

UPAC Agenda
December 8, 2021

8:45-10:00 AM

Welcome: UPAC Co-Chairs

Blake Edward Cesarz, Nicole Guertler & Derwin Begay - add to listserv

8:45 am to 9:00 am: **Academic Eligibility Appeals Process:** Jen Ludwig & Amanda Gluski

Appeals Process Updates for Fall 2021

74% of Ineligible Students submitted appeals!

Reminders:

- If a student has 9 units of B Def or lower = Fast Pass Appeal
- Appeal does not equal approval
- Account Holds still need to be dealt with even if appeal is approved

Dates

- Review of appeals won't start until January 3rd
- January 7th = Priority Deadline - February 28th = Final Appeal Deadline
- March 17 = Discontinuation

How can you help?

- Help students adjust Timeline and Expectations
- Help students adjusting future coursework if appeal is granted
- Connect students to OSFA to answer: How will future semesters impact Financial Aid?
- Have students Include General Petitions (thinking of submitting or have submitted) include in statement
- Help students include GROs: How many left - include in statement

If misses applying for appeal - need to re-apply to come back to UA

Video on going through Appeal Process: <https://youtu.be/QUBpjLdVUIg>

9:00 am to 9:15 am: **Financial Aid: New SAP Appeals Process:** Ryan Taylor & Maggie Thom

Changes in SAP Review Process

- Current Process = requires appeal every semester
- New Process = Fall 2021 approved appeal - maintain probation/ plan status for subsequent semester
- Only submit new appeal if: New extenuating circumstances / Not meeting plan / Probationary Requirements not met
- Probationary Requirements:
 - TERM GPA 2.0/ TERM Pace 67%
 - Maximum Timeframe: Advisor lists out all courses needed - reviews schedule and if matches auto renewal

9:15 am to 9:30 am: **Software Engineering:** Juliana Lincoln & Sharon O'Neal

- Software Engineering major: Available on Main / Yuma / AZ Online campuses
 - 120 Units
 - On track for accreditation
 - Courses have "SFWE" Prefix
 - Can double-dip up to 9 units (common for Computer Science Minor)
 - Flexible Technical Electives
 - Calc 1 prereq to all classes except CHEM and Geneds
- Apply to major by completing:
 - Calc / 12 units in ENGR Curriculum / 2.25 GPA
- Minor Available
- What's different between....
 - SE and CS
SE are problem solvers and build products - engineering principles imbedded (multi disciplined) - Work with mechanical and system engineers to think about all aspects of a product
CS: Concentrates on coding, algorithms. More theoretical / programming fundamentals - not working with other Engineers
SE follows the Engineering discipline / Software development lifecycle
SE emphasize configuration control, security, quality control how to implement
 - SE and ECE
ECE build circuitry and computer systems
If a student is more focused on electrical component, can recommend ECE
- Meet the Major: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=La7DQM7UJAU>
- Main/Yuma: <https://engineering.arizona.edu/majors/software>
- Online: <https://online.arizona.edu/programs/undergraduate/online-bachelor-science-software-engineering-bs>

9:30 am to 9:45 am: **New Public Health Degrees and Programs** Abba Versace & Melanie Fleck

- New BA Degree Fall 2021: BA in Wellness and Health Promotion Practice
 - No prescribed Sciences
 - 9 units of experiential learning
 - Aging and Population Health / Health and Wellness / Health Education
 - 4th semester Language Proficiency
 - Choose Health Ed Track to be eligible for CHES
- **BS in Public Health now requires 2.0 GPA**
 - New Public Health Minors:
 - Spring 2022: Aging and Population Health
 - Global Health
 - Spring 2022: Environmental and Occupational Health (Main Only)
 - New Certificates:
 - One Health

- Global Health (Main Campus Spring 2022 - AZ Online Fall 2022)
- 9:45 am to 9:50 am: **Wrap Up Announcements:** Nicole Gonzalez
- Lunch and Learn December 20th: What is Critical Race Theory and How it Applies to Academic Advising”
 - Interested in being a UPAC CoChair? Nominations will happen this Spring - ask a co chair your questions!

Adjourn

Link to join via ZOOM: <https://arizona.zoom.us/j/87825743204>

- Please virtually log in with your first and last name so we can track your attendance :)

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