THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA ASHEVILLE FACULTY SENATE

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Statement of Faculty Senate Action:

APC Document 22 (BIOL): Delete the following courses: BIOL 108, 333, 336 and 340

Effective date: Fall 2021

1. Delete: On page 90, the entry for BIOL 108, Human Biology:

108 Human Biology (3)

A study of the form, function and behavior of humans in light of their evolutionary heritage. Every other Spring.

2. Delete: On page 92, the entry for BIOL 333, Vertebrate Zoology:

333 Vertebrate Zoology (4)

Class and laboratory study of comparative morphology, taxonomy, zoo geography and ecology of vertebrate animals. Emphasis placed on evolution and adaptive mechanisms. Prerequisites: BIOL 134, 135, 210. Odd years Spring.

3. Delete: On page 92, the entry for BIOL 336 Parasitology

336 Parasitology (4)

Class and laboratory study of comparative morphology, physiology, ecology, disease processes and systematics of major parasitic phyla. Emphasis is placed on understanding the ecology and adaptive mechanisms that enable a parasite to live within the body of a host. Prerequisites: BIOL 135 or 136; 210. Odd years Fall.

4. Delete: On page 92, the entry for BIOL 340 Ornithology

340 Ornithology (4)

Introduction to the evolution, behavior and ecology of birds. Laboratory will focus on the field identification of native species. At least one weekend field trip is required. Students with credit for ENVR 348 may not receive additional credit for BIOL 340. Prerequisite: BIOL 210. Odd years Spring.

Impact: No impact is anticipated as these courses haven't been taught in several years due to changes in faculty expertise. Two new courses are being added that partially replace the curriculum roles of these courses.

Rationale: These courses were last offered in the terms indicated and need to be removed from the curriculum: BIOL 108-Fall 2013; BIOL 333-Spring 2014; BIOL 336-Spring 2015; BIOL 340-Spring 2013.