGMT 430	Employment Discrimination Law	
	Semester Credit Hours	3
Fourth Year		
Fall		
General Electives		14
BUSH 631	Quantitative Methods in Public Management I 6	3
PSAA 601	Foundations of Public Service 6	3
PSAA 621	Economic Analysis 6	3
or ECON 607	or Foundations of Microeconomic Theory	
PSAA 622	Public Finance	-
PSAA 635	Social Welfare and Health Policy	-
PSAA 643	Foundations of the Nonprofit Sector 6	3
	Semester Credit Hours	12
Spring		
BUSH 632	Quantitative Methods in Public Management II	3
or BUSH 635	or Quantitative Methods in Public Management II: Policy Analysis Emphasis	
PSAA 611	Public Policy Formation	3
PSAA 622	Public Finance 6	3
AGEC elective 600-level		3
Select one of the following: 6		
AGEC 604/PSAA 663	Natural Resource Economics	
AGEC 606	Water Resource Economics	
AGEC 607	Research Methodology	
AGEC 610	Economics of Biosecurity	
AGEC 614	Global Food and Agribusiness Policy	
AGEC 633	Sustainability in World Development	
AGEC 652	International Agribusiness Trade Analysis	
	Semester Credit Hours	12
Summer		
Professional Internship		
	Semester Credit Hours	0
Fifth Year		
Fall		
PSAA 675	Public Service and Administration Capstone Seminar	3
PSAA 615	Policy Analysis	3
Approved Elective		6
	Semester Credit Hours	12
Spring		
PSAA 676	Public Service and Administration Capstone Seminar II	3
Approved Elective		9
	Semester Credit Hours	12
	Total Semester Credit Hours	152

Course List

Code	Title	Semester Credit Hours
MPSA Degree Requirements		
		48
BUSH 631	Quantitative Methods in Public Management I 6	
BUSH 632	Quantitative Methods in Public Management II	
or BUSH 635	or Quantitative Methods in Public Management II: Policy Analysis Emphasis	
PSAA 601	Foundations of Public Service 6	
PSAA 611	Public Policy Formation	
PSAA 615	Policy Analysis	
PSAA 621	Economic Analysis 6	
PSAA 622	Public Finance 6	
PSAA 643	Foundations of the Nonprofit Sector 6	
PSAA 675	Public Service and Administration Capstone Seminar	
PSAA 676	Public Service and Administration Capstone Seminar II	
Electives		

1 This course meets the Social and Behavioral Sciences requirement.

2 Completion of four semesters of upper-level ROTC may be substituted for 3 hours of American History and 3 hours of Government/Political Science. Students under ROTC contract, see Requirement 7 of the [Requirements for Baccalaureate Degree](#).

3 All undergraduate students must take at least two courses in their major designated as writing intensive (W). This course is an approved W course.

4 The Graduation requirements include a requirement for 3 hours of international and cultural diversity courses and 3 hours of cultural discourse courses. A course satisfying a Core category, a college/department requirement, or a free elective can be used to satisfy this requirement. See academic advisor.

5 To be selected in consultation with an advisor.

6 Course double-counted.

The program includes a total of ~~168~~ ~~150~~ hours with ~~16~~ ~~17~~ hours being applied toward both the **Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Economics and the Master of Public Service Administration**. ~~B.S. (13 in AGEC and the MPSA (14~~ hours of ~~general~~ electives and 3 hours of 600-level AGEC coursework).

See the MPSA program in the Graduate and Professional Catalog for the MPSA requirements.

Additional information ~~4-30-18 - Added MPSA course list. Replaced FSTC with NFSC prefix per committee approval.~~

Required Proposal Forms [DOC101-1.pdf](#)

Reviewer Comments

Angel Mario Carrizales (carri1214) (09/25/18 8:20 am): Rollback: Please upload an edited degree evaluation reflecting the proposed curriculum changes for 2018-2019.

Angel Mario Carrizales (carri1214) (10/11/18 5:57 pm): Rollback: Please address the following. 1) Graduate coursework is listed as General Electives in the evaluation. To be consistent in the used of the term General Electives, please do one of the following. a) Rename the area to graduate coursework or b) incorporate the requirements into a new rule in the Major Coursework area. Also, remove reference to "general electives" in the catalog. 2) ECON 607 is listed in the catalog but not in the evaluation should this be listed in the evaluation? 3) Incorporate the MPSA requirements into the plan of study grid. UG- GR Combination programs must show a plan of study grid/table outlining the requirements for both programs; which will include the double counted hours 4) The total program hour statement at the bottom of the catalog program requirements field is not accurate and does not match the approved hours for this combination program (120 UG, 48 GR). Please update the text to read as follow. "The program includes a total of 168 hours with 16 being applied toward both the Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Economics and the Master of Public Service Administration (13 hours of electives and 3 hours of 600-level AGEC coursework)."

Angel Mario Carrizales (carri1214) (10/19/18 10:38 am): Edits made to conform to catalog style guidelines;

Angel Mario Carrizales (carri1214) (11/19/18 9:52 am): Initial concerns addressed.

Sandra Williams (sandra-williams) (12/10/18 4:46 pm): UCC approved December 2018.

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Detail Requirements

Donna P. Adcock
Oct 16, 2018 02:54 pm

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Information for Degree Evaluation

This is NOT an official evaluation.

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Program Evaluation

Limitation Correspondence: No more than 12 hours of correspondence earned through an accredited institution may be used for an undergraduate degree.
Limitation Combination: Maximum combination of 18 hours of 481, 482, 485 and/or 491 courses may be used for an undergraduate degree.

Limitation No more than 50% of courses required for the degree plan can be taken as Distance Education Courses for non-distance degree programs.

Limitation Only one of the following will satisfy the requirements for a degree: GENE 301, GENE 302, GENE 315, and GENE 320.

Limitation Only one of the following will satisfy the requirements for a degree: MATH 131, MATH 142, MATH 147, MATH 151, and MATH 171.

Limitation Only one of the following will satisfy the requirements for a degree: MATH 140, MATH 141, and MATH 166.

Limitation Only one of the following will satisfy the requirements for a degree: MATH 148, MATH 152, and MATH 172.

Limitation Only one of the following will satisfy the requirements for a degree: MATH 221, MATH 251, and MATH 253.

Limitation Only one of the following will satisfy the requirements for a degree: MATH 304, MATH 309, MATH 311, and MATH 323.

Limitation Only one of the following will satisfy the requirements for a degree: STAT 301, STAT 302, and STAT 303.

Program :	BS AGECE - BPS program	Catalog Term :	Summer 2018 - College Station
Campus :	College Station	Evaluation Term :	Fall 2018 - College Station
College :	Agriculture & Life Sciences	Expected Graduation Date :	
Degree :	Bachelor of Science	Request Number :	4
Level :	Undergraduate	Results as of :	Oct 16, 2018
Majors :	Agricultural Economics	Minors :	
Departments :	Agricultural Economics	Concentrations :	

	Met	Credits	Courses		
		Required	Used	Required	Used
Total Required :	No	120.000	0.000		0
Program GPA :	Yes	.00	.00		
Overall GPA :	No	2.00	.00		

Other Course Information

Transfer :		0.000		0
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Area Major Coursework (⁵⁴ 10.000 credits) - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
No		A	AGEC 117													
No	AND	B	AGEC 217													
No	AND	C	AGEC 314													
No	AND	D	AGEC 317													
No	AND	E	AGEC 330													
No	AND	F	AGEC 340													
No	AND	G	AGEC 350													
No	AND	H	AGEC 429													
No	AND	I	AGEC 452 or 453													
No	AND	J	AGEC 481													
No	AND	K	AGEC 344													
No	AND	L	Directed AGEC Elec 6hrs													

To be selected in consultation with advisor.

No AND **M** Economics Elective 3hrs
 Select from AGECE 430 or ECON 311.
 No AND **N** AGEC Elect ~~3hrs~~ **Rqmt I 3hrs**
 Select from AGECE 604, 606, 607, 610, 614, 633 or 652.

O. AGECElect Rqmt II 13hrs
 Select from **B**

Total Credits and GPA 0.000 .00

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Area General Electives (14.000 credits) - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
No		A.	General Electives 14hrs													

Total Credits and GPA 0.000 .00

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Area Supporting Coursework (15.000 credits) - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
No		A.	ECON 202													
No	AND	B.	ECON 203													
No	AND	C.	ACCT 209													
No	AND	D.	ACCT 210													
No	AND	E.	ECON 323													

Total Credits and GPA 0.000 .00

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Area Directed Non-AGEC Electives (6.000 credits) - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
No		A.	Directed Non-AGEC Elect 6hrs													

Total Credits and GPA 0.000 .00

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Area Communication (6.000 credits) - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
No		A.	ENGL 103 or ENGL 104													
No	AND	B.	Communication Rqmt 3hrs													

Total Credits and GPA 0.000 .00

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Area Mathematics (9.000 credits) - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
No		A.	STAT 303													

No AND B. ~~MATH 141~~ *math 140*
 No AND C. MATH 142

Total Credits and GPA 0.000 .00

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Area Life and Physical Sciences (9.000 credits) - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
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No	A.		Life/Physical Sciences	9hrs												
Select 9 hours from any courses with the Life and Physical Sciences attribute [KLPS].																

Total Credits and GPA 0.000 .00

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Area Language, Philosophy & Culture (3.000 credits) - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
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No	A.		Lang, Phil, Culture Rqmt	3hrs												
Select any course with the Language, Philosophy and Culture attribute [KLPC].																

Total Credits and GPA 0.000 .00

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Area Creative Arts (3.000 credits) - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
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No	A.		Creative Arts Requirement	3hrs												
Select three hours from any course with the Creative Arts attribute [KCRA].																

Total Credits and GPA 0.000 .00

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Area Social and Behavioral Science (3.000 credits) - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
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No	A.		AGEC	105												
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Total Credits and GPA 0.000 .00

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Area : Citizenship (12.000 credits) - Not Met

Description : Completion of 4 semesters of Upper-Level ROTC may be substituted for 3 hours of American History and 3 hours of Political Science.

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
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No	A.		American History Rqmt	6hrs												
Select from any course with the [KHIS] attribute.																

No	AND	B.	Political Science Rqmt	6hrs												
Take POLS 206 and POLS 207.																

Total Credits and GPA 0.000 .00

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Area : Work Not Applied - Met

Description See advisor for acceptable substitutions.

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source	
No	A.		Courses not applied														
														Total Credits and GPA		0.000	.00

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Area University Writing Requirement - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source	
No	A.		Writing Requirement														
Two courses required. Only sections of AGECE 217, 429 with the Writing attribute [UWRT] may be used to satisfy this requirement.																	
														Total Credits and GPA		0.000	.00

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Area Int'l & Cult Diversity - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source	
No	A.		Int'l & Cultural Diversity 6hr														
Select from courses with the International and Cultural Diversity attribute [UICD] (except sections of BUSN 289 with the UWRT attribute).																	
														Total Credits and GPA		0.000	.00

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Area Foreign Language - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source	
No	A.		Foreign Language Rqmt														
Complete one of the following: 1. Two years of the same foreign language in High School. 2. A two semester sequence of the same foreign language for University credit.																	
														Total Credits and GPA		0.000	.00

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Area : Residence Requirement - Not Met

Description A minimum of 36 hours of 300-400 level coursework must be completed at Texas A&M University. 12 hours must be in the major field.

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source	
No	A.		Residence - Major 12hrs														
Select from AGECE 300-499.																	
No	AND	B.	Residence 300-499 24hrs														
Select from any 300-400 level course at Texas A&M.																	
														Total Credits and GPA		0.000	.00

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Area : GPR-Major - Not Met

Description : A minimum GPR of 2.000 is required in all major field of studies courses.

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
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No	A.	Major GPR 28+hrs													
			Includes AGECE 100-499 (except AGECE 400); ECON 311, 410; PHIL 316.												

Total Credits and GPA													0.000	.00
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