

**The Ohio State University**  
**Colleges of the Arts and Sciences Course Change Request**

Department of Comparative Studies  
 Academic Unit

Comparative Studies

270

Book 3 Listing (e.g., Portuguese)

Course Number

Summer      Autumn    XX    Winter      Spring      Year 2008

**Proposed effective date:** choose one quarter and put an "X" after it; and fill in the year. See the OAA curriculum manual for deadlines.

**A. Course Offerings Bulletin Information.** Follow instructions in the OAA curriculum manual. Before you fill out the "Present Course" information, be sure to check the latest edition of the *Course Offerings Bulletin* and subsequent Circulating Forms. You may find that the changes you need have already been made or that additional changes are needed. If the course offered is less than quarter or term, please also complete the Flexibly Scheduled/OffCampus/Workshop Request form.

**COMPLETE ALL ITEMS THIS COLUMN**

**Present Course**

1. Book 3 Listing: Comparative Studies \_\_\_\_\_
2. Number: 270 \_\_\_\_\_
3. Full Title: Introduction to Comparative Religion \_\_\_\_\_
4. 18-Char. Transcript Title: Intro Comp Religion \_\_\_\_\_
5. Level and Credit Hours U 05 \_\_\_\_\_
6. Description: Introduction to the academic study of religion (25 words or less) through comparison among major traditions (Judaism, Christianity, Islam, Hinduism, Buddhism, etc.) and smaller communities. \_\_\_\_\_
7. Qtrs. Offered : AU, WI, SP \_\_\_\_\_
8. Distribution of Contact Time: 2 2-hr cl (e.g., 3 cl, 1 3-hr lab) \_\_\_\_\_
9. Prerequisite(s): English 110 or 111 equiv. \_\_\_\_\_
10. Exclusion: (Not open to....) \_\_\_\_\_
11. Repeatable to a maximum of   0   credits. \_\_\_\_\_
12. Off-Campus Field Experience: \_\_\_\_\_
13. Cross-listed with: \_\_\_\_\_
14. Is this a GEC course? Yes \_\_\_\_\_
15. Grade option (circle): LtrXX    S/U    P  
If P graded, what is the last course in the series? \_\_\_\_\_
16. a) Is an honors version of this course available? Yes \_\_\_\_\_  
b) Is an Embedded Honors version of this course available? No \_\_\_\_\_  
c) Is this a Service Learning Course: No \_\_\_\_\_
17. Other general course information: GEC arts and hums cultures and ideas course. \_\_\_\_\_

**COMPLETE ONLY THOSE ITEMS THAT CHANGE**  
**Changes Requested**

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17. GEC arts and hums literature and international issues course. \_\_\_\_\_

**B. General Information**

1. Do you want the prerequisites enforced electronically (see the OAA manual for what can be enforced)?  
Yes

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2. Does this course currently satisfy any GEC requirement? if so indicate which category.  
Arts and hums cultures and ideas

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3. What other units require this course? Have these changes been discussed with those units?  
N/A

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4. Have these changes been discussed with academic units that might have a jurisdictional interest in the subject matter?  
Attach relevant letters.

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5. Is the request contingent upon other requests? if so list the requests.  
No

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6. Purpose of the proposed change. (If the proposed change affects the content of the course, attach a revised syllabus and course objectives and e-mail to [asccurrofc@osu.edu](mailto:asccurrofc@osu.edu).)  
N/A

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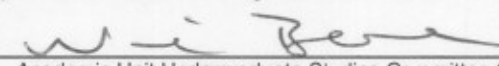
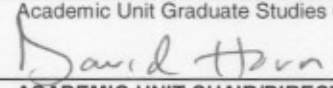
7. Please list Majors/Minors affected by the proposed change. Attach revisions of all affected programs. This course is (check one):  
 XX Required on major(s)/minor(s)       A choice on major(s)/minors(s)  
 An elective within major(s)/minor(s)       A general elective:  
 Required for Comparative Studies majors in Religious Studies concentration and for Religious Studies minor.

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8. Describe any changes in library, equipment or other teaching aids needed as a result of the proposed change. If the proposed change involves budgetary adjustments, describe the method of funding:  
N/A

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**Approval Process** The signatures on the lines in ALL CAPS ( e.g. ACADEMIC UNIT) are required.

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|   | Nina Berner  | 2/9/2008 |
| 1. Academic Unit Undergraduate Studies Committee Chair   | Printed Name | Date     |
|   | DAVID HORN   | 5/8/08   |
| 3. ACADEMIC UNIT CHAIR/DIRECTOR  | Printed Name | Date     |
| 4. After the Academic Unit Chair/Director signs the request, forward the form to the ASC Curriculum Office, 4132 Smith Lab, 174 West 18 <sup>th</sup> Ave. or fax it to 688-5678. Attach the syllabus and any supporting documentation in an e-mail to <a href="mailto:asccurrofc@osu.edu">asccurrofc@osu.edu</a> . The ASC Curriculum Office will forward the request to the appropriate committee. |              |          |
| 5. COLLEGE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE  | Printed Name | Date     |
| 6. ARTS AND SCIENCES EXECUTIVE DEAN  | Printed Name | Date     |
| 7. Graduate School (if appropriate)  | Printed Name | Date     |
| 8. University Honors Center (if appropriate)   | Printed Name | Date     |
| 9. Office of International Affairs (study tours only)  | Printed Name | Date     |
| 10. ACADEMIC AFFAIRS   | Printed Name | Date     |