

Fiscal Unit/Academic Org	Military Science - D4380
Administering College/Academic Group	Office of Academic Affairs
Co-administering College/Academic Group	
Semester Conversion Designation	Re-envisioned with significant changes to program goals and/or curricular requirements (e.g., degree/major name changes, changes in program goals, changes in core requirements, structural changes to tracks/options/courses)
Current Program/Plan Name	Military Sciences Minor
Proposed Program/Plan Name	Military Science Minor
Program/Plan Code Abbreviation	MILSCI-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		24	16.0	12	4.0
Required credit hours offered by the unit	Minimum	24	16.0	12	4.0
	Maximum	24	16.0	12	4.0
Required credit hours offered outside of the unit	Minimum	0	0.0	0	0.0
	Maximum	0	0.0	0	0.0
Required prerequisite credit hours not included above	Minimum	0	0.0	0	0.0
	Maximum	0	0.0	0	0.0

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

- A Minor in Military Science is for students who seek to improve and challenge themselves on a daily basis.
- Students will experience realistic, dynamic training designed to teach the values and skills essential for leaders in every organization.
- Courses are "hands on," with an emphasis on leadership application through practical classroom and laboratory exercises.
- Students practice techniques while assigned to leadership roles within the Cadet Organizational Structure.
- In addition, courses are designed to instill professional ethics and familiarize students with principles of physical fitness and a healthy lifestyle.
- The end state of the program is for students to be adaptive leaders with the confidence in their ability to lead, make decisions, and motivate subordinates.

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? No

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

- Military Science Minor (Army ROTC).pdf: Military Science Minor

(Program Rationale Statement. Owner: Pace, Manuel)

Comments

Workflow Information

Status	User(s)	Date/Time	Step
Submitted	Pace, Manuel	04/26/2012 04:48 PM	Submitted for Approval
Approved	Lear, Michael Robert	04/28/2012 05:57 PM	Unit Approval
Pending Approval	Cameron, Erin Marie Soave, Melissa A Smith, Kelly Bott	04/28/2012 05:57 PM	College Approval
Pending Approval	Vankeerbergen, Bernadette Chantal	05/16/2012 04:47 PM	Ad-Hoc Approval



MINOR IN MILITARY SCIENCE

Cover letter for Quarter-to-Semester (Q to S) Proposals from the Department of Military Science

This letter is intended to lay out the proposed changes to the minor offered by the Department of Military Science under the Q to S conversion in 2012. The changes are in fact very few. The overwhelming norm is for a simple conversion from the current six classes, 24 hour minor to a four class, 12 hour minor. Four semester courses will replace the current six quarter courses typically taken during the Junior and Senior years.

- a. Undergraduate associate degree programs
n/a
- b. Graduate degree programs
n/a
- c. Graduate minors
n/a
- d. Graduate certificate programs
n/a
- e. Graduate interdisciplinary specializations
n/a
- f. Professional degree programs
n/a
- g. Combined programs (e.g., BS/MS, PhD/MD)
n/a

For the record, no programs are being withdrawn.

Thank you for your attention to this proposal.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "M. R. Lear".

Michael R. Lear, Lieutenant Colonel, US Army
Chair, Department of Military Science

1. Rationale for program changes and a description of how changes will benefit students and enhance program quality

The only program change is the revision of the Junior and Senior year Military Science curriculum to reflect the change from an AU, WI, SP quarter format to the AU, SP course format under the semester system. The courses used in the semester Military Science Minor have been submitted and approved.

1. LIST OF SEMESTER COURSES

Minor in Military Science			
Segment of Minor Program and Course Number	Title	Credit hours	Grade
1. REQUIRED Courses: 12 hours			
Military Science 3001	Military Operations at a Small Unit Level I	3	
Military Science 3002	Military Operations at a Small Unit Level II	3	
Military Science 4001	Developing Adaptive Leaders I	3	
Military Science 4002	Developing Adaptive Leaders II	3	

2. SEMESTER ADVISING SHEET

Minor in Military Science			
Segment of Minor Program and Course Number	Title	Credit hours	Grade
1. REQUIRED COURSES: 12 hours			
Military Science 3001	Military Operations at a Small Unit Level I	3	
Military Science 3002	Military Operations at a Small Unit Level II	3	
Military Science 4001	Developing Adaptive Leaders I	3	
Military Science 4002	Developing Adaptive Leaders II	3	
	Minimum Program Hours	12	
Advisor Signature and Date:			
Student Name:			
Minor/Specialization:	Military Science		
Campus ID:			

3. QUARTER ADVISING SHEET

Minor in Military Science			
Segment of Minor Program and Course Number	Title	Credit hours	Grade
1. REQUIRED COURSES: 24 hours			
Military Science 301	Military Operations at Small Unit Level	4	
Military Science 302	Leadership and Problem Solving	4	
Military Science 303	Leadership and Ethics	4	
Military Science 401	Military Operations, Training Management and Ethics	4	
Military Science 402	Military Leadership, Operations and Administration	4	
Military Science 403	Army Officership	4	
	Minimum Program Hours	24	
Advisor Signature and Date:			
Student Name:			
Minor/Specialization:	Military Science		
Campus ID:			

Transition Policy

Because changes to the minor curriculum are so small, students who began their degree under quarters will not be penalized as we move to semesters, either in terms of progress towards completion or expected date of graduation. The sequencing of classes in this minor is flexible enough that we do not see the need for any bridge courses in Military Science.