



# UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON

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*Mark A. Emmert, President*

December 20, 2007

Dean Paul Ramsey  
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Dear Paul:

Based on the recommendation of its Subcommittee on Admissions and Programs, the Faculty Council on Academic Standards has recommended approval of the revised requirements for the minor in Medical History and Ethics. A copy of the changes is attached.

I am writing to inform you that the School of Medicine is authorized to specify these requirements beginning summer quarter 2007.

The new requirements should be incorporated in printed statements and in individual department websites as soon as possible. The *General Catalog* website will be updated accordingly by the Registrar's Office.

Sincerely yours,

Mark A. Emmert  
President

Enclosure

cc: Ms. Margaret Mitchell (with enclosure)  
Mr. Robert Corbett (with enclosure)  
Dr. Deborah H. Wiegand (with enclosure)  
Todd Mildon, J. D. (with enclosure MHE-20070515)



UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON  
**CREATING AND CHANGING UNDERGRADUATE  
 ACADEMIC PROGRAMS**

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College School of Medicine	Department or Unit Medical History & Ethics	Date 5/15/07
<p><b>New Programs</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Leading to a Bachelor of _____ in _____ degree.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Leading to a Bachelor of _____ degree with a major in _____.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Leading to a _____ Option within the existing major in _____.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Leading to a minor in _____.</p> <p><b>Changes to Existing Programs</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> New Admission Requirements for the Major in _____ within the Bachelor of _____.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Revised Admission Requirements for the Major in _____ within the Bachelor of _____.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Revised Program Requirements for the Major in _____ within the Bachelor of _____.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Revised Requirements for the Option in _____ within the major in _____.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Revised Requirements for the Minor in <u>Medical History &amp; Ethics</u></p> <p><b>Other Changes</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Change name of program from _____ to _____.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> New or Revised Continuation Policy for _____.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Eliminate program in _____.</p>		
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**EXPLANATION OF AND RATIONALE FOR PROPOSED CHANGE**

For new programs, please include any relevant supporting documentation such as student learning outcomes, projected enrollments, letters of support and departmental handouts. *(Use additional pages if necessary).*

The department MHE Minor Committee reviewed the minor requirements to make sure we are current with student needs. We have made changes to the core course selection and updated the electives by adding some new relevant course offerings and removing courses that are no longer being offered:

- Add MHE 481 as a core course selection.
- Remove ANTH 322/RELIG 320; professor is retired and it is unknown when the course will be offered again.
- Remove ENG 364; professor has left and it is unknown when the course will be offered again.
- Remove HIST 290 and 490: special topics not necessarily offered regularly.

**CATALOG COPY**

Catalogue Copy as currently written. Include only sections/paragraphs that would be changed if you request is approved. Please cross out or otherwise highlight any deletions.

Minor Requirements: 25 credits of medical history and ethics and related courses (15 of which must be MHE), including the following courses in core competencies: MHE 401 or MHE 417 and one of the following MHE 411, MHE 474, PHIL 240, or PHIL 242. Choose additional elective credits to total 25 core plus elective credits from any of the courses listed above which were not used to fulfill core competencies or from MHE 402/PHIL 342, 404/PHIL 344, MHE 413, MHE 422, MHE 424, MHE 440/PHIL 459, MHE 481, MHE 483, MHE 485, MHE 497, MHE 498, MHE 499, ANTH-322/RELIG-320, ANTH 375, ANTH/HSERV 475, ANTH 476, 477; ENGL-364; GEOG 280, HIST-311, HIST-312, PHIL 102, PHIL 160, PHIL 345, PHIL 410, and PHIL 440. Minimum grade of 2.0 required in each course presented for the minor.

**PROPOSED CATALOG COPY**

Reflecting requested changes (Include exact wording as you wish it to be shown in the printed catalog. Please underline or otherwise highlight any additions. If needed, attach a separate, expanded version of the changes that might appear in department publications)

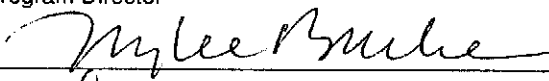
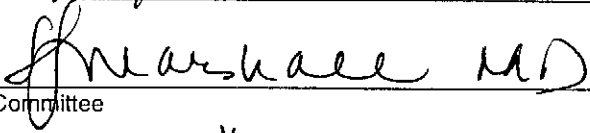
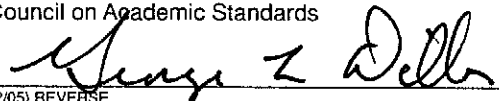
25 credits of Medical History & Ethics and related courses (15 of which must be MHE) with a minimum of 2.0 GPA required in each course presented for minor.

Courses must be distributed as follows:

1. Choose one of the following: MHE 411, MHE 474/PHIL 411, PHIL 240, or PHIL 242
2. Choose one of the following: MHE 401, MHE 417, or MHE 481
3. Additional credits selected from the following electives to total 25 credits; 15 credits must be MHE courses: MHE 401\*, MHE 402 / PHIL 412, MHE 404 / PHIL 413, MHE 411\*, MHE 417\*, MHE 440 / PHIL 459, MHE 474\* / PHIL 411\*, MHE 481\*, MHE 483, MHE 485, MHE 497, MHE 498, MHE 499; ANTH 305, ANTH 308, ANTH 375, ANTH 474, ANTH 475 / HSERV 475, ANTH 476, ANTH 477; CHID 332, CHID 433; GEOG 280, GEOG 380, GEOG 480; HIST 311, HIST 312; HSTAA 316; NURS 200, NURS 410; PHIL 102, PHIL 160, PHIL 240\*, PHIL 242\*, PHIL 345, PHIL 360, PHIL 409, PHIL 410, PHIL 415, PHIL 440, PHIL 460, PHIL 481, PHIL 482;

Total of 25 credits includes core courses. Any of the courses listed above in 1) and 2) may be used as electives if they are not counted toward the core requirements. \*Signifies a core course. If an MHE course is cross-listed with another department's course, MHE credits toward the required 15 credits will be accepted.

**SIGNATURES (required)**

Chair/Program Director 	Date 5/17/07
Dean 	Date 5/29/07
College Committee " "	Date " "
Faculty Council on Academic Standards 	Date 12/14/07

UoW 1503 (12/05) REVERSE

