



Memo

August 6, 2025

To: W. Randy Smith, Vice Provost – Council on Academic Affairs

From: Pete Locascio, Executive Director of Undergraduate Education, EHE

RE: INFORMATIONAL ITEM: 7 k o **BS program,**

Department of Human Sciences. Please find materials included in this proposal related to a small-scale revision.

The department proposes:

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These changes account for roughly 0% of change and do not add any additional credit hours to the curriculum. This was approved by the EHE Curriculum Committee on April 17, 2025.

If there are any questions, please contact me at Locascio.7@osu.edu



April 10, 2025

Pete Locascio

Executive Director of Undergraduate Education

EHE Office of Undergraduate Education

Dear Pete:

I am writing to express my support for the following updates to the curriculum, **effective Autumn 2025**:

1. **Fashion and Retail Studies, MN**

Update: program sheet

Remove CSFRST 4571 from Part C

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2. **Fashion and Retail Studies, BS**

Update: program sheet

Add CSCFRST 5571 to Product Development Track

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3. **Consumer Sciences, MS (FRS)**

Update: program sheet

Add CSFRST 5571 to the Specialization Requirement

These updates apply only to the list of course options within the curriculum. There are no changes to the total credit hours or core requirements of the program; therefore, this update is for informational purposes only. Attached you will find the necessary documentation outlining curricular updates.

There are no negative budgetary implications, nor are additional funds or personnel required for implementation. Therefore, I support the proposed updates as presented.

If you have any questions or need additional information, do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Sue Sutherland, PhD

Pronouns: she/her/hers

Professor, Associate Department Chair

College of Education and Human Ecology

Fashion and Retail Studies

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Reflection Seminar		1
Foundations (22-25 Hours)		
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Literary, Visual & Performing Arts		3
Historical & Cultural Studies		3
Natural Science		4-5
Social & Behavioral Sciences		3
Race, Ethnic & Gender Diversity		3
Thematic Pathways (8-12 Hours)		
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CSFRST 2990 Professional Development	3
CSFRST 3585 Retail Merchandising I	3
CSFRST 3191 Internship	3
Interdisciplinary Core	12
CSFRST/CSHSPMG 2300 Branding in Fashion, Hospitality, & Sports Industries	3
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CSCFFS 3270 Families in Business	3
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CSFRST 4583 International Retailing	3
CSFRST 5575 Social, Psychological, and Cultural Aspects of Fashion and Dress	3
CSFRST 5701 Readings and Theories in Fashion and Retail Studies	1-4
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