TRANSMITTAL HISTORY FOR NEUROSCIENCE MINOR REVISION

Committee on Curriculum and Instruction

Unapproved Minutes March 19, 2010

B. Neuroscience informational updates

Neuroscience wants to limit the number of Psychology 699 hours to 3 hours. [as has been current practice]

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Approved Minutes

    B. Neuroscience Minor Revision expedited

* Name and number of credit hours of one of the foundational courses was changed: Psychology 313, which used to be “Introduction to Psychobiology” (4 cr.), becomes “Introduction to Behavioral Neuroscience” (5 cr.).
* Change credit hours for advanced electives: from 17 to 16 credit hours.
* Suggestion: Include information about advisor to report to.

Shanda, 2nd Highley, **unanimously approved**

\* After this minor was approved, the coordinating faculty advisor, Professor John Bruno, requested some modest changes to the electives (see attached email), namely:

* Remove Psych 644 from elective list because department is not sure when it will be offered again
* Remove Psych 371H from elective list because he does not feel that this is a neuroscience course, although students completing minor under old advising sheet will still be able to count it toward minor
* Add Psych 600 (Psychology of Learning) to electives because beginning AU10 this course will be offered regularly by one of the Behavioral Neuroscience faculty

The above changes would normally be considered “updates” and as such require no further vetting by CCI.