UC Berkeley

Changes to UCB/ASSIST Curriculum

<u>New</u>

ENGLISH 90 - Practices of Literary Study 4 units – Added as a lower division requirement in the English, B.A. major

GEOG C55 - Introduction to Central Asia 3 units (Also listed as: MELC C26) – Added as an option to satisfy the regional geography lower division requirement in the Geography, Lower Division B.A. major

GLOBAL C10A Introduction to Global Studies 4 Units (Also listed as: GEOG C32) – Added as an elective in the Urban Studies, B.A. major

GWS 50AC Gender in American Culture 3 units – Added as an elective in the Urban Studies, B.A. major

INTEGBI 42 Primate Biology 3 units - Added as an elective in the Urban Studies, B.A. major

<u>Revised</u>

AGRS 10A Introduction to Ancient Greece 4 units (formerly CLASSIC 10A Introduction to Greek Civilization 4 units)

AGRS 10B Introduction to Ancient Rome 4 units (formerly CLASSIC 10B Introduction to Roman Civilization 4 units)

GEOG 10AC Worldlings: Regions, Peoples, and States 4 units (formerly GEOG 10 World Regions, Peoples, and States 4 units)

MELC 10 Middle Eastern Worlds: Ancient Egypt and Mesopotamia 4 units (formerly NE STUD 10 Introduction to the Near East 4 units)

<u>Deleted</u>

ESPM C12 Introduction to Environmental Studies 4 units

Revised major names

Ancient Greek and Roman Civilizations, B.A. (formerly Classical Civilizations, B.A.)

Chicana/o and Latina/o Studies (formerly Chicano Studies, B.A.)

Film & Media, B.A (formerly Film Studies, B.A.)

Greek and Latin, B.A. (formerly Classical Languages, B.A.)

Middle Eastern Languages and Cultures, B.A. (formerly Near Eastern Studies, B.A.)

New major agreements

Previously, the following majors were incorporated within the Earth & Planetary Science, B.A. agreement. Effective Fall 2021, individual agreements for these majors are published. The Earth & Planetary Science, B.A. agreement will no longer be available on ASSIST.

Atmospheric Science, Lower Division B.A.

Environmental Earth Science, Lower Division B.A.

Geology, Lower Division B.A.

Geophysics, Lower Division B.A.

Marine Science, Lower Division B.A.

Planetary Science, Lower Division B.A.

Majors requesting course outlines

The **English, B.A.** major added English 90 - Practices of Literary Study to their lower-division requirements. You are encouraged to send course outlines for articulation review to aplong@berkeley.edu. Courses that may articulate include introductory education in poetry and literature. If an equivalent course is not offered at your college, students may complete English 90 when they transfer and begin classes at UC Berkeley.

English 90 – Practices of Literary Study 4 units. This course is a small, faculty-led seminar on the practice and discipline of literary analysis. It is meant for all students who seek an introductory literature course and would like to improve their ability to read and write critically, including those who may wish to major in English. Focusing on the close study of a few works, rather than a survey of many, the seminar will help students develop college-level skills for interpreting literature, while gaining awareness of different strategies and approaches for making sense of literary language, genres, forms, and contexts. The seminar also will develop students' ability to write about literature and to communicate meaningfully the stakes of their analysis to an audience.

The **Data Science, B.A** major would like to expand articulation with Data C8 – Foundations of Data Science. You are encouraged to send course outlines for articulation review to aplong@berkeley.edu.

Data C8 – Foundations of Data Science 4 units (Also listed as: COMPSCI C8/INFO C8/STAT C8) Foundations of data science from three perspectives: inferential thinking, computational thinking, and real-world relevance. Given data arising from some real-world phenomenon, how does one analyze that data so as to understand that phenomenon? The course teaches critical concepts and skills in computer programming and statistical inference, in conjunction with hands-on analysis of real-world datasets, including economic data, document collections, geographical data, and social networks. It delves into social and legal issues surrounding data analysis, including issues of privacy and data ownership.