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MEMO TO: The Faculty

FROM: Academic Affairs Council

SUBJECT: Proposed Catalog Changes for 2008-2009

The following is a list of proposed changes for the 2008-2009 Catalog approved by the Academic Affairs Council.

- American Studies:** Editorial changes.
- Animal Behavior:** No changes.
- Art/Art History:** Changed title and description of ARH71-443, ARH71-703 and ARH71-713. Editorial changes.
- Biology:** Editorial changes.
- Chemistry/Biochemistry:** Increase number of hours in majors by two due to the addition of one hour to two required courses: CHE51-351 Chemistry Literature Seminar and CHE51-911 Chemistry Laboratory Research Capstone. Discontinued courses CHE51-581 Biochemistry II Laboratory and CHE51-921 Chemistry Literature Research Capstone. Added course CHE51-633 Bioinorganic Chemistry. Changed titles and descriptions for CHE51-714 and CHE51-724 Physical Chemistry I and II. Changed description for CHE51-731 and CHE51-732 Advanced Physical Chemistry. Changed titles of first-year chemistry courses from Chemical Concepts and Properties to General Chemistry. Made CHE51-971, 972 and 973 Introduction to Research Pass/D/Fail only. Changed course offering information for CHE51-593 Medicinal Chemistry, CHE51-912 Chemistry Laboratory Research Capstone, and CHE51-352 Chemistry Literature Seminar. Editorial changes.
- Classics:** Changed course descriptions for CLA07-203 Greek and Roman Mythology, CLA07-313 Greek Civilization, and CLA07-323 Roman Civilization.
- Communication Studies:** Added course COM75-643 Music, Culture and Identity. Discontinued course COM75-743 Communication, Technology and Culture. Changed course description for COM75-603 Media and Culture. Changed course title for COM75-563 Communication, Gender, and Identity.
- Economics and Business:** Changed course description for ACC36-533 Advanced Financial Accounting. Changed course offering information for ACC36-923 Advanced Auditing.
- Education:** Editorial changes made to reflect changes in State teacher certification requirements. Early Childhood to 4<sup>th</sup> grade certification changed to Early Childhood to 6<sup>th</sup> grade. Art and Spanish secondary certification areas are now all-level certification areas. Added course EDU45-793 Modern British Fantasy for Children. Added education majors for students seeking all-level or secondary teacher certification.
- English:** Added ENG10-223 Modern British Fantasy as a cross-listed course from EDU.
- Environmental Studies:** Added course ENV49-293 Environmental Philosophy. Deleted course ENV49-604 Nature's Nation.
- Feminist Studies:** Changed FST04-203 Intellectual Histories of Feminism and FST04-463 Feminist and Queer Activism to four-hour courses. Increased number of hours required for major by one. Added cross-listed course FST04-643 Music, Culture and Identity. Deleted cross-listed courses FST04-173 Introduction to Performance Studies, FST04-313 Theatre History and Historiography II, FST04-343 Gender, Sex and Violence in the Biblical World, FST04-373 Music and Gender, FST04-513 Gender, Race and Class, and FST04-653 Communication and Body Politics. Changed titles of courses FST04-294 Childhood and Adolescence and FST04-283 Feminist Theory. Editorial changes.
- History:** Reduced the number of HIS16-864 Research Seminar courses required for the capstone from two to one. Increased the number of History elective courses required for the major by one. The number of hours for the major thus decreased by one from 33 to 32. Decreased the number of lower-level World History courses required for the minor from two to one. Increased the number of upper-level hours required for the minor from 12 to 15. Changed the title and description of

HIS16-673 The Peruvian Colonial Inquisition. Added HIS16-413 History of Race Relations in the 20<sup>th</sup> Century and HIS16-463 Latin American, Asian and European Immigration in U.S. History to the list of possible courses to double-count in the HIS/FST paired major. Added HIS16-263 African History and HIS16-453 Slavery and Freedom in the Atlantic World as possibilities for fulfilling the pre- or early modern requirement in the major. Editorial changes.

**International Studies:** Allow students to propose a disciplinary major other than History, Political Science, Art History, or Anthropology through a formal petition to the International Studies Committee. Added language to clarify requirements for students wishing to pursue a study abroad program that does not meet the specific guidelines outlined by the International Studies Committee.

**Kinesiology:** Added a prerequisite of KIN48-704 Physiology of Exercise to AHE46-443 Nutrition for Human Performance and Health. Changed title and description of FRA47-071 Rock Climbing. Editorial changes.

**Latin American Studies:** No changes.

**Math/Computer Science:** Changed MAT52-253 Calculus II, MAT52-893 Senior Seminar in Mathematical Modeling, and CSC52-894 Senior Seminar in Software Engineering to four-hour courses. The number of hours required for the mathematics and computational mathematics majors increased by two. The number of hours required for the mathematics minor increased by one. The number of hours for the required supporting courses for the computer science major increased by one. Changed language for required supporting courses in the mathematics major to reflect that students “should” rather than “must” take CSC54-143 before CSC54-183. Changed course offering information for MAT52-123 Elementary Function Theory, MAT52-403 Geometry, CSC54-283 Computer Science II and CSC54-553 Computer Graphics. Changed course descriptions for MAT52-253 Calculus II, CSC54-183 Computer Science I, and CSC54-283 Computer Science II. Edited course descriptions and changed prerequisites for MAT52-753 Elementary Differential Equations and MAT52-763 Intermediate Differential Equations. Changed pre-requisite for Calculus I. Editorial changes.

**MLL:CHI/FRE/GER:** Changed prerequisites for GER12-343 Introduction to German Literature and Film, 20<sup>th</sup> Century and GER12-353 Contemporary German Culture. Changed course description for GER12-353. Editorial changes.

**MLL: Spanish:** Revised course descriptions for Spanish I-IV, SPA15-213 Intermediate Oral and Written Expression, and SPA15-333 Advanced Composition. Changed prerequisites for SPA15-613 Topics in Hispanic Film and Literature and SPA15-623 Topics in Hispanic Literature. Deleted courses SPA15-132 Spanish Conversation, SPA15-212 Advanced Spanish Conversation, and SPA15-233 Literature, Film and Performance in Spanish. Editorial changes.

**Music:** Added language to clarify capstone requirements. Eliminated oral final requirement for Music Literature and Music Theory emphases for the Bachelor of Music degree. Deleted course MUL80-373 Music and Gender.

**Paideia:** No changes.

**Physical Science:** No changes.

**Physics:** No changes.

**Political Science:** Added course PSC32-946 Academic Internship. Eliminated course PSC32-564 Nature’s Nation.

**Psychology:** Added course PSY33-393 Psychotherapy: Theories and Methods. Removed PSY33-243 Psychological Testing and added PSY33-553 Human Factors as choices for meeting specific major requirements. Added requirement/prerequisite that a grade of C must be earned in any psychology course if it is to count as a prerequisite for a subsequent psychology course. Changed grading of internships from graded to P/D/F. Changed title of PSY33-363 to Exotic Sensory Systems. Changed course description of PSY33-553 Human Factors. Removed prerequisite for PSY33-373 Forensic Psychology. Editorial changes.

**Religion/Philosophy:** Changed all 100-level religion courses to 200-level. Deleted courses REL19-123 Introduction to the Hebrew Bible, REL19-133 Introduction to the New Testament, REL19-203 Death, Dying and the Afterlife, REL19-223 Journey to Wisdom, REL19-293 American Religions, and REL19-343 Gender, Sex and Violence in the Biblical World. Changed course number of REL19-213 Religion and Ecology to REL19-333. Changed title and description of REL19-624 Seminar in Biblical and Judaic Literature. Eliminated the major requirement for PHI18-513 or PHI18-523 to have a 20<sup>th</sup> century topic. Deleted course PHI18-273 Biomedical Ethics and PHI18-113 Contemporary Moral Problems. Added courses PHI18-293 Environmental Philosophy and PHI18-333 Language and

Knowledge. Changed course numbers for PHI18-213 Feminist Positions and PHI18-373 Political Philosophy. Added prerequisite to PHI18-343 Feminist Positions, PHI18-313 Metaphysics, PHI18-323 Philosophy of the Self, PHI18-353 Philosophy of History, and PHI18-383 Film Theory. Changed prerequisites for PHI18-413, PHI18-423, PHI18-433, PHI18-443, PHI18-513 and PHI18-523. Editorial changes.

**Sociology/Anthropology:** Changed title of SOC34-274 Childhood and Adolescence to Childhood and Youth.

**Theatre:** Deleted course THE74-273 Theories of Theatre and Performance. Removed possibility of using THE73-603 Musical Theatre as a prerequisite for THE73-513 Contemporary Styles—Acting. Added stage management as an option to be pursued in the course THE73-923 Advanced Production for Theatre. Editorial changes.

**University Studies:** Added course UST05-212 Advanced Entry Seminar.

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### **Additional changes approved for the 2008-2009 Catalog:**

Addition of the new Core Value, “Cultivating academic excellence.” to the list of Core Values.

Addition of a major in Greek.

Language regarding paired majors was changed from, “Certain departments and programs have agreed to “pair” majors, which allow **up to six hours** of specified courses to count in both majors” to “Certain departments and programs have agreed to “pair” majors, which allow **up to eight hours** of specified courses to count in both majors.”

New courses approved/re-approved for Intercultural Perspectives credit:

CLA07-203/EMG10-203/REL19-403 Greek and Roman Mythology

CLA07-313/HIS16-313 Greek Civilization

CLA07-323/HIS16-323 Roman Civilization

EDU43-403 Survey of Exceptionalities

HIS16-583 Modern Japan

REL19-173 Introduction to Hinduism

REL19-183 Introduction to Buddhism

REL19-323 Women, Goddesses and Religion

REL19-363 The Body and Sexuality in Religion

Addition of Catalog language regarding procedures for obtaining approval for courses taken abroad to fulfill the Intercultural Perspectives requirement.

Addition of Catalog language regarding transfer credit policy for study abroad programs.

Change in the grading policy for SSC39-223 British Life and Culture from P/D/F only to A-F only.