

C - Small Curricular Revisions : Entry # 2743**Today's Date**

05/07/2023

Your Name

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By checking below I am certifying that my department chair (named above) has seen and approved the courses that are included in this proposal.

Yes

Please select the appropriate school overseeing this proposal:

Natural Sciences

Does this proposal correspond to a particular term?

No

Which category does this change fall under?

- Course prerequisite(s)

Course Prerequisite Changes

Course Prefix & Number	Current Prerequisite(s)	Proposed Prerequisite(s)
PHY 2001	PHY 2010 or permission of instructor	Permission of instructor
PHY 2020	Prerequisite: PHY 2010 with a grade of C- or higher. Prerequisite or co-requisite: MTH 1420 or MTH 1425.	Prerequisite: PHY 2010. Prerequisite or co-requisite: MTH 1420 or MTH 1425.

Rationale for above changes

PHY 2001: We are now offering PHY 2001 in the fall (instead of spring), which is typically when physics majors take PHY 2010. Thus, they no longer meet the prerequisite to enroll in PHY 2001. However, the course is for first year students, so we would like to remove the PHY 2010 prerequisite and just have "permission of instructor".

PHY 2020: We would like to remove the prerequisite of earning a C- in PHY 2010. The PHY 2010/2020 sequence is required for a

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number of majors; however, student success in upper level courses in those majors does not depend on excelling in this sequence. Passing is sufficient.

Does this change affect any other departments, schools, or programs besides your own? If so, please describe your consultation process with affected parties.

No other departments, schools, or programs are affected.

Dean Review

[DEAN] I approve/deny this proposal

Approve

Today's Date

09-08-2023

Name of Dean (if this is being reviewed by multiple deans, please indicate who approved it first here)

Brian Augustine