College of Arts & Sciences

General Studies Course Proposals

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A. Overview

2012 Strategic Goal

Undergraduate - Quality Pillar C

Submit proposals for General Studies courses which support program major course requirements or electives and replace or eliminate low enrollment courses with new courses with greater projected student interest.

Faculty have shown great interest in expanding the current general education course offerings in order to make the curriculum more innovative and relevant for students. Students enrolled in any undergraduate degree program could utilize these potential courses as their general education electives and benefit from the expansion. New courses could be added to the curriculum permanently, offered on a rotational basis, or used to replace low enrollment courses. Any courses approved at this level would follow the next steps in the Institutional Decision Tree Track IV.

The General Studies substantive areas are ordered by number of proposals received from faculty. Student enrollment data for the last year for each course is also included. The General Studies Course Chart is provided to illustrate current course offerings.

Course Chart and substantive areas are ordered as follows:

- A. Current Course Chart (see attachment A1)
- B. History & Political Science
- C. Communication/Humanities
- D. Science
- E. English
- F. Psychology
- G. Mathematics

Scroll through document to view information for each substantive area. Click on paperclip on side pane to view attachments.

B. History/Political Science

Student Enrollments

9/5/2011 - 9/5/2012			
Enrollment Count	Course Number	Course Name	
836	HY 1010	Western Civilization I	
280	HY 1020	Western Civilization II	
3084	HY 1110	American History I	
1834	HY 1120	American History II	
1232	HY 2000	American Military History I	
537	HY 2020	American Military History II	
358	PS 1010	American Government	
166	PS 2000	Introduction to Political Science	
810	PS 2010	American, State and Local Politics	

Course Proposals

- B1. American Civil War
- B2. World War II
- **B3.** American Revolution
- B4. History of the American West
- B5. History of the American Indian
- B6. American Indian History
- B7. Environmental History of the United States
- B8. Constitutional Law
- **B9.** Civil Rights
- BB10. Cold War
- BB11. Vietnam
- BB12. Rushmore: the Men of on the Mountain
- BB13. War of 1812
- BB14. Manifest Destiny
- BB15. Constitutional Law
- BB16. From TR to FDR
- BB17. Colonial America
- BB18. Eater Rising
- BB19. Foreign Relations
- BB20. Founding Brothers
- BB21. Irish Potato Famine
- BB22. History of Modern Europe
- BB23. History of Modern Russia

C. Communication/Humanities

Student Enrollments

9/5/2011 - 9/5/2012		
Enrollment Count	Course Number	Course Name
261	AR 1010	Art Appreciation
218	MUS 1010	Introduction to Music Appreciation
535	PHL 1010	Critical Thinking
46 (low enrollment)	PHL 2350	Philosophies of World Religions
276	PHL 2350	Philosophies of World Religions
684	SOC 1010	Introduction to Sociology
150	SOC 2010	Cultural Geography
321	SP 1010	Speech Communication
986	CM 1010	Business Communication

Course Proposals

- C01. Life, Ministry, and Teachings of Jesus Christ
- C2. interpersonal Communication
- C3. Nonverbal Communication
- C4. Introduction to Humanities
- C5. Introduction to Philosophy
- C6. Introduction to Ethics
- 07. Speech Communication for Leaders
- C8. Argumentation
- C9. Social and Political Philosophy
- CC10. Women, Society, and History of Ideas

D. Science

Student Enrollments

9/5/2011 - 9/5/2012		
Enrollment Count	Course Number	Course Name
404	AST 2200	Explorations in Astronomy
379	BIO 1030	Biology I
51 (low enrollment)	BIO 1040	Biology II
920	BIO 1100	Non-Majors Biology
130	CHM 1030	General Chemistry I
20 (low enrollment)	CHM 1040	General Chemistry II
2479	ES 1010	Earth Science
142	PHS 1110	Principles of Classical Physical Science
36 (low enrollment)	PHS 1120	Principles of Modern Physical Science

Course Proposals

- D1. Environmental Geology
- D2. Humans and the Universe
- D3. Oceanography
- D4. Environmental Science
- D5. New Physics I
- D6. Survey in Meteorology

E. English/Literature

Student Enrollments

9/5/2011 - 9/5/2012		
Enrollment Count	Course Number	Course Name
4026	EH 1010	English Composition I
3560	EH 1020	English Composition II
1107	EH 3341	Technical Writing
40 (low enrollment)	AL 2000	American Literature I
6 (low enrollment)	AL 2010	American Literature II

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- E1. Literature of War
- E2. Introduction to Creative Writing

F. Psychology

Student Enrollments

9/5/2011 - 9/5/2012		
Enrollment Count	Course Number	Course Name
1476	PSY 1010	General Psychology
401	PSY 2010	Abnormal Psychology
172	PSY 3019	History and Systems of Psychology
207	PSY 3140	Social Psychology
171	PSY 3150	Developmental Psychology
181	PSY 3350	Theories of Personality
166	PSY 3380	Psychology of Learning
157	PSY 3505	Psychology of Adjustment
75 (low enrollment)	PSY 4460	Cognitive Psychology
157	PSY 4501	Research Methods In Psychology
62 (low enrollment)	PSY 4560	Psychological Assessment
90 (low enrollment)	PSY 4620	Health Psychology
108	PSY 4680	Industrial Organizational Psychology

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(click on paperclip on side pane for full course proposals)

F1. Forensic Psychology

F2. Ethics and Multicultural Diversity

G. Mathematics

Student Enrollments

9/5/2011 - 9/5/2012		
Enrollment Count	Course Number	Course Name
2913	MA 1100	Basic Mathematical Fundamentals
499	MA 1140	Finite Math
1095	MA 1150	Algebra I
63 (low enrollment)	MA 1170	Algebra II
46 (low enrollment)	MA 2023	Elementary Statistics

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G1. Math for Liberal Arts