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Dear Mai,

This memo is in response to the discrepancy noted between the 2017-18 academic catalog and the credit hours completed by the Spring 2019 Vascular Ultrasound BS program graduates. Please see below table, which indicates the course number, course name, semester credit hours as listed in the 2017-18 catalog, and in the fourth column, the correct number of credit hours per course. Please advise this fourth column correlates and accurately reflects the number of semester credit hours completed by the Spring 2019 Vascular Ultrasound BS program graduates. Revisions indicated in red.

**Fall Semester Year 1**

<b>Course Number</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Semester Credit Hours</b>	<b><i>Errata, Semester Credit Hours</i></b>
VAS 305	Vascular Anatomy, Physiology, and Pathophysiology	2	2
VAS 310	Patient Care Class & Lab	2	2
VAS 320	Ultrasound Physics, Physical Principles and Instrumentation I	2	2
VAS 320L	Physics and Instrumentation LAB	1	1
VAS 330	Venous Procedures	2	2
VAS 330L	Venous Procedures LAB	1	1
VAS 340	Arterial Physiologic and Duplex Procedures	3	3
VAS 340L	Arterial Physiologic Procedures LAB	1	1
IPE	IPE Interprofessional Education		
	<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	16	<b>14</b>

**Spring Semester Year 1**

<b>Course Number</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Semester Credit Hours</b>	<b>Errata, Semester Credit Hours</b>
VAS 325	Ultrasound Physics, Physical Principles and Instrumentation II	2	2
VAS 345L	Advanced Duplex Ultrasound Procedures Lab	1	1
VAS 350	Cerebrovascular Procedures (Car and TCD)	2	2
VAS 350L	Cerebrovascular Procedures LAB (Car & TCD)	1	1
VAS 360	Abdominal Vascular Procedures Class and LAB	2	2
VAS 370	General Pathophysiology (online)	3	3
VAS 380	Professional Practices	3	3
VAS 390	Intro to Research Class and LAB	2	2
IPE	IPE Interprofessional Education		
	<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	16	16

**Clinical Year, Summer Semester Year 1**

<b>Course Number</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Semester Credit Hours</b>	<b>Errata, Semester Credit Hours</b>
VAS 411	Clinical Skills I	10	11
VAS 421	Professional Skills I	1	1
VAS 441	Senior Cases/Lectures I	1	1
	<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	12	13

**Clinical Year, Fall Semester Year 2**

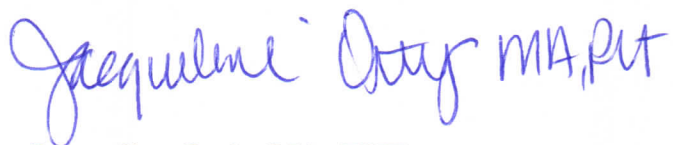
<b>Course Number</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Semester Credit Hours</b>	<b>Errata, Semester Credit Hours</b>
VAS 412	Clinical Skills II	6	7
VAS 422	Professional Skills II	1	1
VAS 451	Cumulative Clinical Skills I	4	4
VAS 442	Senior Cases/Lectures II	1	1
	<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	12	13

**Clinical Year, Spring Semester Year 2**

<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Course Number</b>	<b>Semester Credit Hours</b>	<b>Errata, Semester Credit Hours</b>
VAS 413	Clinical Skills III	7	8
VAS 423	Professional Skills III	1	1
VAS 452	Cumulative Clinical Skills II	4	4
VAS 443	Senior Cases/Lectures III/Comprehensive Review and Exam	2	1
	<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	14	14
	<b>Total Semester Credit Hours</b>		<b>70</b>

Please contact me with additional questions or concerns.

Respectfully,



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