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Mark A. Emmert, President

October 13, 2008

Dean Ana Mari Cauce
College of Arts and Sciences
Box 353765

Dear Ana Mari:

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 option in Journalism within the Bachelor of Arts degree in Communication. A copy of the changes is attached.

I am writing to inform you that the Department of Communication is authorized to specify these requirements beginning winter quarter 2009.

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: Mr. David Sherman (with enclosure)
Mr. Robert Corbett (with enclosure)
Dr. Deborah H. Wiegand (with enclosure)
Mr. Todd Milton, J.D. (with enclosure COM-20080707)



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**CREATING AND CHANGING UNDERGRADUATE
 ACADEMIC PROGRAMS**

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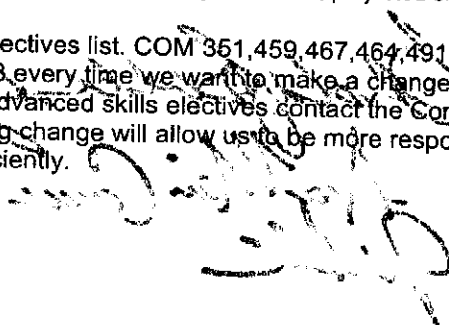
College Arts and Science	Department or Unit Communication	Date 7/7/08
<p>New Programs</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Leading to a Bachelor of _____ in _____ degree.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Leading to a Bachelor of _____ degree with a major in _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Leading to a _____ Option within the existing major in _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Leading to a minor in _____</p> <p>Changes to Existing Programs</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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Revised Requirements for the Option in <u>Journalism</u> within the major in <u>Communication</u></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Revised Requirements for the Minor in _____</p> <p>Other Changes</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).*

We are adding a number of courses to the journalism advanced skills electives list. COM 351, 459, 467, 464, 491 and may add and or drop others in the future. Rather than have to submit a form 1503 every time we want to make a change in the course list we would like to change the catalog to read "For a list of approved advanced skills electives contact the Communication Advising Office" The journalism industry is rapidly changing. This catalog change will allow us to be more responsive to those changes by adding or dropping courses from the electives list more efficiently.



CATALOG COPY

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

Advanced Skills Competencies (8 credits minimum) selected from the following, COM 301,460,463,465,466.

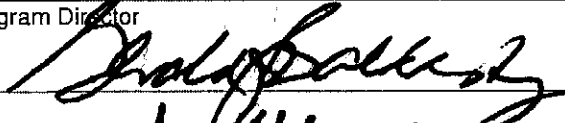
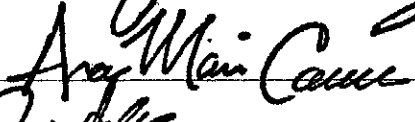
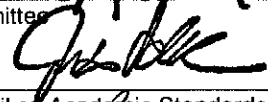
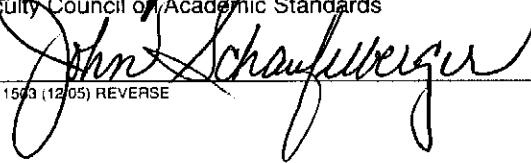
PROPOSED CATALOG COPY

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)

Advanced Skills Competencies (8 credits minimum) selected from the Advanced Skills Competencies list available from the Communication Undergraduate Advising office.

*1 of approved
300-400 level
Com courses...*

SIGNATURES (required)

Chair/Program Director		Date	<i>7-7-08</i>
Dean		Date	AUG 06 2008
College Committee		Date	AUG 06 2008
Faculty Council on Academic Standards		Date	OCT. 10, 2008

UoW 1503 (12/05) REVERSE



Date: Mon, 6 Oct 2008 13:48:48 -0700 (PDT)
From: David Sherman <shermamd@u.washington.edu>
To: uwcr@u.washington.edu
Subject: Re: 1503 Questions

No on the visit. Yes on the language change

On Mon, 6 Oct 2008, uwcr@u.washington.edu wrote:

> David,
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> SCAP wanted to know if Communications still wanted to come address the
> committee about the admissions change 1503 you submitted last year.
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> Also, for the 1503 submitted to change the electives for your Journalism
> option, they would like to edit the language to specify the Advanced Skills
> elective are made up of approved 300-400 level approved Communication courses.
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> Please confirm that this edit is okay.
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> Jennifer