

UPCC Curriculum Approval Guidelines

This table details the items that will be reviewed at the UPCC step of the Curriculum Cycle.

Program, Minor, and Certificate Proposals:
UPCC ensures a lack of conflict with other programs.
UPCC ensures that the proposed changes do not overlap with existing programs.
UPCC reviews the rationale for the proposed changes and ensures that it is comprehensive and that the impact of the proposed changes have been fully considered.
UPCC reviews any proposed changes to the program's admission policies to ensure that the impact of the proposed changes have been fully considered (if applicable).
UPCC ensures that any deviations from USG Area F are justified and coherent.
UPCC ensures that the changes proposed are in alignment across campus.
UPCC ensures the proposed changes contribute to KSU's strategic plan and mission.
UPCC finds the program's identified career paths for students compelling and complete.
UPCC ensures that the changes proposed follow all policies and requirements.
Course Proposals:
UPCC ensures that the proposed course changes do not duplicate other course or program offerings.
UPCC ensures a lack of conflict with other courses and programs.
UPCC reviews the proposed justification and considers the impact of discontinuing the course (if applicable).
UPCC reviews the proposed course requirements to determine whether the proposed course classification is consistent across campus.
UPCC evaluates the proposed course to ensure that the content reflects the course level.
UPCC ensures that the prefix and course number do not duplicate or overlap with existing courses across campus.
UPCC ensures that the credit hours assigned for the proposed coursework are in alignment across campus.
UPCC reviews the proposed prerequisites/concurrent prerequisites/ corequisites to ensure that they are reasonable and justified.
UPCC reviews how often the course will be offered and ensures that the offering is in alignment with the rest of the proposal.
UPCC uses the syllabus to determine that the course is at the appropriate level, credit hours, and credit hour ratio.
UPCC ensures that the justification for a new course or changes to an existing course are reasonable and functional.
UPCC ensures that the changes proposed follow all policies and requirements.