



OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

April 20, 2010

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 Bachelor of Arts degree in European Studies. A copy of the change is attached.

I am writing to inform you that the Henry M. Jackson School of International Studies is authorized to specify these requirements beginning autumn quarter 2010.

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,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mark A. Emmert".

Mark A. Emmert
President

Enclosure

cc: Mr. Jim Donnen (with enclosure)
Dr. Deborah H. Wiegand (with enclosure)
Mr. Robert Corbett (with enclosure)
Mr. Todd Mildon, J. D. (with enclosure EURO-20100210)



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College/Campus Arts & Sciences

Department/Unit International Studies

Date 2/10/2010

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 European Studies within the Bachelor of Arts.
- ☐ Revised Requirements for the Option in ____ within the major in ____.
- ☐ Revised Requirements for the Minor in ____.

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 10**

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EXPLANATION OF AND RATIONALE FOR PROPOSED CHANGE

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

This proposed change consists of two modifications in the requirements of the European Studies major:

1) The long-standing expectation that students would include among their major electives at least one course dealing with pre-modern Europe is now stated explicitly in requirement (4).

2) The faculty Advisory Committee has re-considered its decision of Autumn 2008, in which it made the senior thesis an optional 5-credit project extending above and beyond the core 60-credit major requirement. Experience with the first cohort of seniors under the "optional thesis" plan has led us to believe that the elimination of the requirement of an extra five credits for thesis writers may encourage more students to opt for the thesis capstone. In line with this change, majors would have a choice of capstone courses--either EURO 494 (Senior Seminar) or the more ambitious, research-intensive track represented by EURO 495 (Senior Thesis). The Committee believes that this change will promote a somewhat larger (but still manageable) cohort of thesis writers, and that the central learning outcomes associated to the Senior Seminar will be accomplished as well or better by those undertaking a substantial research project and 8,000-word thesis in EURO 495.

OTHER DEPARTMENTS AFFECTED

List all departments/units/ or co-accredited programs affected by your new program or changes to your existing program and acquire the signature of the chair/director of each department/unit listed. Attach additional page(s) if necessary. *See online instructions.

Department/Unit:

Chair/Program Director:

Date:

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CATALOG COPY

Catalog 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.

Major Requirements

60-65 credits as follows:

1. 10 credits of a modern European language at the third-year level or beyond
2. 20 credits of core courses, including EURO 301 (5 credits), EURO 302 (5), SIS 201 (5), and a survey course on modern Europe (5)
3. One quarter (10 credits minimum) of study in Europe
4. 15 credits from approved list of electives
5. EURO 494, Senior Seminar (5 credits)
6. ~~For optional research-intensive track:~~ EURO 495, Senior Thesis (5 credits). Criteria and admission procedures described at jsis.washington.edu/advise/catalog/eur_ba.shtml
7. See adviser for specific course options.

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).
Please note: all copy will be edited to reflect uniform style in the General Catalog.

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4. 15 credits from approved list of electives, including at least one course designated as a pre-modern elective
5. Either EURO 494, Senior Seminar (5 credits) or EURO 495, Senior Thesis (5 credits). The senior thesis option (EURO 495) constitutes the major's research-intensive track. Criteria and admission procedures are described at jsis.washington.edu/advise/catalog/eur_ba.shtml
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APPROVALS

Chair/Program Director:

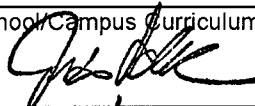
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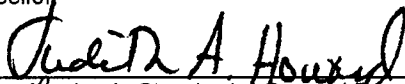
College/School/Campus Curriculum Committee:



Date:

3/11/2010

Dean/Vice Chancellor:



Date:

3/11/2010

Faculty Council on Academic Standards/ General Faculty Organization/Faculty Assembly Chair:



Date:

4/16/10

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