



**UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA AT OMAHA
EDUCATIONAL POLICY ADVISORY COMMITTEE
Minutes – 12/13/24**

Discussion Items:

- i. Gen Ed proposal – Approved

Curriculum:

Vote Item: Approved

Name change: Graduate Certificate in Advanced Writing to **Graduate Certificate in Creative Writing, Editing, & Publishing**

Report Item: Approved

New: Medical, Health Sciences, and Research Concentration in Neuroscience – NEURBS
New: Data Science concentration – MISBS

Course Syllabi

New Courses –

1. ACMP 8366/4360: Metaverse Innovations – 3 cr. hrs. - **Approved**
2. BSAD 8846/FNBK 4320: Retirement Planning & Employee Benefits – 3 cr. hrs. - **Approved**
3. BSAD 8856/FNBK 4330: Estates and Income Tax – 3 cr. hrs. – **Approved**
4. PHSI 3110: Current Research Topics in Pharmaceutical Sciences – 1 cr. hr. - **Approved**
5. PHSI 4410: Pharmaceutical Sciences Research Experience – 1 cr. hr. - **Approved**
6. SPAN 3070: Special Topics in Spanish – 3 cr. hrs. - **Approved**
7. SPED 3250: Social, Emotional, and Behavioral Needs of Children with Autism and Developmental Disabilities – 3 cr. hrs. - **Approved**

Revised Courses –

1. SPED 8080: Special Education Field Experience Seminar (updated credit hours from 1 credit to 0 credits) - **Approved**

FYI Deactivated Courses – Approved

1. BLST 8080: Special Topics in Black Studies
2. BLST 8570: Seminar in Black Studies
3. BLST 8700: African Philosophy