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Course Information
Name of New or Existing Program BA German Select Category Major Degree Type Select Action Revision Exact Title and Requirements as they should appear in the catalog. If there is a change, upload current and proposed requirements. See current catalog for format within the respective college (upload a doc/pdf file) Major Study Changes.docx Does this change affect other departmental program/branch campuses? If yes, indicate below. Reason(s) for Request (enter text below or upload a doc/pdf file) I. We are adding GRMN 405 to the required courses for the German major. Our assessment results have shown that students need an additional language class after GRMN 301 and GRMN 302 to reach the competency necessary to pursue literary and cultural studies in German. II. We are allowing GRMN 380/481 as substitutes for GRMN 301 or 302. German 380/481 are offered at the German Summer School and can be substituted for either our main campus offerings of German 301 or German 302 but not both. [This had been omitted in the program description].
Upload a document that inleudes justification for the program, impact on long-range planning, detailed budget analysis and faculty workload implications.(upload a doc/pdf file)
Are you proposing a new undergraduate degree or new undergraduate certificate? If yes, upload the following documents.
Upload a two-page Executive Summary authorized by Associate Provost. (upload a doc/pdf file)

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Current Catalog reads:

Major Study Requirements

30 credit hours of course work, to include the following: GRMN 301, 302, and 307 and two of the following: 305, 308 401 and 405. GRMN 410, or 470 taken at the German Summer School may substitute for either 301 or 302, but not both. The remaining credit hours may be selected from German courses above 300. Six of these credit hours may consist of approved German Studies courses in other programs. No more than 18 credit hours may be earned in courses offered at the German Summer School.

Proposed Changes

Major Study Requirements

30 credit hours of course work, to include the following: GRMN 301, 302, 307 and 405 and two of the following: 305, 308 and 401. GRMN 380, 410, 470 or 481 taken at the German Summer School may substitute for either 301 or 302, but not both. The remaining credit hours may be selected from German courses above 300. Six of these credit hours may consist of approved German Studies courses in other programs. No more than 18 credit hours may be earned in courses offered at the German Summer School.

There are no changes to the program since we are simply shifting one of the electives to the required courses.

The proposed changes have no impact on long range planning, the budget, or the faculty work load since courses are just rearranged, not added or deleted.