Revision Of Undergraduate And Graduate Programs

Format For Review By University Curriculum Committee (UCC) and Graduate Council.

1. Proposing College / School: College of Human Sciences
   Department: Consumer and Design Sciences

2. Title of Affected Program: Hunger Studies Minor

3. CIP Code of Affected Program: [Blank]
   4. Proposed Implementation Date: Spring 2014

5. Justification:
   (Include a concise, yet adequate rationale for the revision of the program, citing accreditation, assessments (faculty, graduate, and/or external) where applicable.)

   The hunger minor curriculum model needs to be updated to accommodate new courses added to the elective choices.

6. Current Degree Requirements (Including All Formal Options):
   Provide the current curriculum model for the program, as well as for each formal option.

   Please see attached curriculum sheet

7. Proposed Degree Requirements (Including All Formal Options):
   (Provide the proposed curriculum model for the program, as well as for each formal option.)

   Please see newly proposed attached curriculum sheet.

8. New Courses Required:
   (Indicate which courses -- if any -- are part of the curriculum that are not currently offered.)

9. Relationship of Proposed Program to Other Auburn University Programs:
   (If the proposed program revision affects any other unit and/or covers material offered by another college/school, attach correspondence with relevant unit.)

   Will the program revision affect other program(s) and/or units at Auburn University? ☐ Yes ☐ No

   Will the program revision replace any existing program(s), or specializations / options / concentrations within existing program(s) at Auburn University? ☐ Yes ☐ No
10. **New or Additional Resources / Resource Shifting Required:**

(If "yes" for any item, please provide explanation in the space provided below.)

- Will additional faculty lines be required?  
  - Yes  
  - No

- Will new or additional space (e.g.: laboratory or classroom) be required?  
  - Yes  
  - No

- Will additional library resources be required?  
  - Yes  
  - No

- Will additional GTA support be required?  
  - Yes  
  - No

**Explanation of or provision for new or additional resources / explanation of program’s support or replacement of other programs:**

11. **Distance Education:**

(If Distance Education will be incorporated in the delivery of the proposed program, provide details of implementation, scope, etc.)


HUNGER STUDIES MINOR

Name ____________________________________ Student Identification Number 90__________
Local Phone __________________________________ E-mail Address ______________________@auburn.edu
Current Major ________________________________ Current Overall GPA ______________________

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OVERALL MINOR GPA:

* If a student has taken this course to fulfill requirements of the School/College core or the major, it cannot count toward the minor. In this case, the student must select an additional three hour course from the electives above.

APPROVAL SIGNATURES BELOW REQUIRED AFTER STUDENT HAS COMPLETED AND RECEIVED A GRADE FOR ALL COURSES FOR THE MINOR.

College of Human Sciences Dean (Spidle 206) Date ____________________________

Student's Academic Dean Date ____________________________

NOTE: Following approval signatures, the student's Academic Dean forwards this sheet to the Registrar's Office for inclusion on the transcript.

NOTE: Students must earn an overall 2.0 in the Minor Classes to receive the Hunger Studies Minor.

May 2013
# Hunger Studies Minor

**Name__________________________**  
**Student Identification Number______**  
**Current Major__________________**

**E-mail______________________**

## REQUIRED COURSES

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## ELECTIVE COURSES

Select a minimum of 12 hours from the lists below (at least one class from each list); 9 hours must be at the 3000 level or higher.

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**NOTE:** Some of the courses in this minor may have prerequisites that must be met.

**NOTE:** Students must earn an overall 2.0 in the Minor Classes to receive the Hunger Studies Minor.

**NOTE:** Select international study abroad experiences and honors seminar courses with a hunger focus **MAY** be substituted for an elective requirement, pending PRIOR approval. The approval process begins with the Director of Hunger and Sustainability Initiatives.
RE: Adding POLI 2100 to the Hunger Studies Minor

Steven Brown

Sent: Friday, September 27, 2013 3:40 PM
To: Kate Thornton

Dear Kate:

Thanks for the email. Since I am a new chair and still getting my feet under me, I forwarded your emails to one of the professors who often teaches those courses. She very enthusiastically said yes, on both, but then added this:

“Having taught both 2100 and 5370, I think the addition of these courses is an outstanding idea. The students in the Hunger Studies minor are EXACTLY the type of students we want to encourage and I was thrilled to have them in the POLI 5370. They were strong students and made a great contribution.”

I thought that was a nice statement on the quality of the students attracted to your minor.

At any rate, yes on both. Please let us know if there is any other way we can help.

Take care,

Steve Brown

Steven P. Brown
Professor and Chair
Department of Political Science
Auburn University
7080 Haley Center
Auburn, AL 36849-5208

Telephone: 334-844-5370
FAX: 334-844-5348

From: Kate Thornton
Sent: Friday, September 27, 2013 3:31 PM
To: Steven Brown
Subject: Adding POLI 2100 to the Hunger Studies Minor

Hi Dr. Brown,

I got ahead of myself by pressing send on the previous email. I would also like to add POLI 2100 to the course selection as many students advocate for the hungry poor in their local and state municipalities. I feel that understanding these systems will help the students be more rigorously engaged with policy makers.

Best,
Kate

Kate Thornton, Ph.D.
Director of Hunger and Sustainability Initiatives
I'm good with this. Conner

Kate,

Including these classes in the Hunger Studies Minor sounds like a win-win situation in my opinion. I don't have any objections. I trust Dr. Bailey's judgement on the appropriate courses include.

Thanks.

Deacue

Deacue Fields III, PhD
Professor and Chair
Dept. of Agricultural Economics and Rural Sociology
203 Conner Hall
Auburn University, AL 36849
Ph: 334-844-4931 Fax: 334-844-5639
Email: fieldde@auburn.edu

On Aug 23, 2013, at 2:55 PM, "Kate Thornton" <brockmk@auburn.edu> wrote:

Hi Dr. Fields,
Would you also consider allowing me to add RSOC 3620 (Community Organization) to the Hunger Studies Minor as well?
For a better world,
Kate

Kate Thornton, Ph.D.
Director of Hunger and Sustainability Initiatives
Hunger Solutions Institute
College of Human Sciences
Auburn University
kate.thornton@auburn.edu
Re: Adding AGEC 4300 & RSOC 5610 to the Hunger Studies Minor

Deacue Fields

To: Curtis Jolly
Cc: Kate Thornton

Kate,

As I mentioned at the end of August, I think this is a good opportunity for both departments. I discussed this with Dr. Bailey and he also thought it was a good idea.

Deacue

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On Sep 28, 2013, at 11:12 PM, "Curtis Jolly" <jollycm@auburn.edu> wrote:

Kate:
I am copying this to Dr. Fields who will respond to your request.
Thanks,
Curtiss M. Jolly

From: Kate Thornton [brockmk@auburn.edu]
Sent: Friday, September 27, 2013 3:55 PM
To:cjolly@auburn.edu
Subject: Adding AGEC 4300 & RSOC 5610 to the Hunger Studies Minor

Hi Dr. Jolly
I am in the process of revising the Hunger Studies Minor and want to include AGEC 4300 & RSOC 5610 to the minor. Is this alright with you?
Best,
Kate

Kate Thornton, Ph.D.
Director of Hunger and Sustainability Initiatives
Hunger Solutions Institute
College of Human Sciences
Auburn University
kate.thornton@auburn.edu
Re: ENGL 5030
Jeremy Downes
Sent: Tuesday, August 27, 2013 10:37 AM
To: Kate Thornton
Cc: Susan Youngblood

Kate,

That sounds sensible to me. We'd love to have the 4040 listed with you, and I'm sure the area faculty will be discussing these question as we move forward.

Thanks for your work on this!

Best,

Jeremy

Jeremy M. Downes
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https://www.facebook.com/AuburnEnglish

From: Kate Thornton <brockmk@auburn.edu>
Date: Tuesday, August 27, 2013 10:33 AM
To: Jeremy Downes <downejm@auburn.edu>
Cc: Susan Youngblood <SAY0001@auburn.edu>
Subject: RE: ENGL 5030

Thanks so much Jeremy,
I had a few students in Dr. Youngblood's grant writing class and heard a lot of good feedback about the course. I think what makes the most sense now is to add the ENGL 4040 course, but hold off on adding the others until you know which ones will be related to grant writing at the undergraduate level. Does that work for you?

Best,
Kate

Kate Thornton, Ph.D.
Director of Hunger and Sustainability Initiatives
Hunger Solutions Institute
College of Human Sciences
Auburn University
kate.thornton@auburn.edu
From: Jeremy Downes  
Sent: Monday, August 26, 2013 9:44 AM  
To: Kate Thornton  
Cc: Susan Youngblood  
Subject: Re: ENGL 5030

Dr. Thornton,

This sounds excellent, but I should let you know that that course—a topics course which happened to be focused on Grant Writing—is in the process of being reformulated. We have a 7000-level grants and proposals course, but our offerings on the undergraduate level will be, at least for a year or two, in topics courses such as ENGL 4010, Topics in Writing. A course you may wish to consider, recently approved by the UCC, is ENGL 4040, Public Writing, which asks among other things that students "learn practical techniques for researching and engaging with social issues," "analyze and produce professional genres for public audiences," and "apply their learning through the study of local settings and a community-based project."

Dr. Susan Youngblood is the English department faculty member most engaged with these courses, especially the grant-writing courses, so I am copying her on my reply. She was happy to learn of your interest in the course, and she may have other ideas for connecting your promising new minor to the courses in our department.

Best,

Jeremy

Jeremy M. Downes  
Professor & Chair

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From: Kate Thornton <brockmk@auburn.edu>  
Date: Friday, August 23, 2013 4:28 PM  
To: Jeremy Downes <downejm@auburn.edu>  
Subject: ENGL 5030

Hi Dr. Downes,
I am currently in the process of updating the Hunger Studies Minor and wanted to know if I could include ENGL 5030 (Grant Writing) in the listing? Can you kindly reply letting me know if this is alright with you.
For a better world,
RE: Intro to NonProfits
Carol Warfield
Sent: Friday, August 23, 2013 1:59 PM
To: Kate Thornton
Cc: Carol Warfield; Sidney James; Beth Lawrence

Kate,
I think CADS 2700/2703 would be a great fit for the Hunger Studies minor. And I think Sid and I need to sit down and reevaluate the options w/in the Gender/Wealth & Philanthropy Minor and possibly add some courses/options. Perhaps we could use a Study/Travel course upon approval w/a definite philanthropy/nonprofit focus—as the Fiji trip would be.
Carol

From: Kate Thornton
Sent: Friday, August 23, 2013 12:18 PM
To: Carol Warfield
Subject: Fwd: Intro to NonProfits

Is this OK with you?

Kate Thornton, Ph.D.
Director of Hunger and Sustainability Initiatives
College of Human Sciences
Hunger Solutions Institute
Auburn University
kate.thornton@auburn.edu

Please excuse the brevity, message sent from phone.

Begin forwarded message:

From: Beth Lawrence <atkinba@auburn.edu>
Date: August 23, 2013, 12:15:45 PM CDT
To: Kate Thornton <brockmk@auburn.edu>
Subject: Re: Intro to NonProfits

I am fine with it. I think you need to OK with Sid and Carol. Beth

Sent from my iPad

On Aug 23, 2013, at 11:35 AM, "Kate Thornton" <brockmk@auburn.edu> wrote:

Hi Sid & Beth,
It was great catching up with you two at the faculty retreat on Tuesday. I wanted to follow up and see if you were still willing to let me add CADS 2700/2703 to the Hunger Studies Minor. I've attached my syllabus for the Fiji Program, so you can see if it will be a good fit for the Philanthropy minor.
Hope to hear from you soon,
Kate
RE: Presentations

Allen Furr
Sent: Tuesday, September 17, 2013 9:19 AM
To: Kelly Alley; Kate Thornton

Kate,
We are happy to have Political Ecology included in the Hunger Studies minor.

Best,
Allen

From: Kelly Alley
Sent: Monday, September 16, 2013 1:34 PM
To: Kate Thornton
Cc: Allen Furr
Subject: RE: Presentations

Kate—I am sending this semester’s course syllabus and cc’ing our Dept chair. He can approve the Political Ecology course for the Hunger Studies minor. Currently it is also in the Sustainability minor and I get great students from that program. I will write separately on the other points.
Thanks,
Kelly

From: Kate Thornton
Sent: Monday, September 16, 2013 11:00 AM
To: Kelly Alley
Subject: RE: Presentations

Hey Kelly,
I would LOVE to add political ecology to the hunger minor. Can you please get your department chair to email me approving this addition? I will also need a syllabus for the course. I am sorry that I did not get to stay for your presentation last week. Sydney Hemdon was one of my students and she spoke very highly of you while we were in Fiji this summer. I am looking to expand the Fiji efforts and Sydney said you may be interested in working with me to bring some Anthropology students there. I’d love to grab coffee sometime...are you free in the next week or two?
~K

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