

THE UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO SENATE GRADUATE COMMITTEE

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TO: SGC Committee

FROM: SGC Curriculum Sub-Committee (Nick Flor, Chair; Grant Meyer, Melissa Axelrod)

RE: Curriculum Forms – New Degree Proposals, Degree Program Changes and New Course Requests

COLLEGE/ SCHOOL	UNIT	FORM	NEW - CHANGES PROPOSED/ COURSE NUMBER, NAME & DESCRIPTION	ACTION
Arts & Sciences	Biology	B	.BIOL 430/530 – Conservation and Indigenous People (3 cr.). AOA NatAm 445/545. Cultural Diversity fosters Biodiversity. Students work on Conservation Projects initiated by native ecologists on native lands. Short field trips and fall break field trip. Elective, no duplication has been taught as topics 3 time with enrollment of 7-11 students. NATIVE AMERICAN STUDIES IS NOT A GRADUATE PROGRAM THEREFORE CANNOT USE 5XX NUMBER.	
Arts & Sciences	Women Studies	D	Proposed new Graduate Certificate in Women Studies. To be taken concurrently with a masters of doctoral program. Requires 15 hours of course work; 0 of which are electives (one outside the student’s home department) and 6 required hours (WMST *410 – Introduction to Feminist Theory and WMST *412 Feminist Research Methodologies). THE CURRENT CATALOG (P. 67) SAYS: “ONLY PROGRAMS THAT OFFER GRADUATE DEGREES ARE ELIGIBLE TO OFFER GRADUATE CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS. WOMEN STUDIES SAYS THAT THE COLLEGE OF A&S WILL HOUSE IT.	
Arts & Sciences	Women Studies	B	WMST *410 – Introduction to Women Feminist Theory (3cr.). Study of major themes in contemporary feminist thought. Required (Form D attached, no duplication, has not been taught as topics.	
Arts & Sciences	Women Studies	B	WMST *412 – Feminist Research Methodologies (3cr.). Study of feminist research methodologies, covering interdisciplinary feminist approaches to research and applications of feminist scholarship. Required (From D attached) no duplication, has not been taught as topics.	
Fine Arts	Art & Art History	C	New emphasis in “Electronic Arts.” Electronic Arts is dedicated to the development and expansion of students’ skills as artists, emphasizing experimentation with new concepts and models for inventing new art forms. The	

			program combines history, theory and practice in electronic arts and encourages interdisciplinary work. Classes focus on topics of interactivity, time-based applications and the integration of computer-based work into broader contexts such as performance, installation and Internet art. IS THIS AN EMPHASIS OR A CONCENTRATION?	
Fine Arts	Art & Art History	B	ART ST 558 – Nature and Technology (3 to a maximum of 6)Δ This courses addresses what constitutes authentic experience in an era profoundly shaped by electronic media. Travel to locations in New Mexico where work is produced on site with digital video and other imaging tools. Prerequisite: Advanced students in area of concentration and permission of instruction. Elective, no duplication has been offered every summer for past 12 hears with average enrollment of 14.	

COLLEGE/ SCHOOL	UNIT	FORM	NEW - CHANGES PROPOSED/ COURSE NUMBER, NAME & DESCRIPTION	ACTION
Health Sciences	Public Health	C	New concentration in Community Health Intervention. This concentration will emphasize training in the basic principles and skills of community needs and assets assessment, policy development, program planning, implementation and evaluation and their application to a broad array of health and social issues in population and community based public health prevention. The purpose of this concentration is to provide students with the multidisciplinary knowledge and skills necessary to conduct prevention and intervention programs at multiple levels of the socio-ecologic framework within the public health infrastructure of New Mexico, the broader region and the Americas. Students in this concentration will complete the 20 hour MPH core plus a minimum of 13 hours of courses specific to the concentration.	
Health Sciences	Public Health	C	Minor in Public Health (Master's level). The public health minor will provide a basic understanding of the core principles, sciences and skills behind the discipline of public health. The minor will require a total of 15 hours; two of which will be required (MPH 501 – Principles of Public Health and MPH 502 – Epidemiology Methods I). In addition one course will be required from (PH 504, 505, 506, 507 and 560); student will be allowed 6 credits of public health electives.	
Health Sciences	Public Health	B	MPH 584 – Child Health and Child Rights (3cr.). Surveys history, development and issues surrounding child health status and children's rights. Discusses current measures of child health and international movement in children's rights. Specific topics include war, abuse, racism, poverty and economic structural adjustment. No duplication, elective, taught as topics once with enrollment of 10.	
Health Sciences	Public Health	B	MPH 585- Public Health Mental Health (3 cr.). Covers the history and epidemiology of mental health, nationally and internationally, and mental health cross-culturally and in contexts of age, race, gender and ethnicity. Also explores social determinants of mental illness and mental health promotions. No duplication, elective, and not offered as topics previously.	