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WINONA STATE UNIVERSITY NOTIFICATIONS

Department PSYCHOLOGY

Date 8/23/2013

If the proposed curricular change involves existing courses and is considered a Notification, complete and submit this form. Refer to Regulation 3-4, **Policy for Changing the Curriculum**, for complete information on submitting proposals for curricular changes.

Please check type of change(s):

Reduction in course number Change in grading option Change in hours or credits in an independent study course
 Change in course title Change in course description* Change in existing major, minor, option, concentration, etc.*
 Change in prerequisites Change in course number within level, e.g. 310 to 350 Change in delivery method

A. Current Course Information

Course No. _____ Course Title _____ Credits _____

This proposal is for a(n) _____ Undergraduate Course _____ Graduate Course

Applies to Major Minor
 Required Required
 Elective Elective

Prerequisites _____

Grading _____ Grade only _____ P/NC only _____ Grade and P/NC Option

Frequency of offering _____

Proposed Course Information. (Please indicate only proposed changes below.)

Course No. _____ Course Title _____ Credits _____

Prerequisites _____

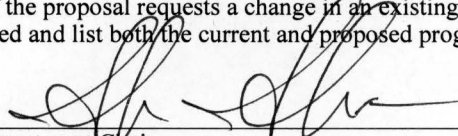
Grading _____ Grade only _____ P/NC only _____ Grade and P/NC Option

Frequency of offering _____

Effective date (normally the next semester) **IMMEDIATELY, FALL 2013**

B. *If the proposal requests a change in the course description, please attach a description of the change requested and list both the current and proposed course description. If the proposal requests a change in an existing major, minor, option, concentration, etc., please attach a description of the change(s) requested and list both the current and proposed program listings.

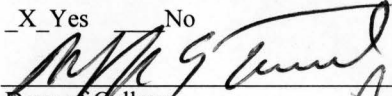
Approved by the Department


Department Chair

8-26-2013
Date

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Notification to the College Dean

Yes No

Dean of College

8-26-13
Date

Presented at A2C2 meeting on

9/11/13
Date


Chair of A2C2

Presented at Graduate Council meeting on (if applicable)

_____ Date

_____ Chair of Graduate Council

Submitted to Registrar on

9/12/13
Date

Registrar: Please notify department chair via e-mail that Notification has been recorded.

*If a dean has comments on a notification, the dean shall forward the comments to the department. [Revised 7-13-11]

¹ SEE ATTACHED PAGE FOR EXPLANATION OF CHANGE TO MAJOR.

REVISION TO PSYCHOLOGY MINOR (PSY) AND MAJORS (PSYA AND PSYB)

BACKGROUND

During the 2012-13 academic year, the Psychology Department approved revisions to its minor (PSY) and both of its major options (PSYA and PSYB). It subsequently approved a new course offering, PSY373 Cross-Cultural Psychology, with the understanding that upon full approval of the revisions to the minor and majors, PSY373 would be added to the courses through which students could fulfill the Social/Personality Domain requirement and major could fulfill the Diversity Domain requirement. The placement of this course in those "Domains" was included in the course proposal for PSY373 that was approved last year.

The application of credits from PSY373 to the Social/Personality Domain and the Diversity Domain for the recently approved versions of the psychology minor/majors should begin immediately (Fall 2013).

CURRENT

Currently, for the Minor (PSY), Major Option-A (PSYA), and Major Option-B (PSYB), there are two alternatives for fulfilling the Social/Personality Domain requirement stated in the catalog copy:

Social/Personality

PSY305 Theories of Personality (3 S.H.)

PSY325 Social Psychology (3 S.H.)

Currently, for both Option-A and Option-B, there are four alternatives for fulfilling the Diversity Domain stated in the catalog copy:

DIVERSITY DOMAIN (0 S.H.)*

Students must complete one of the following courses:

PSY275 Psychology of Gender (3 S.H.)

PSY298 Health Psychology (3 S.H.)

PSY420 Abnormal Psychology (3 S.H.)

PSY423 Psychopathology of Childhood (3 S.H.)

* Credits earned in the diversity domain count toward the requirement of 12 S.H. of electives or, if a course is listed under another domain as well, toward fulfillment of the other domain requirement.

REVISED

For the Minor (PSY), Major Option-A (PSYA), and Major Option-B (PSYB), PSY373 should be added to the list of courses under both Social/Personality Domain. Beginning immediately, the revised catalog copy for the minor and both majors will be revised to the following (change highlighted):

Social/Personality

PSY305 Theories of Personality (3 S.H.)

PSY325 Social Psychology (3 S.H.)

PSY373 Cross-Cultural Psychology (3 S.H.)

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For both Psychology Major Option-A (PSYA) and Option-B (PSYB), PSY373 should be added to the list of courses under the Diversity Domain. Beginning immediately, the revised catalog copy for both majors (PSYA and PSYB) will be revised to the following (change highlighted):

DIVERSITY DOMAIN (0 S.H.)*

Students must complete one of the following courses:

PSY275 Psychology of Gender (3 S.H.)

PSY298 Health Psychology (3 S.H.)

PSY373 Cross-Cultural Psychology (3 S.H.)

PSY420 Abnormal Psychology (3 S.H.)

PSY423 Psychopathology of Childhood (3 S.H.)

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