

THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA ASHEVILLE
FACULTY SENATE

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Statement of Faculty Senate Action:

APC Document 14 (NM):

Delete NM 201 and 330

Effective Date: Fall 2023

1. **Delete:** On page 265, the entry for **NM 201, Think Graphic: Print and Type:**

201 Think Graphic: Print and Type (4)

Foundation class focusing on the principles of print design and production. Emphasis is placed on the research, development and creation of typographically driven projects involving branding systems and poster and packaging design. Students will spend time in class presenting, defending, and improving their work based on formative faculty and peer feedback. Prerequisite: NM 101. Fall.

Impact: There will be no impact on the resources and staffing of the NM department due to this deletion. No new lab equipment or space will be needed.

Rationale: This course is no longer required for the major and has not been taught in several years, so we are ready to remove it from the catalog.

2. **Delete:** On page 266, the entry for **NM 330, Internet Art:**

330 Internet Art (4)

Explores the history, theory, and practice of internet art, defined as “art meant to be experienced online.” Students examine and produce works in the genres of network conceptualism, hypermedia comics, non-linear narrative, and generative software. Readings, research, and art-making projects will address issues of identity, location, collaboration, hacktivism, immersion, storytelling, insider/outsider art, minimalism, design aesthetics, media synthesis, and game design. Students will spend time in class presenting, defending, and improving their work based on formative faculty and peer feedback. Prerequisite: CSCI 182 or 183; NM 231. See department chair.

Impact: There will be no impact on the resources and staffing of the NM department due to this deletion. No new lab equipment or space will be needed.

Rationale: The Interactive emphasis area will be adjusted to remove NM 330 as an option to NM 320. NM 320, Networked Interactive Media and NM 420, Interactive Physical Computing will continue to be the two courses students will take. The content from NM 330 will be taught as part of NM 320, and is no longer needed as an option to NM 320.