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DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH
JACKSONVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY

MEMORANDUM

DATE 29 January 2021

TO Deans Council

FROM Andrea Porter, Co-Chair
Writing Across the Curriculum Committee 

RE Courses Approved for the Writing Intensive (WI) Designation and Status of Submitted Course Applications

On behalf of the Writing Across the Curriculum Committee, upon review of the first round of submitted WI applications and supporting documents, we recommend that the following 11 approved courses be given the WI designation:

Approved

CS 462 Ethics and Legal Issues
EC 463 Senior Seminar in Economics
EH 250 Introduction to English Studies
EH 330 Writing for the Web
EH 331 Writing for Social Media
EH 332 Writing for Podcasts
EH 344 Advanced Composition
EH 415 Advanced Expository Writing
EH 499 Capstone Seminar
GY 431 Topics in Physical Geography
MS 475 Seminar in Mathematics

So that Deans may keep track of progress in their Schools, we are also providing the following lists of course proposals that are pending approval or currently not approved.

Approval Pending

The following course proposals are being returned to be revised and resubmitted, with notes and resources:

BY 322 Genetics
BY 496 Senior Seminar

CS 304 Technical Writing for Computer Science
CY 341 Physical Chemistry I
FIN 481 Seminar in Finance
MKT 495 Marketing Strategy
MS 300 Introduction to Advanced Mathematics
MS 441 Abstract Algebra I

Not Approved

The following course proposals are being returned to be reworked and resubmitted, with notes and resources:

ACC 360 Financial Accounting II
CBA 350 Business Communications
CS 311 Management Information Systems
MGT 385 Human Resource Management
MS 415 Advanced Calculus I

The committee recommends that Deans share this list immediately with their respective Schools so that departments may know which courses have already been approved for the WI designation, should they want to include any within their majors.

Please also assist the WAC Committee by encouraging departments to submit (and resubmit) course proposals continually – we are meeting every Friday to review submissions for the week.

March 1, 2021 is the final deadline to submit WI course applications.