

WINONA STATE UNIVERSITY
NOTIFICATIONS

Department **CHILD ADVOCACY STUDIES (CAST)**

Date **SEPTEMBER 26, 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
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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
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Prerequisites

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

Frequency of offering

Effective date (normally the next semester) **SPRING 2014**

- 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.

CURRENT PROGRAM	NEW PROGRAM (revisions highlighted)
REQUIRED COURSES	REQUIRED COURSES
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CAST 301 - Child Advocacy Studies I: Perspectives on Child Maltreatment and Child Advocacy (3 S.H.) CAST 302 - Global Child Advocacy Issues (3 S.H.) CAST 401 - Professional and System Responses to Child Maltreatment (4 S.H.) CAST 402 - Responding to the Survivor of Child Abuse and Survivor Responses (4 S.H.) CAST 407 - CAST Capstone Experience (4 S.H.) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CAST 301 - Child Advocacy Studies I: Perspectives on Child Maltreatment and Child Advocacy (3 S.H.) CAST 302 - Global Child Advocacy Issues (3 S.H.) CAST 401 - Professional and System Responses to Child Maltreatment (4 S.H.) CAST 402 - Responding to the Survivor of Child Abuse and Survivor Responses (4 S.H.) CAST 407 - CAST Capstone Experience (4 S.H.)
ELECTIVE COURSES	ELECTIVE COURSES
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CAST 403 - Child Exploitation, Pornography, and the Internet (3 S.H.) CAST 404 - Sociology of Child Poverty (3 S.H.) CAST 405 - Gender, Violence, and Society (4 S.H.) CAST 406 - Child Advocacy Research Studies (3 S.H.) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CAST 403 - Child Exploitation, Pornography, and the Internet (3 S.H.) CAST 404 - Sociology of Child Poverty (3 S.H.) CAST 405 - Gender, Violence, and Society (4 S.H.) CAST 406 - Child Advocacy Research Studies (3 S.H.) SOC 314 – Juvenile Delinquency (3 S.H.) HPLG 381 – Family Law (3 S.H.) SOCW 420 – Child Welfare (3 S.H.)

Catalog Copy (revisions highlighted)

Child Advocacy Studies (CAST) - BA Minor 21 S.H.

The mission of the Child Advocacy Studies (CAST) program at Winona State University is to prepare learners who seek to advocate for healthy children and families by educating them with a curriculum that is , interdisciplinary, experiential, evidence-based, and ethically and culturally sensitive.

A certificate in CAST is awarded by the National Child Protection Training Center to students for the successful completion of CAST 301, CAST 401, and CAST 402. Students must receive a grade of “C” or better. Please be aware that because this certificate is not awarded by WSU, it will not appear on your academic records or transcripts.

If you have been arrested, charged, or convicted of any criminal offense, you should investigate the impact that the arrest, charge, or conviction may have on your chances for employment in the field you intend to study or on your chances to obtain field experiences or internship opportunities.

Required Courses – CAST (18 S.H.)

- CAST 301 - Child Advocacy Studies I: Perspectives on Child Maltreatment and Child Advocacy (3 S.H.)
- CAST 302 - Global Child Advocacy Issues (3 S.H.)
- CAST 401 - Professional and System Responses to Child Maltreatment (4 S.H.)
- CAST 402 - Responding to the Survivor of Child Abuse and Survivor Responses (4 S.H.)
- CAST 407 - CAST Capstone Experience (4 S.H.)

Electives – CAST (3 S.H.)

- CAST 403 - Child Exploitation, Pornography, and the Internet (3 S.H.)
- CAST 404 - Sociology of Child Poverty (3 S.H.)
- CAST 405 - Gender, Violence, and Society (4 S.H.)
- CAST 406 - Child Advocacy Research Studies (3 S.H.)
- SOC 314 – Juvenile Delinquency (3 S.H.)
- HPLG 381 – Family Law (3 S.H.)
- SOCW 420 – Child Welfare (3 S.H.)

Minor Requirements

Students must receive a grade “C” or better in each course. In addition, students are expected to adhere to the ethical standards of the program.

SOC 314 is being added as an elective for the CAST minor. This course includes significant content related to CAST.

SOC 314 – Juvenile Delinquency (3): In-depth analysis of juvenile delinquency, its development, control, treatment, and prevention. Prerequisites: SOC 150 - Introduction to Sociology, SOC 210 - Crime & Justice in America, SOC 315 - Criminology and/or instructor's permission. Limited to 30 students. Grade only. Offered each semester.

HPLG 381 is being added as an elective for the CAST minor. This course includes significant content related to CAST.

HPLG 381 – Family Law (3): This course focuses on the rights of parents in non-marital relationships under MN Law and the dissolution process. Students will learn about the basic content areas of divorce settlement including: property division, custody, parenting time, child support and spousal maintenance. Other areas of interest include the dynamics of the marital relationship, orders for protection, harassment restraining orders, and the role of alternative dispute resolution in the family law context.

SOCW 420 is being added as an elective for the CAST minor. This course includes significant content related to CAST.

SOCW 420 – Child Welfare (3): This course looks at the problems vulnerable children face and the skills, policies, and programs needed to serve them. Prerequisite: © SOCW 340 - Introduction to Social Work and Social Welfare or instructor's permission. Grade only. Offered Fall semester in Rochester and Spring semester in Winona.

Approved by the Department

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SEPTEMBER 26, 2013

Date

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Notification to the College Dean

☒ Yes ☐ No

[Signature]
Dean of College

9-26-13
Date

Presented at A2C2 meeting on

10/9/13
Date

[Signature]
Chair of A2C2

Presented at Graduate Council
meeting on (if applicable)

Date

Chair of Graduate Council

Submitted to Registrar on

10/10/13
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.

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