



# UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON

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April 5, 2007

*Mark A. Emmert, President*

Interim Dean Ron Irving  
College of Arts and Sciences  
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Dear David:

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 (1) the Bachelor of Arts degree in Slavic Languages and Literature for both the options in Russian Language, Literature, and Culture and East European Languages, Literature, and Culture, and (2) the minors in Russian Language, Russian and Slavic Literatures, and Slavic Languages. A copy of the change is attached.

I am writing to inform you that the Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures is authorized to specify these requirements beginning autumn 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. Shosh Westen (with enclosure)  
Mr. Robert Corbett (with enclosure)  
Dr. Deborah H. Wiegand (with enclosure)  
Todd Mildon, J.D. (with enclosure SLAVIC-20070407)



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College Arts and Sciences	Department or Unit Slavic Languages and Literatures	Date 2/7/07
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**New Programs**

- Leading to a Bachelor of \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ degree.
- Leading to a Bachelor of \_\_\_\_\_ degree with a major in \_\_\_\_\_.
- Leading to a \_\_\_\_\_ Option within the existing major in \_\_\_\_\_.
- Leading to a minor in \_\_\_\_\_.

**Changes to Existing Programs**

- New Admission Requirements for the Major in \_\_\_\_\_ within the Bachelor of \_\_\_\_\_.
- Revised Admission Requirements for the Major in \_\_\_\_\_ within the Bachelor of \_\_\_\_\_.
- Revised Program Requirements for the Major in East Europ. Lang. within the Bachelor of Arts.
- Revised Requirements for the Option in \_\_\_\_\_ within the major in \_\_\_\_\_.
- Revised Requirements for the Minor in Russian Language; Russian Literature/Slavic Literatures; Slavic Language;

**Other Changes**

- Change name of program from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_.
- New or Revised Continuation Policy for \_\_\_\_\_.
- Eliminate program in \_\_\_\_\_.

Proposed Effective Date:

**Quarter:**  Autumn  Winter  Spring  Summer **Year: 20**07

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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 proposed changes are being initiated in order to eliminate confusion as to which courses should be considered when calculating the GPA for our two majors and three minors.

**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.

**Major Requirements**

Both options must be completed with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.50 in all RUSS and SLAV courses completed (UW and transfer), with a minimum grade of 2.0 in each course presented for the major. Transfer students are required to complete at least 15 graded credits in Slavic department courses at the UW.

**Minor Requirements:**

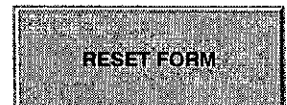
Transfer students are required to complete at least 15 graded credits in Slavic department courses at the UW.

**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)

**SIGNATURES (required)**

Chair/Program Director <i>Calya D. Men</i>	Date <i>02-08-07</i>
Dean <i>E. J. Kani</i>	Date <i>FEB 28 2007</i>
College Committee <i>Per [Signature]</i>	Date <i>FEB 28 2007</i>
Faculty Council on Academic Standards <i>Greg DeLo</i>	Date <i>70 March 07</i>



## Major Requirements

**The Russian option** must be completed with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.50 in all RUSS and SLAV courses completed (UW and transfer), with a minimum grade of 2.0 in each course presented for the major. Transfer students are required to complete at least 15 graded credits in Slavic department courses at the UW.

**The East European option** must be completed with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.50 in all **BCS, BULGR, CZECH, HSTEU, POLSH, SISJE, SISRE and SLAV** courses completed (UW and transfer), with a minimum grade of 2.0 in each course presented for the major. Transfer students are required to complete at least 15 graded credits in Slavic department courses at the UW.

## Minor Requirements:

Transfer students are required to complete at least 15 graded credits in Slavic department courses at the UW. **Minimum grade of 2.0 in each course presented for the minor.**