



UNIVERSITY
OF THE PEOPLE
Tuition-Free Online University



ADDENDUM

2014-15 CATALOG

(as of 12/12/2014)

UNIVERSITY OF THE PEOPLE

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Purpose of this Addendum

The purpose of the Addendum is to provide information about changes that have occurred since publication of the 2014-2015 UoPeople Catalog. The Addendum contains approved changes to programs and courses as well as changes in policies and procedures UoPeople.

All changes and additions listed here take precedence over the information contained in the 2014-2015 Catalog. All information contained in the Addendum is subject to change without notice.

Accreditation

Effective January 2014, University of the People is accredited by the Distance Education and Training Council (DETC) Accrediting Commission, 1601 18th Street, N.W., Suite 2, Washington, D.C. 20009, (202) 234-5100. www.detc.org. The Accrediting Commission of the Distance Education and Training Council is listed by the U.S. Department of Education as a nationally recognized accrediting agency.

Administrative Withdrawals

Students exceeding the maximum number of inactive terms, either consecutively or in an academic year, will be administratively withdrawn from UoPeople. Those interested in returning to their studies will be required to apply for re-enrollment, reinstatement or academic renewal depending on the number of terms separated from the University.

Students who are administratively withdrawn on the second occasion for exceeding the maximum number of inactive terms, either consecutively or in an academic year, will not be allowed to request to return to their studies for a minimum of five (5) terms.

Admissions Updates

University of the People accepts applications to the University throughout the calendar year and prospective students may apply for admissions to any of the five terms. All admissions materials must be received via post to the Office of Admissions by the following deadlines to be considered complete.

- **February 5, 2015** for early admission to Term 4 of the 2014-15 academic year
- **February 26, 2015** for regular admission to Term 4 of the 2014-15 academic year
- **April 16, 2015** for early admission to Term 5 of the 2014-15 academic year



- **May 7, 2015** for regular admission to Term 5 of the 2014-15 academic year

UoPeople will announce its decisions on the Notice of Admissions Day.

- **February 26, 2015** notification of early admission to Term 4 of the 2014-15 academic year
- **March 19, 2015** notification of regular admission to Term 4 of the 2014-15 academic year
- **May 7, 2015** notification of early admission to Term 5 of the 2014-15 academic year
- **May 28, 2015** notification of regular admission to Term 5 of the 2014-15 academic year

For additional information, please contact the Office of Admission at admissions@uopeople.edu.

Applications for the Division of Continuing Education

The application portal for students who wish to enroll in college credit as Non-degree Special Students (NDSS) in the Division of Continuing Education is not yet open for the 2014-15 academic year. This opportunity may be available for the 2015-16 academic year.

Course Updates

Programming 1

This introductory course teaches the fundamental concepts of programming languages by use of the popular Java language. The topics cover fundamental principles of programming, including data types, program control and decisions, loops, string manipulations, procedures, arrays, software testing, and debugging.

Course Code: CS 1102

Prerequisites: CS 1101

Credits: 3

Mobile Applications

The course explores concepts and issues surrounding information system applications to real-time operating systems and wireless networking systems.

Course Code: CS 4405

Prerequisites: CS 2205

Credits: 3



English Composition 1 (Proctored Course)

This course is designed to help students develop their academic writing skills through the introduction of the 5 paragraph essay. Featuring the step-by-step process of the 5 paragraph essay, students will learn how to use essential writing tools such as the thesis statement, topic sentence, and supporting paragraphs while learning the guidelines of the APA style. Through further analysis of short stories, students will begin writing their own essays; strict utilization of the APA style will underscore the importance of avoiding plagiarism in both researching and writing.

This course does not apply toward meeting the requirements of any UoPeople degree program.

Course Code: ENGL 0101

Prerequisites: None

Credits: 3

English Composition 2 (Proctored Course)

This course is designed to introduce the students to the concept and application of the academic research paper and its components. In reinforcing their strengths as writers in an academic context, students will learn how to utilize critical thinking in order to synthesize research data to build a thesis statement. The course will help students gain practical tools for developing analytic skills in completing an end of the term research project.

Course Code: ENGL 1102

Prerequisites: None

Credits: 3

New Scholarship Opportunities

Small Giants Scholarship Fund for Refugees 2015: available to UoPeople Degree Seeking Students who are refugees or seeking asylum.

Notes about Scholarships

- UoPeople does not award scholarships to admitted applicants or students who have previously earned a degree from a post-secondary institution.
- Students who have voluntarily withdrawn from UoPeople relinquish all claims to any scholarship support that had been previously awarded to them.



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UoPeople is now authorized in the State of Indiana

This institution is authorized by:
The Indiana Board for Proprietary Education
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University of the People at Pasadena, California has been granted status as an out-of-state institution with no physical presence in Indiana authorized to enroll and offer online instruction or distance education to Indiana residents delivered from a campus in another state in accordance with Indiana Administrative Code IC 21-18.5-6-12. This status is effective from October 3, 2014 to October 2, 2015.