

Fiscal Unit/Academic Org	Agric, Envrnmtl & Devlp Econ - D1114
Administering College/Academic Group	Food, Agric & Environ Science
Co-administering College/Academic Group	
Semester Conversion Designation	Converted with minimal changes to program goals and/or curricular requirements (e.g., sub-plan/specialization name changes, changes in electives and/or prerequisites, minimal changes in overall structure of program, minimal or no changes in program goals or content)
Current Program/Plan Name	International Economic and Social Development Minor
Proposed Program/Plan Name	International Economic and Social Development Minor
Program/Plan Code Abbreviation	INTECSD-MN
Current Degree Title	

Credit Hour Explanation

Program credit hour requirements		A) Number of credit hours in current program (Quarter credit hours)	B) Calculated result for 2/3rds of current (Semester credit hours)	C) Number of credit hours required for proposed program (Semester credit hours)	D) Change in credit hours
Total minimum credit hours required for completion of program		20	13.3	12	1.3
Required credit hours offered by the unit	Minimum	10	6.7	6	0.7
	Maximum	20	13.3	12	1.3
Required credit hours offered outside of the unit	Minimum	0	0.0	0	0.0
	Maximum	10	6.7	6	0.7
Required prerequisite credit hours not included above	Minimum	5	3.3	3	0.3
	Maximum	5	3.3	3	0.3

Program Learning Goals

Note: these are required for all undergraduate degree programs and majors now, and will be required for all graduate and professional degree programs in 2012. Nonetheless, all programs are encouraged to complete these now.

Program Learning Goals

- The international economic development minor provides students with the skills necessary to understand the interrelationships of population, food and environment, cultural differences and conflict, the role of women, etc.

Assessment

Assessment plan includes student learning goals, how those goals are evaluated, and how the information collected is used to improve student learning. An assessment plan is required for undergraduate majors and degrees. Graduate and professional degree programs are encouraged to complete this now, but will not be required to do so until 2012.

Is this a degree program (undergraduate, graduate, or professional) or major proposal? Yes

Does the degree program or major have an assessment plan on file with the university Office of Academic Affairs? Yes

Summarize how the program's current quarter-based assessment practices will be modified, if necessary, to fit the semester calendar.

Accomplishment of learning objectives will be tracked with short quizzes taken at the end of each required course. Each quiz will consist of a small number of questions related to key concepts that are introduced, applied, or otherwise covered in the course. For example, students completing AEDE 4535 (formerly 535) will be asked to explain and apply the hypothesis of economic convergence to data on growth-rates for a small sample of developing countries. A limited number of key concepts and specific questions corresponding to the minor's learning objectives will be defined by June 2011.

Program Specializations/Sub-Plans

If you do not specify a program specialization/sub-plan it will be assumed you are submitting this program for all program specializations/sub-plans.

Pre-Major

Does this Program have a Pre-Major? No

Attachments

- INTL-DEV MINOR 2012.doc: minor sheet
(Program Proposal. Owner: Sheller, Susan Marie)

Comments

Workflow Information

Status	User(s)	Date/Time	Step
Submitted	Sheller, Susan Marie	01/18/2011 07:59 AM	Submitted for Approval
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INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT MINOR

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PURPOSE: The International Economic Development minor provides students with an understanding of socio-economic development problems, processes and policies, primarily in developing countries. Students acquire an international awareness and the skills necessary to understand the interrelationships of population, food and environment, cultural differences and conflict, the role of women, spatial aspects of development, the interdependence with developed countries in aid, trade, etc., and the economics of development projects and international capital and commodity markets.

REQUIREMENTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES: Students are responsible for planning their minor program to achieve 12-15 hours. NO one-hour waiver will be granted unless an extremely compelling case is made.

Required Courses: 6 Hours		Hours
AED ECON/INT STDS 4597 (597.01)	Problems and Policies in World Population, Food and Environ.	3
AED ECON/INT STDS 4535 (535)	International Economic Development	3

Select 6-9 Additional Hours From:

AED ECON/INT STDS 4532 (532)	Food Security and Globalization	3
AED ECON/INT STDS 4536 (536)	Econ. Dev. of Sub-Saharan Africa	3
AED ECON/INT STDS 4537 (537)	Middle Eastern Econ. Development	3
AED ECON/INT STDS 4538 (538)	Latin American Econ. Development	3
AED ECON/INT STDS 4539 (539)	China's Economic Reforms and Dev.	3
AED ECON/INT STDS 4540 (540)	International Commerce and the World Economy	3
AED ECON 5310 (631)	Benefit-Cost Analysis	3
AED ECON 5797 (697)	Study at a Foreign Institution	3
ANTHROP 597.01	Cultural Conflict in Dev. Nations	3?
ECON 556/INT STDS 556	Cooperation and Conflict in the Global Econ.	3?
ECON 4560 (560)	International Econ. Relations	3?
GEOG 642	Geography of Development	3?
RURL SOC 3578	Social Groups in Dev. Societies	3?
RURL SOC 5578	Women in Rural Society	3?
RURL SOC 5797	Study at a Foreign Institution	3?

Restrictions and General Information

- (1) This minor is not available to students majoring in Agribusiness & Applied Economics.
- (2) A minimum overall CPHR for courses comprising the minor shall be 2.0.
- (3) A minor should be declared at the time a student accumulates 60 hours.
- (4) One course may overlap between the minor and the GEC (foundations, natural sciences, arts and humanities, social sciences, and contemporary issues).
- (5) Courses taken on a pass/non pass basis may not be applied to the minor.