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Universidad Ana G. Méndez Online Campus**

This addendum includes the new undergraduate programs to be offered starting on January 2020 and tuition costs revision.

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Bachelor's Degree in Communications with major in Public Relations and Advertising

This program prepares students to work in the field of public relations and advertising, both in public and private agencies and / or in their own companies. You can work on developing and executing strategies in these fields

General Education Courses			
Code	Title	Credit	Pre-Requisite
FYIS 101	Induction Seminar to Distance Education College Life	3	
SPAN 101-102 or SPAN 103-104 or SPAN 105-106	Introduction to Spanish Language – Basic Level Introduction to Spanish Language – Intermediate Introduction to Spanish Language – Advanced Level	6	SPAN 101 for SPAN 102 SPAN 103 for SPAN 104 SPAN 105 for SPAN 106
ENGL 101-102 or ENGL 103-104 or ENGL 105-106	Introduction to English Language- Basic Level Introduction to English Language - Intermediate Introduction to English Language - Advanced Level	6	ENGL 101 for ENGL 102 ENGL 103 for ENGL 104 ENGL 105 for ENGL 106
MATH 112	College Algebra	3	
PHIL 201	Introduction to Philosophy	3	
SOSC 101-102	Introduction to Social Science I and II	6	SOSC 101 for SOSC 102
SCIE 111-112	Integrated Science I and II	6	SCIE 111 for SCIE 112
COIS 101	Introduction to Computers	3	
HIST 101	Introduction to the Study of History	3	
SPAN 215	Writing and Composition	3	SPAN 101-102, or SPAN 103-104, or SPAN 105-106
ENGL 212	English Second Year Basic Level	3	ENGL 101-102, or ENGL 103-104 or ENGL 105-106
ENGL 350	Conversational English	3	ENGL 101-102, or ENGL 103-104, or ENGL 105-106 and a 200 level English course
HUMA 101-102	World Cultures I & II	6	HUMA 101 for HUMA 102
	TOTAL	54	
Core Professional Courses			
Code	Title	Credit	Pre-Requisite
STAT 300	Elements of Statistics I	3	
GEOG 205	Global Communities and Resources: critical perspective	3	SOSC 101, SOSC 102
SOSC 320	Social Research Techniques	3	
SOCI 358	Social Problems of Puerto Rico	3	
ECON 207	New World Order Economy	3	
COMM 205	Communication Theory	3	
COMM 212	Development and Management of Media Enterprises	3	COMM 205
COMM 210	Legal and Ethical Aspects of Communications	3	COMM 205
COMM 325	Introduction to Advertising	3	COMM 205
COMM 320	Introduction to Public Relations	3	COMM 205
COMM 400	T.V. Principles	3	
	TOTAL	33	
Concentration Courses			
Code	Title	Credit	Pre-Requisite
COMM 230	Fundamentals of Journalism	3	COMM 205
COMM 420	Writing for Public Relations	3	COMM 205, COMM 320
COMM 390	Strategic media planning	3	COMM 205, COMM 320
COMU 307	Writing for Communication's Media	3	COMM 205
COMM 311	Photojournalism	3	COMM 205
COMM 435	Crisis Communication in Public Relations	3	COMM 230
COMM 380	Principles of Radio	3	COMM 205
COMM 440	Public Relations Campaigns	3	COMM 320
COMM 445	Advertising Campaigns	3	COMM 325
COMM 330	Design and Publishing of Electronic Pages	3	COMM 205
PROD 205	Audiovisual Production I	3	
COMM 455	Integration Seminar	3	24 concentration credits approved
	TOTAL	36	
Free Electives			
Elective		3	
	TOTAL	3	
	TOTAL OF CREDITS	126	

COIS 101 - Introduction to Computers

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

This course develops in the student levels of productivity in the use of computers, necessary to perform effectively in their personal and work environment. Throughout the course, the student will acquire the competencies of a beginner level user, while being exposed to the most recent technological developments. The student will learn desktop applications used to create documents, spreadsheets, audiovisual presentations, electronic mail, and internet searches.

COMM 205 - Communication Theory

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

Study of the communication concept, paradigms of human communication and functions of so-called media. Study and analysis of media effects theories and theories of mass communication. In addition, analysis of organizational communication, its features, functions and key components, as well as contemporary theories of the New Technologies of Information and Communication (NTIC).

COMM 210 - Legal and Ethical Aspects of Communications

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - COMM 205

This course places emphasis on the analysis of the legislation, regulation and jurisprudence applicable to the communications medium of the country. This course also focuses on the professional responsibility of the communications.

COMM 212 - Development and Management of Media Enterprises

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - COMM 205

This course provides students basic skills in the development and management of a company in the field of communications. Historical and theoretical aspects are studied, and the development of strategies for the audiovisual industries.

COMM 230 - Fundamentals of Journalism

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite – COMM 205

The course study the main theories about the origins of journalism, it's current concepts and purposes. The essential elements of codes of ethics, law and media, digital journalism, as well as different journalistic genres are also addressed.

COMM 307 - Writing for Communication's Media

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - COMM 205

Study of the theoretical principles and the technique of scriptwriting for radio, television and cinema. Emphasis on television programs, television spots and dramatic scriptwriting by considering the structure and format of the script. Writing of scripts for short films, spots, documentaries and other communication devices. CELTX will be used for the correct script format for applications pertaining to the cinema and WORD for other media (as television, documentaries and spots).

COMM 311 - Photojournalism

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite – COMM 205

Study of the digital still photography camera and introduction to the digital moving image camera. Presentations of the technical aspects of photography. Technical consideration of depth of field, composition and perspective in the construction of the photograph. Introduction of the principles still photography and those of the moving image camera. Study of the main areas of photojournalism. Introduction of the technical aspects of data transference from the digital camera (of the still and moving image camera) to the computer. Presentation of basic skills of photographic retouching and study of the principles of a photographer's ethic in relation to photojournalism.

COMM 320 - Introduction to Public Relations

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - COMM 205

The study of concepts, features, functions and other components of the public relations as well as their interrelations with the media and other communication disciplines and / or marketing. Ethics and social responsibility and the main

concepts of public relations in organizations are discussed, including crisis management and resolution and public relations planning.

COMM 325 - Introduction to Advertising

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - COMM 205

The study of advertising concepts, functions and other components, ethics and social responsibility, and the relationship between advertising and other communication and/or marketing disciplines. Critical analysis, planning and creation for advertising is addressed including Internet advertising as well.

COMM 330 - Design and Publishing of Electronic Pages

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite – COMM 205

In this course students will develop the appropriate skills and knowledge appropriate to design and publish web pages. The first part of the course will teach the nature of the cyber network and its interaction with the world of communications, especially journalism. The second part foresees an ample exercise of design and publishing web pages on the internet, and the discussion and analysis of the publications made by students and digital media.

COMM 380 – Principles of Radio

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite – COMM 205

This course will study the radio as a social communication medium: its social and historical context, and the theoretical and practical aspects. Radio programming, strategies for programming and the basic equipment for radio broadcasting are also addressed.

COMM 390 – Strategic Media Planning

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite – COMM 205, COMM 320

Theoretical and methodological foundations of strategic media planning in advertising are studied as well as the market and its components. Students will elaborate, with the guidance of the professor, a strategic media plan for advertising presenting at least one of the methodologies used for design, implementation and evaluation.

COMM 400 – T.V. Principles

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite – None

Theoretic and practical study of television as a communication means. Study of the basic concepts of "Television Studies" as are the television text, the nature of televisual language, the televisual sign, television audiences and the history of television as a communication means. Introduction of television production basic concepts in and/or outside the studio. Basic study of the computer in the process of television production. Basic Study of television locution and speech. Study of the skills for the creation of televisual scripts and proposals.

COMM 420 - Writing for Public Relations

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite – COMM 205, COMM 320

The course studies the definition and structure of the most used texts in the field of public relations, including press releases, blogs, speeches, social networking, press kits and handbook for crisis management. The basic techniques for writing and editing are also addressed.

COMM 435 - Crisis Communication in Public Relations

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite – COMM 230

Study of fundamental theories of crisis communication as well as the essential elements and the relationship between organizational crisis and media and leadership in crisis management. They will also study historically relevant cases, the communication management of organizational crisis and crisis management of these different types of responses. A plan of prevention and crisis communication in organizations is developed.

COMM 440 – Public Relations Campaigns

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite – COMM 320

Analysis of cases of public relations in organizations. Diagnosis of public relations in organizations, and using this as a basis, students will undertake the design, implementation and evaluation of PR campaigns, with the advice of the professor.

COMM 445 – Advertising Campaigns

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite –COMM 325

Analysis of cases of advertising in organizations. Diagnosis of advertising in organizations, and using this as a basis, students will undertake the design, implementation and evaluation of advertising campaigns, with the advice of the Professor.

COMM 455 – Integration Seminar

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite – 24 concentration credits approved

Comprehensive, theoretical, conceptual and communicational analysis approach from the perspective of public relations and advertising. This course allows application of knowledge, skills and abilities acquired in previous courses in order to improve the effectiveness and efficiency of communication plan or strategy. Emphasis is placed on research as an essential element, linked to new trends in the discipline of study. The course is based on the analysis of case studies and research.

ENGL 101-102 - Introduction to English Language – Basic Level

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - ENGL 101 for ENGL 102

This course emphasizes the development of basic written communication and reading skills. Grammar instruction is provided for students who need to improve their proficiency in English.

ENGL 103-104 - Introduction to English Language - Intermediate Level

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - ENGL 103 for ENGL 104

A thorough study of intermediate English grammar leading to the development of basic speaking, listening, reading and writing skills. Two semesters, three hours per week.

ENGL 105-106 - Introduction to English Language - Advanced Level

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - ENGL 105 for ENGL 106

This course includes a review of grammar emphasizing written communication through the study of the content and form of the essay.

ENGL 212 - English Second Year Basic Level

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - ENGL 101-102 or ENGL 103-104 or ENGL 105-106

Basic Level Emphasizes vocabulary development and grammar structures for effective oral and written business communication. Required course for Business Administration students.

ENGL 350 - Conversational English

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - ENGL 101-102, or ENGL 103-104, or ENGL 105-106 and a 200 level English course

This course provides practice for the development of oral communication skills to be used in personal and professional settings.

ECON 207 - New World Order Economy

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

The course includes a diagnostic view of the contemporary economic forces and their social, environmental and political effects. It also includes the fundamental economic perspectives for future societies.

FYIS 101 - Induction Seminar to Distance Education College Life

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

This course was designed to facilitate the process of student transition to online university life. Its design focuses on developing a critical vision of itself, through the analysis and evaluation of its values, attitudes and prejudices during the process of adaptation to university life and the world of work.

GEOG 205 - Global Communities and Resources: Critical Perspective

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite – SOSC 101, SOSC 102

A Critical View The course is an introduction to human problems in the contemporary world. Physical geography and different theories related to this phenomenon are considered. Implications of problems related to the economic and political development of society will also be discussed.

HIST 101 - Introduction to the Study of History

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

The course is an introduction to the study of historical and cultural affairs. Promotes understanding of the importance, meaning and pleasure of the study of history, as well as the knowledge on the process of writing. Empower the university student to learn of the many lessons we can learn from history. It answers the question: What's the story?

HUMA 101-102 World Cultures I and II

Credits - 6

Pre-requisite - HUMA 101 for HUMA 102

Critical study of human cultural evolution from the origin of the cities and the urban life, until modern society. Special attention is given to critical cultural events. The course promotes understanding of the moral, social and cultural aspects of Puerto Rican society in the global context.

MATH 112 - College Algebra

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

The College Algebra course includes the following topics: functions and graphs, polynomial and rational functions, functions exponential and logarithmic.

PHIL 201 - Introduction to Philosophy

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

Study of the nature and development of philosophical thoughts and its problems. Studies the principal philosophers from Greece to the present.

PROD 205 - Audiovisual Production I

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

Introductory and theoretic study of the administrative and production processes of film, video and multimedia. Study of the human resources of production from the point of view of a producer and the processes of pre-production, production and postproduction. Elaboration of the responsibilities and tasks of producer from the conception of the production design, final projection and distribution of an audiovisual object. Study of the languages of audiovisual production.

SCIE 111 - Integrated Sciences I

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

This course integrates concepts from the different areas of science applying the scientific method. The relationship between science and technology is established. The origin and development of the Universe is studied, particularly the planet Earth, and the origin and evolution of the organisms. The concepts of matter and energy applied to systems are studied. The sources and uses of energy and their impact on the environment are described, incorporating real life situations.

SCIE 112 - Integrated Sciences II

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - SCIE 111

This course integrates different science concepts through the scientific method. They will study the origin and evolution of organisms, the interaction among them, with the environment and the importance of conservation of the environment and biodiversity. They will study the human body as a system-emphasizing human and public health, nutrition and sexuality.

SOCI 358 - Social Problems of Puerto Rico

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

Social problems of contemporary Puerto Rico. Historical perspective on the problems, their causes, public and private problem-solving policies. Demographic problems, poverty, educational deprivation, crime, drugs, and alcohol and the problems of the victims in Puerto Rico

SOSC 101 - Introduction to Social Sciences I

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

Course offers introductory view of general principles and fundamentals of the social sciences, specifically anthropology, sociology and psychology. By way of a guided use of the scientific method, social dynamics are scrutinized with attention to the role and effect of cultural, class, gender, race and ethnic differences as well as that of globalization in the contemporary world.

SOSC 102 - Introduction to Social Sciences II

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - SOSC 101

This is the follow up to the introduction to the social sciences course, focusing on political science, economics and demography. This course analyzes the manners in which political systems obtain, maintain and lose power; the shifts and changes in world population; the effects of a globalized economy in Puerto Rico and abroad. Particular attention is placed on important variables such as cultural diversity, social class, gender, race and ethnicity.

SOSC 320 - Social Research Techniques

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite – None

The course deals with research methods and techniques for the Social Sciences.

SPAN 101-102 - Introductory Spanish - Basic Level

Credits - 6

Pre-requisite – SPAN 101 for SPAN 102

The history and evolution of the Spanish language. Development of reading and writing skills. Vocabulary enrichment. Analysis of basic Spanish grammatical structures, supplementary readings.

SPAN 103-104 - Introduction to Spanish Language – Intermediate Level

Credits - 6

Pre-requisite - SPAN 103 for SPAN 104

Introduction to linguistics. The historical evolution of the Spanish language in Puerto Rico. Grammar review, vocabulary enrichment and written communication. Latin American Literature.

SPAN 105-106 - Introduction to Spanish Language – Advanced Level

Credits - 6

Pre-requisite - SPAN 105 for SPAN 106

Written communication. Readings of masterpieces of Hispanic literature. Emphasis on techniques of literary criticism and research.

SPAN 215 - Writing Composition

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - SPAN 101-102, or SPAN 103-104, or SPAN 105-106

Develops proficiency in the practical use of written language; current idiomatic Spanish. Provides practice in the more complex problems of sentence structure and usage and in theme writing and analysis.

STAT 300 - Elements of Statistics I

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

The course deals with statistics for the Social Sciences student. It includes sampling, averages, mode, median, and probability and others.

Bachelor of Science in Nursing with a major in Nursing (RN to BSN)

The **Bachelor of Science in Nursing (RN to BSN)** aims to offer students who earned an associate degree in nursing the opportunity to meet and obtain the requirements of the degree. By completing the bachelor's degree requirements, the graduate will be able to perform in the role of a general practitioner, as a health care leader.

The student must complete 122 credits between the transferred or validated courses of other institutions and those that must be taken as a degree requirement. In the case of general education courses, students must take courses that are not approved according to the general education component of UAGM Online Campus. In addition, you will need to take all the courses that appear in the core professional and concentration courses components.

General Education (Selection of courses as applicable after convalidation)		36	
Course	Title	Credits	Pre-requisite
FYIS 101	Introduction Seminar to Distance University Life	3	
SPAN 101-102 o SPAN 103-104 o SPAN 105-106	Introduction to Spanish Language – Basic Level Introduction to Spanish Language – Intermediate Level Introduction to Spanish Language – Advance level	6	SPAN 101 for SPAN 102 SPAN 103 for SPAN104 SPAN 105 for SPAN106
ENGL 101-102 o ENGL 103-104 o ENGL 105-106	Introduction to English – Basic Level Introduction to English – Intermediate Level Introduction to English – Advance level	6	ENGL 101 for ENGL 102 ENGL 103 for ENGL 104 ENGL 105 for ENGL106
MATH 112	College Algebra	3	
SOSC 101-102	Introduction to Social Science I	6	SOSC 101 for SOSC 102
COIS 101	Introduction to Computer Based Systems	3	
PSYC 123	General Psychology (Compendium)	3	
SCIE 111-112	Integrated Science I and II	6	SCIE 111 for SCIE 112
HIST 101	Introduction to History	3	
SPAN 215	Advance Composition	3	SPAN 101-102 or SPAN 103-104 or
ENGL 212	English Second Year Basic Level	3	ENGL 101-102 or ENGL 103-104 or
ENGL 350	Conversational English	3	ENGL 101-102 or ENGL 103-104 or
HUMA 101-102	World Culture I and II	6	HUMA 101 for HUMA 102
Professional Core (Degree Requirement)		24	
Course	Title	Credits	Pre-requisite
HESM 560*	Applied Biostatistics	3	Undergraduate course in statistics
HESC 365	Health Sciences Research	3	
CHEM 224	Fundamentals of General Chemistry	3	
BIOL 300	Microbiology	3	
Concentration (Degree Requirement)		59	
Course	Title	Credits	Pre-requisite
NURS 210	Nursing Informatics	3	
NURS 602*	Management and Leadership Seminar in Nursing	3	
NURS 500	Nursing Role in Family Care and the Community	3	
NURS 407	Knowledge Integration in Nursing	3	
NURS 501	Diversity in the Nursing Profession	3	
NURS 600*	Regulation and Healthcare Policy	3	
HESM 110	Health Services Management	3	
Electives (Degree Requirement)		3	
NURS 503	Nutrition for Nursing	3	
PUHE 101	Introduction to Public Health and Health Education	3	

COIS 101 - Introduction to Computers

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

This course develops in the student levels of productivity in the use of computers, necessary to perform effectively in their personal and work environment. Throughout the course, the student will acquire the competencies of a beginner level user, while being exposed to the most recent technological developments. The student will learn desktop applications used to create documents, spreadsheets, audiovisual presentations, electronic mail, and internet searches.

CHEM 224 - Fundamentals of General Chemistry

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

Study of the principles of General Chemistry designed for students of health-related professions. The course includes topics about measurement systems, matter and energy, chemical reactions, atomic and molecular structure, chemical bonds, radioactivity, stoichiometry, solutions, liquid and gas states, chemical equilibrium, chemical kinetics, acids and bases.

BIOL 300 - Microbiology for Health Sciences Students

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

Fundamental concepts of microbiology such as: bacteriology, mycology, virology, parasitology and immunology. Emphasis in pathogenic microorganisms and diagnosis of infectious disorders.

ENGL 101-102 - Introduction to English Language – Basic Level

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - ENGL 101 for ENGL 102

This course emphasizes the development of basic written communication and reading skills. Grammar instruction is provided for students who need to improve their proficiency in English.

ENGL 103-104 - Introduction to English Language - Intermediate Level

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - ENGL 103 for ENGL 104

A thorough study of intermediate English grammar leading to the development of basic speaking, listening, reading and writing skills. Two semesters, three hours per week.

ENGL 105-106 - Introduction to English Language - Advanced Level

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - ENGL 105 for ENGL 106

This course includes a review of grammar emphasizing written communication through the study of the content and form of the essay.

ENGL 212 - English Second Year Basic Level

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - ENGL 101-102 or ENGL 103-104 or ENGL 105-106

Basic Level Emphasizes vocabulary development and grammar structures for effective oral and written business communication. Required course for Business Administration students.

ENGL 350 - Conversational English

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - ENGL 101-102, or ENGL 103-104, or ENGL 105-106 and a 200 level English course

This course provides practice for the development of oral communication skills to be used in personal and professional settings.

FYIS 101 - Induction Seminar to Distance Education College Life

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

This course was designed to facilitate the process of student transition to online university life. Its design focuses on developing a critical vision of itself, through the analysis and evaluation of its values, attitudes and prejudices during the process of adaptation to university life and the world of work.

HESC 365 - Health Sciences Research

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

This core course is aimed to students from the School of Health Sciences to acquire the skills required in the research process, based on ethical and legal principles. Emphasis will be on critical analysis of research articles, discussion of different theoretical frameworks and the importance of health research to implement changes. As part of the course, students will complete the certifications "Information Privacy and Security" (IPS) and "Responsible Conduct of Research" (RCR) to develop a research proposal.

HESM 110 - Health Services Management

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite – None

Introduction to the fundamental concepts of management of health services facilities. Application of the administrative processes: organization, direction, control and evaluation. Emphasis is placed in public policies, health services management status, trends, organization, practices and issues relative to the delivery of health services in Puerto Rico and in the United States.

HESM 560 – Applied Biostatistics

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite – Undergraduate course in statistics

Study of the principles and basic concepts of applied statistics and inferential analysis principles in health services. Emphasis is placed on the assessment and analysis of descriptive statistics, hypothesis testing and estimation. It covers the basics of inferential statistics applied to hypothesis testing, mean proportions and variances in the process of health management and evaluation. Identify and recognize the importance of regression and correlation analysis.

HIST 101 - Introduction to the Study of History

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

The course is an introduction to the study of historical and cultural affairs. Promotes understanding of the importance, meaning and pleasure of the study of history, as well as the knowledge on the process of writing. Empower the university student to learn of the many lessons we can learn from history. It answers the question: What's the story?

HUMA 101-102 World Cultures I and II

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - HUMA 101 for HUMA 102

Critical study of human cultural evolution from the origin of the cities and the urban life, until modern society. Special attention is given to critical cultural events. The course promotes understanding of the moral, social and cultural aspects of Puerto Rican society in the global context.

MATH 112 - College Algebra

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

The College Algebra course includes the following topics: functions and graphs, polynomial and rational functions, functions exponential and logarithmic.

NURS 210 - Nursing Informatics

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

This course assists students to develop basic competencies in use of computers, data management software, patient care technologies, electronic communication, data gathering devices to deliver quality patient care. Issues and policies related to ethics and privacy regarding the treatment of patient information (HIPAA) and the impact of informatics related to data, technology, privacy, security and systems are addressed.

NURS 407 - Knowledge Integration in Nursing

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

The focus of this course is the integration of knowledge, skills and attitudes for professional nursing practice. Students have the opportunity to familiarize themselves with the requirements established by law to practice nursing, and to take the "Junta Examinadora de Enfermeras y Enfermeros de Puerto Rico" and the National Council Licensure

Examination- Registered Nurse (NCLEX-RN)" board exams. Students review and practice the essential components included in these tests, required to the nursing profession practice in Puerto Rico and the United States of America.

NURS 500 – Nursing Role in Family Care and the Community

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

The student will apply the theoretical and empirical knowledge in the use of the nursing process in populations and community environments to promote, maintain, and restore health. The students will examine the roles and various scenarios of professional nursing and public health community during the assessment phase, applying research skills, effective communication, and the satisfaction of health needs of populations and communities.

NURS 501 – Diversity in the Nursing Profession

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite – None

During this course, the student will examine the influence of cultural diversity in the nursing practice with the patient, individuals, towns, and communities. They will analyze the impact of cultural diversity, beliefs, values, and influence in health care and nursing practice. They will explore their own cultural beliefs related to health care, customer behaviors, cultural perspective, and cross-cultural communication barriers.

NURS 503 – Nutrition for Nursing

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

In this course, the student will analyze the nurse role and care in the estimate, analysis, and intervention of the nutritional needs at all stages of the life cycle. Emphasis is placed on the discussion of essential nutrients and the importance of the food pyramid for nutritional health maintenance. Also, they will analyze the influence of food in weight control, health problems, and the most common diseases.

NURS 600 – Regulation and Healthcare Policy

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite – None

The purpose of this course is to examine the fundamentals of health policy, the financial structure of the health systems, and regulatory environments that have an impact on nursing practice and care to the individual, family, and community as patients, while emphasizing on those issues affecting the health policy and the focus on the influence of the nursing profession in policy matters and regulations.

NURS 602 – Management and Leadership Seminar in Nursing

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

In this course, the student will analyze the fundamentals of leadership and management in health services. Emphasis is placed on the application of advanced communication skills in collaboration with the multidisciplinary team. The different types of leadership, the characteristics of a leader, and organizational changes for a better teamwork will be discussed. They will also evaluate the leadership theories and models to foster safe environments and effective work. Through the seminar, they will apply the problem-solving step methods to address complex issues within health organizations.

PHIL 201 - Introduction to Philosophy

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

Study of the nature and development of philosophical thoughts and its problems. Studies the principal philosophers from Greece to the present.

PUHE 101 - Introduction to Public Health and Health Education

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

Introduction to the different conceptions about health, as well as the basic principal education. Analysis of the relationships that exist among the 4 mayor factors that determine health. Deals with various epidemiologic concepts about health and illness, the natural history of diseases, attention and prevention levels, specific protection measures and health promotion. Emphasis is placed on existing health education models for individual and community intervention.

SCIE 111 - Integrated Sciences I

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

This course integrates concepts from the different areas of science applying the scientific method. The relationship between science and technology is established. The origin and development of the Universe is studied, particularly the planet Earth, and the origin and evolution of the organisms. The concepts of matter and energy applied to systems are studied. The sources and uses of energy and their impact on the environment are described, incorporating real life situations.

SCIE 112 - Integrated Sciences II

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - SCIE 111

This course integrates different science concepts through the scientific method. They will study the origin and evolution of organisms, the interaction among them, with the environment and the importance of conservation of the environment and biodiversity. They will study the human body as a system-emphasizing human and public health, nutrition and sexuality.

SOSC 101 - Introduction to Social Sciences I

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

Course offers introductory view of general principles and fundamentals of the social sciences, specifically anthropology, sociology and psychology. By way of a guided use of the scientific method, social dynamics are scrutinized with attention to the role and effect of cultural, class, gender, race and ethnic differences as well as that of globalization in the contemporary world.

SOSC 102 - Introduction to Social Sciences II

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - SOSC 101

This is the follow up to the introduction to the social sciences course, focusing on political science, economics and demography. This course analyzes the manners in which political systems obtain, maintain and lose power; the shifts and changes in world population; the effects of a globalized economy in Puerto Rico and abroad. Particular attention is placed on important variables such as cultural diversity, social class, gender, race and ethnicity.

SPAN 101-102 - Introductory Spanish - Basic Level

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - None

The history and evolution of the Spanish language. Development of reading and writing skills. Vocabulary enrichment. Analysis of basic Spanish grammatical structures, supplementary readings.

SPAN 103-104 - Introduction to Spanish Language – Intermediate Level

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - SPAN 103 for SPAN 104

Introduction to linguistics. The historical evolution of the Spanish language in Puerto Rico. Grammar review, vocabulary enrichment and written communication. Latin American Literature.

SPAN 105-106 - Introduction to Spanish Language – Advanced Level

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - SPAN 105 for SPAN 106

Written communication. Readings of masterpieces of Hispanic literature. Emphasis on techniques of literary criticism and research.

SPAN 215 - Writing Composition

Credits - 3

Pre-requisite - SPAN 101-102, or SPAN 103-104, or SPAN 105-106

Develops proficiency in the practical use of written language; current idiomatic Spanish. Provides practice in the more complex problems of sentence structure and usage and in theme writing and analysis.

Tuition Costs

The UAGM-Online Campus catalog is amended with this document as for a reduction in tuition costs and general fees for United States Residents (continental states only). Also, the graduation fees were revised.

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Charges per Credits	
PUERTO RICO & INTERNATIONAL RESIDENTS	
Undergraduate Programs	
BACHELOR’S: Management, Information Systems, Accounting, Human Resources, Psychology, Criminology, Health Services Management, Public Relations and Advertising, Nursing (RN to BSN)	\$190.00
General Fees	
PUERTO RICO & INTERNATIONAL RESIDENTS	
General Fees	\$260.00

CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES RESIDENTS ONLY	
Undergraduate Programs	
BACHELOR’S: Management, Information Systems, Accounting, Human Resources, Psychology, Criminology, Health Services Management, Public Relations and Advertising, Nursing (RN to BSN)	\$250.00
General Fees:	\$98.00
General Fees: Summer	\$42.50

OTHER FEES AND CHARGES	
Transcript	\$6.00
Graduation Fee	\$185.00
Diploma Duplicate	\$25.00
Degree Certification	\$5.00
Graduation or Administrative Graduation Certification	\$35.00
Apostille Fee	\$40.00
Shipping Fee	Varies by country