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PROGRAM REQUEST

Last Updated: Pfister, Jill Ann

04/09/2013

Environment, Economy, Development and Sustainability

Fiscal Unit/Academic Org
Administering College/Academic Group
Co-adminstering College/Academic Group

Semester Conversion Designation

Proposed Program/Plan Name

Type of Program/Plan

Program/Plan Code Abbreviation

Proposed Degree Title

Sch of Enviro&Natural Res - D1173 Food, Agric & Environ Science

New Program/Plan

Environment, Economy, Development and Sustainability

Undergraduate minor

EEDS-MN

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				15	
Required credit hours offered by the unit	Minimum			3	
	Maximum			12	
Required credit hours offered outside of the unit	Minimum			3	
	Maximum			12	
Required prerequisite credit hours not included above	Minimum			0	
	Maximum			12	

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

- Students will gain an introduction to the issues and problems related to environmental sustainability, economy, development and society.
- Students will achieve a basic understanding of concepts from economics, business, sociology and community development within private, public and non-profit organizations.
- Students will achieve an understanding of how natural and human systems influence economic and social wellbeing.
- Students will have opportunities to apply quantitative skills and theoretical concepts to assess the sustainability of specific projects and policies at various scales of governance.

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

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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

• EEDS - all concurrence.docx: Letter from ENR/Concurrence

(Support/Concurrence Letters. Owner: Johnston, Renee L)

• EEDS minor logo(2) Revised Per College Committee.pdf: EEDS MInor FAES Rev Version

(Semester Advising Sheet(s). Owner: Pfister, Jill Ann)

College Coverlatter.pdf: College Coverletter

(Letter from the College to OAA. Owner: Pfister, Jill Ann)

• EEDSMinor_proposal_march292013[1].docx: EEDS minor proposal

(Program Proposal. Owner: Johnston, Renee L)

• EEDS_ASC_Revised[2].doc: ASC Version of EEDS Minor

(Semester Advising Sheet(s). Owner: Pfister, Jill Ann)

Comments

- We have attached a revised proposal and revised ASC Minor sheet (by Pfister, Jill Ann on 04/04/2013 07:07 AM)
- See 3-27-13 e-mail to R. Johnston. (by Vankeerbergen, Bernadette Chantal on 03/27/2013 07:13 PM)

Workflow Information

Status	User(s)	Date/Time	Step
Submitted	Johnston,Renee L	12/05/2012 10:34 AM	Submitted for Approval
Approved	Pfister,Jill Ann	02/28/2013 10:52 AM	Unit Approval
Approved	Pfister,Jill Ann	03/19/2013 08:40 PM	SubCollege Approval
Approved	Pfister,Jill Ann	03/19/2013 08:43 PM	College Approval
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March 18, 2013

Randy Smith Vice Provost 203 Bricker Hall 190 North Oval Mall CAMPUS

Randy Smith:

The College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences is pleased to submit a new minor in Environment, Economy, Development and Sustainability. This minor has been submitted and approved by the School of Environment and Natural Resources and approved unanimously by the College Committee on Academic Affairs on January 7, 2013. The minor is developed according to the College's guidelines for minors and we would like this minor available for use as soon as it is approved.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Jill A. Pfister

Assistant Dean, Academic Affairs And College Secretary



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November 18, 2012

Dr. Randy Smith, Vice Provost The Office of Academic Affairs 203 Bricker Hall Campus

Dear Dr. Smith,

The faculty of the School of Environment and Natural Resources (SENR) recommend that the attached proposal for a minor in Environment, Economy, Development and Sustainability (EEDS) be approved under our Bachelor's of Science in Environment and Natural Resources (ENR) degree. The proposed minor is an outgrowth of the joint effort between the School of Environment and Natural Resources (SENR) and the Department of Agricultural, Environmental and Developmental Economics (AEDE) to develop the EEDS major last year. That major, which was launched this fall semester, created a program that combined a solid foundation in environmental science with the quantitative skills and understanding of human systems necessary to assess and implement sustainable resource use. As is true for the EEDS major, the proposed minor leverages the respective expertise of our programs with those of partner colleges and departments (including the Department of Food, Agricultural and Biological Engineering, the Fisher College of Business, and City and Regional Planning in the Knowlton School of Architecture) to give students a common knowledge framework, and provides them with basic knowledge of the four EEDS focus areas in sustainability and business, environmental economics, community development and international development.

The EEDS minor will both enhance and complement our current academic program offerings. Presently, we have five undergraduate majors under the ENR degree: Environment, Economy, Development and Sustainability; Forestry, Fisheries and Wildlife; Environmental Policy and Decision Making; Natural Resource Management; and Environmental Science. In addition, we currently offer six undergraduate minors: Soil Resources; Rural Sociology; Environmental Science; Forestry, Fisheries & Wildlife; Society and Environmental Issues; and Sustainable Agriculture. Our graduate degree programs include the Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy. We offer seven specializations under both degrees: Ecological Restoration; Ecosystem Science; Environmental Social Sciences; Rural Sociology; Fisheries and Wildlife Science; Forest Science; and Soil Science. We also offer three graduate minors: Environment and Natural Resources; Soil Science; and Rural Sociology. Our third graduate degree program is a professional Master's degree, the Master of Environment and Natural Resources. Finally, we offer three combined programs, including a combined BS/MS, and combined BS/MENR. Our third combined degree is a dual Master's degree program with the John Glenn School of Public Affairs: MS/MAPPM (Master of Arts in Public Policy and Management) or MS/MPA (Master of Public Administration)

The proposed minor in Environment, Economy, Development and Sustainability was developed and approved in several stages. Two faculty members, Dr. Elena Irwin (AEDE) and Dr. Jeff Sharp (SENR), led the effort throughout the development and approval process. With input from a number of SENR and AEDE faculty, and both my and AEDE chair Dr. Tim Haab's support, they worked through a number of iterations until the proposal was sufficiently developed for formal review by both SENR's and AEDE's respective academic affairs committees. Input from other participating academic units was solicited in a parallel

process, including Sociology, the John Glenn School of Public Affairs, and the Office of energy and Environment (see attached).

Having reviewed and provided input on the proposal since it's inception, listened to faculty discussions, and read the comments and concurrences from participating and affected academic units, I whole-heartedly endorse the proposal for a minor in Environment, Economy, Development and Sustainability, and strongly recommend it for approval.

Sincerely,

Ronald Hendrick, PhD

SENR Director and Professor



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November 9, 2012

Dr. Ronald Hendrick, Director School of Environment and Natural Resources The Ohio State University 210 Kottman Hall 2021 Coffey Road Columbus, Ohio 43210-8522

Dear Ron:

The Office of Energy and Environment is pleased to support the School of Environment and Natural Resources and the Department of Agricultural, Environmental, and Development Economics in the creation of a new academic minor in Environment, Economy, Development, and Sustainability (EEDS). We are also very supportive of the creation of a new introductory course for all EEDS students.

As you know, the issues of energy, environment, and sustainability are of growing concern to many of our students. We are contacted almost every day by students who are looking for classes in energy, environment, or sustainability or who want to get involved in some way. We believe the new minor and introductory course will complement the already existing EEDS major, as well as many other already existing major fields of study, and will meet the growing needs and interests of a wide range of students.

My office stands at the ready to provide whatever guidance or support is needed to advance this worthy cause. Creating a new academic minor and introductory course is an important step in the right direction toward ensuring all Ohio State students graduate with some knowledge in energy, environment, and sustainability.

Sincerely,

Ronald M. Sega

Vice President and Enterprise Executive for Energy and Environment The Ohio State University

RMS/pal





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To: The Office of Academic Affairs

From: Tim Haab, Professor and Chair, AEDE

RE: Concurrence for new EEDS minor and new EEDS course

Date: 11/14/2012

It is with pleasure that I submit this memorandum of concurrence for a new minor in the Department of Agricultural, Environmental and Development Economics and the School of Environment and Natural Resources in the College of Food, Agricultural and Environmental Sciences. The faculty of AEDE has reviewed the new minor and unanimously recommends concurrence.

It is noted that the new EEDS major and minor require the creation of a new 2000 level introductory course co-taught between AEDE and SENR and entitled: Introduction to Environment, Development and Sustainability. AEDE also concurs with the establishment of this new course and is committed to providing the shared resources necessary for the administration of the new minor and the teaching of the new course.

Please let me know if I can provide any additional information.

Sincerely,

Timothy C. Haab Professor and Chair From: Williams, Kristi [mailto:williams.2339@sociology.osu.edu]

Sent: Thursday, November 15, 2012 12:00 PM

To: 'Jeff Sharp'

Subject: RE: Request for concurrence, EEDS course and minor proposal

Dear Jeff, Thanks for giving us the opportunity to offer feedback. Both the minor proposal and introductory course look very solid and I'm sure they will be a great benefit to students. I am happy to offer concurrence on the Introduction to EEDS course. This seems appropriately geared directly to the major and minor program and does not appear to overlap in content with any of our curriculum. The minor proposal also looks well-developed and we are glad to have SOC 3460 (Environmental Justice) included as an elective option. I am happy to offer concurrence for the EEDS minor as well.

Best wishes,

Kristi Williams, Ph.D.

Associate Professor & Director of Undergraduate StudiesDepartment of Sociology

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From: Brown, Trevor [mailto:brown.2296@osu.edu]

Sent: Thursday, November 08, 2012 8:47 PM

To: Greenbaum, Robert; Irwin, Elena

Cc: Hallihan, Kathleen; Adams, Christopher

Subject: RE: EEDS minor and intro course proposals Elena, We are happy to concur for both the course and the minor proposal. This looks like a minor that we will likely include among the approved minors for the specialization requirement of our undergraduate degree.

Trevor

Proposal: Undergraduate Minor in Environment, Economy, Development and Sustainability

I. GENERAL INFORMATION

Give the name of the proposed minor

Environment, Economy, Development and Sustainability (EEDS)

State what degree students competing the minor will receive

Minor in EEDS

Academic unit

School of Environment and Natural Resources (SENR) and the Department of Agricultural, Environmental and Development Economics (AEDE)

Type of program

Undergraduate minor

II. Rationale

Program Rationale Statement

Many of the biggest challenges facing the world today are characterized by complex interactions among humans and the environment. Pressing environmental issues such as climate change and water quality are fundamentally connected to human impacts and problems of resource scarcity, access and degradation. Sustainability requires integrated approaches that can improve the well-being of society without causing irreparable harm to the Earth's ecological systems. Solutions to these problems are based on solid knowledge of human and natural systems, which includes an understanding of the interdependencies among the economy, institutions, technology, society and environmental challenges such as climate change, renewable energy and water availability. Such problems call for a new generation of students with a strong understanding of sustainability issues, the practical skills to assess sustainable resource consumption and use, familiarity with the processes of social change and the knowledge to develop solutions.

The proposed EEDS minor provides a multi-disciplinary approach to sustainability topics and problems with a focus on the economic, business and social change aspects of sustainability. This minor responds to the emergence of sustainability as an important competency for many types of jobs in the private, public and non-profit sectors. Through the EEDS minor, students obtain knowledge of sustainability concepts and methods that complement their major program of study in a variety of natural, physical, engineering and social science disciplines. The EEDS minor curriculum is comprised of core courses from the EEDS major and includes a range of courses that can be selected by students to count toward the minor degree. These courses are designed to provide a foundation in sustainability concepts and theory

related to economics, business, sociology and community and international development. A total of 15 semester hours are required for the minor.

This proposal was developed by the EEDS faculty committee, which is comprised of the EEDS program director and several faculty from SENR and AEDE that have provided leadership to the EEDS major. The proposal was developed in consultation with the SENR academic affairs committee, the AEDE undergraduate program director and committee and the faculty of both SENR and AEDE. A consensus was achieved through discussion at committee and faculty meetings and via email.

II. Learning Goals

Students who complete the EEDS Minor will achieve the following learning objectives:

- Students will be introduced to the issues and problems related to environmental sustainability, economy, development and society.
- Students will gain a basic understanding of concepts from economics, business, sociology and community development that are used to address contemporary issues and policies of sustainable development within private, public and non-profit organizations.
- Students will achieve an understanding of how natural and human systems influence economic and social well-being.
- Students will have opportunities to apply quantitative skills and theoretical concepts to assess the sustainability of specific projects and policies at various scales of governance.

III. Curriculum

The proposed minor is designed to provide an introduction to the concepts and practices of sustainability with a focus on the human dimensions of sustainability. The required introductory course gives students entering the minor a common framework and provides basic knowledge of the four EEDS focus areas: sustainability and business, environmental economics, community development and international development. Following this common foundation, the minor is designed to be flexible. Students choose one economics or business course; one development course; and two additional electives that allow the student to diversify or concentrate on one or two of these focus areas. After completion of the minor, students will be knowledgeable of the basic principles and concepts of sustainability and will have specific knowledge and training in applications of sustainability to business, economics, or social change processes.

The proposed curriculum for the minor is given in Table 1. The list of courses includes a proposed introductory course that will be a required course in both the EEDS major and minor. The proposal for this new course will be submitted at the same time as the EEDS minor proposal.

Table 1. Courses in the proposed minor program

Course number	GE Type	Course Title	Credit hours	Prerequsites		
Required: Introductory Course (proposed)						
ENR/AEDE 2500		Introduction to Environment, Economy, Development and Sustainability	3			
	Choose 1: Core Course (Economics and Business)					
AEDE 4310		Environmental and Natural Resources Economics	3	ECON 2001 or AEDE 2001		
BUS ADMIN 3640		Introduction to Sustainability in Business: Concepts & Issues	3	Permission of instructor		
	Cho	ose 1: Core Course (Community and Development)				
AEDE/IS 4597.01	1	Problems and Policies in World Population, Food, and Environment	3	Junior or Senior standing		
ENR 3500		Community, Environment and Development	3	ENR 2300		
RURLSOC 3580	2	Social Groups in Developing Societies	3	3 credit hours in RURLSOC, SOC or a related social science		
Cho	ose 2: Elective	Courses in Environment, Economy, Development &	Sustainal	bility		
AEDE 3680		Regional Economics and Sustainable Growth	3	ECON/AEDE 2001		
AEDE 4310		Environmental and Natural Resources Economics	3	ECON 2001 or AEDE 2001		
AEDE/IS 4320		Energy, the Environment, and the Economy	3	ECON/AEDE 2001		
AEDE 4330		The Sustainable Economy: Concepts and Methods	3	AEDE 4310		
AEDE/IS 4532		Food Security and Globalization	3	ECON/AEDE 2001		
AEDE/IS 4535		International Economic Development	3	ECON/AEDE 2001		
AEDE/IS 4597.01	1	Problems and Policies in World Population, Food, and Environment	3	Junior or Senior standing		
AEDE 5330		Benefit-Cost Analysis	3	AEDE 4310 and AEDE 4001 or Econ 4001		
BUS ADMIN 3642		Introduction to Sustainability in Business: Applications and Solutions	3	BUS ADMIN 3640		
COMLDR 4430		Leadership in Teams and Community Organizations	3			
CRP 3400		Planning for Sustainable Economic Development	3	ECON/AEDE 2001		
ECON 4547		Economics of War	3	ECON 2001 or AEDE 2001 and ECON 2002		

Course number	GE Type	Course Title	Credit hours	Prerequsites
ECON 4500		Economic Development	3	ECON 2001 or AEDE 2001 and ECON 2002
ECON 4553	1	Economics of Population	3	ECON 2001 or AEDE 2001
ECON 4560		Cooperation and Conflict in the Global Economy	3	ECON 2001 or AEDE 2001 and ECON 2002
ENR 3500		Community, Environment and Development	3	ENR 2300/203
ENR 4000	4	Environmental and Natural Resources Policy	3	ENR 2100 and ENR 2300
ENR 4400		Law and Legal Process	3	
ENR 5210	-1	Evaluation of Environmental Impact	3	Junior or Senior Standing
ENR 5211		International Environmental Impact Assessment	3	Junior or Senior Standing
ENVENG/FABE 5310		Ecological Engineering	4	
ENR/RURLSOC/ WGSST 3580	2	Social Groups in Developing Societies	3	3 credit hours in RURLSOC, SOC or a related social science
RURLSOC 4500		Leadership and Community Development	3	RURLSOC 1500 or SOCIOL 101
RURLSOC 5500		Diffusion of Innovations	3	
RURLSOC 5580		Social Impact Assessment	3	
SOCIOL 3460	3	Environmental Justice	3	

- 1 GE cross-disciplinary seminar course
- 2 GE soc science individuals and groups and diversity global studies course
- 3 GE soc sci human, nat, and econ resources
- 4 GE soc science: organizations & politics

IV. Implementation

Faculty Workload

The School of Environment and Natural Resources (SENR) and the Department of Agricultural, Environmental and Development Economics (AEDE) are committed to offering the core and elective courses of the minor and are capable of delivering the minor with the current faculty members. Other units offering courses as electives in the minor include City and Regional Planning, Fisher College of Business and Agricultural Communication, Education, and Leadership.

Advising

Environment, Economy, Development and Sustainability (EEDS) Minor Proposal

The EEDS Program Director and SENR Academic Advising staff will work together to advise undergraduate students who are interested or already enrolled in the minor.

Enrollment

We would expect modest enrollment at the beginning. However, over time, we would expect that the EEDS minor will be a popular minor for students from a variety of majors, including business, social sciences, engineering and the natural sciences, as they seek to complement their education with this sustainability curriculum. In addition, we note that the proposed EEDS Introduction course is the entrée point for students interested in sustainability and therefore will attract students to the minor.

Curriculum Oversight

The EEDS program director and faculty committee will be responsible for reviewing the curriculum and making changes when it is necessary. The SENR and AEDE undergraduate program committees will also be consulted regarding curriculum development.



Environment, Economy, Development and Sustainability Minor School of Environment and Natural Resources Effective Autumn 2013 3/1/13

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The minor in environment, economy, development and sustainability minor provides students with a multi-disciplinary approach to sustainability topics and problems with a focus on the economic, business and social change aspects of sustainability. Pressing environmental issues such as climate change and water quality are fundamentally connected to human impacts and problems of resource scarcity, access and degradation. Sustainability requires integrated approaches that can improve the well-being of society without causing irreparable harm to the Earth's ecological systems. A total of 15 semester hours are required for this minor.

Required: Introd ENR/AEDECON	uctory Co 2500	ourse Introduction to Environment, Economy, Development and Sustainability	Credit Hours				
Core Course: Eco	Core Course: Economics and Business (Choose one)						
AEDECON	4310	Environmental and Natural Resource Economics	3				
BUSADMIN	3640	Intro to Sustainability in Business: Concepts and Issues	3				
Coro courses Cor	Core course: Community and Development (Choose one)						
AEDECON/		Problems and Policies in World Population, Food, and Environment	3				
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ENR	3500	Community, Environment and Development	3				
RURLSOC	3580	Social Groups in Developing Societies	3				
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		ment, Economy, Development & Sustainability (Choose two)	2				
AEDECON AEDECON	3680 4310	Regional Economics and Sustainable Growth Environment and Natural Resource Economics	3 3				
AEDECON/	4310	Energy, the Environment, and the Economy	3				
INTSTDS	4320	Energy, the Environment, and the Economy	3				
AEDECON	4330	The Sustainable Economy: Concepts and Methods	3				
AEDECON/	4532	Food Security and Globalization	3				
INTSTDS							
AEDECON/	4535	International Economic Development	3				
INTSTDS		•					
AEDECON/	4597.01	Problems and Policies in World Population, Food, and Environment	3				
INTSTDS							
AEDECON	5330	Benefit-Cost Analysis	3				
BUSADMIN	3642	Introduction to Sustainability in Business: Applications and Solutions	3				
COMLDR	4430	Leadership in Teams and Community Organizations	3				
CRP	3400	Planning for Sustainable Economic Development	3				
ECON	4547	Economics of War	3				
ECON	4500	Economic Development	3				
ECON	4553	Economics of Population	3				
ECON	4560	Cooperation and Conflict in the Global Economy	3				
ENR	3500	Community, Environment and Development	3				
ENR	4000	Environmental and Natural Resources Policy	3				
ENR	4400	Law and Legal Process	3				
ENR	5210	Evaluation of Environmental Impact	3				
ENR	5211	International Environmental Impact Assessment	3				
ENVENG/FABE	5310	Ecological Engineering and Science	4				
ENR/RURSOC/ WGSST	3580	Social Groups in Developing Societies	3				
RURLSOC	4500	Leadership and Community Development	3				
RURLSOC	5500	Diffusion of Innovations	3				
RURLSOC	5580	Social Impact Assessment	3				
SOCIOL	3460	Environmental Justice	3				
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Restrictions and General Information

- 1. The minor is not available to student majoring in Environment, Economy, Development and Sustainability (EEDS).
- 2. A minimum overall GPA for courses comprising the minor shall be 2.00.
- 3. A minor should be declared at the time a student accumulates 60 hours.
- 4. A maximum of one course may overlap between the minor and the GE (Writing and Communication, Foreign Language, Literature, Visual and Performing Arts, Culture and Ideas, Historical Study, Quantitative Reasoning, Data Analysis, Natural Science, Social Science, Cross-Disciplinary Seminar, Service-Learning, Education Abroad).
- 5. Courses taken on a pass/non pass basis may not be applied to the minor.
- 6. At least six credits must be at the 3000 level or above.

The Ohio State University College of Arts and Sciences

Environment, Economy, Development and Sustainability Minor

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A total of 15 semester hours are required for this minor. You should file the form with your college or school counselor. For further information about the minor program, contact the department.

Required Introductory Course (3 hrs): ENR/AEDECON 2500 (3)

Core course-Economics and Business (Choose one):

AEDECON 4310 (3), BUSADMIN 3640 (3)

Core Course-Community and Development (Choose one):

AEDECON/INTSTDS 4597.01 (3), ENR 3500 (3), RURLSOC 3580 (3)

Elective Courses (Choose two):

AEDECON 3680 (3), 4310 (3), 5330 (3)
AEDECON/INTSTDS 4320 (3), 4330 (3), 4532 (3), 4535 (3), 4597.01 (3)
BUSADMIN 3642 (3)
COMLDR 4430 (3)
CRP 3400 (3)
ECON 4547 (3), 4500 (3), 4553 (3) 4560 (3)
ENR 3500 (3), 4000 (3), 4400 (3), 5210 (3), 5211 (3)
ENVENG/FABE 5310 (4)
ENR/RURSOC/WGSST 3580 (3)
RURLSOC 4500 (3), 5500 (3), 5580 (3)
SOCIOL 3460 (3)

Environment, Economy, Development and Sustainability minor program guidelines

The following guidelines govern minors:

Required for graduation No

<u>Credit hours required</u> A minimum of 15 credit hrs (some minors require more). 1000 level courses shall not be counted toward the 15 credit hr minimum.

<u>Transfer credit hours allowed</u> No more than one half of the credit hours required on the minor.

Overlap with the GE A maximum of one course may overlap between the minor and the GE (Writing and Communication, Foreign Language, Literature, Visual and Performing Arts, Culture and Ideas, Historical Study, Quantitative Reasoning, Data Analysis, Natural Science, Social Science, Cross-Disciplinary Seminar, Service-Learning, Education Abroad).

Overlap with the major Not allowed and

- The minor must be in a different subject than the major.
- The same courses cannot count on the minor and on the major.

Overlap between minors Each minor completed must contain 12 unique hours.

Grades required

- Minimum C- for a course to be listed on the minor.
- Minimum 2.00 cumulative point-hour ratio required for the minor.
- Course work graded Pass/Non-Pass cannot count on the minor.

<u>Minor Approval</u> Not required as long as students complete the courses as indicated on the minor program description.

<u>Filing the minor program form</u> The minor program form must be filed at least by the time the graduation application is submitted to a college/school counselor.

<u>Changing the minor</u> Once the minor program is filed in the college office, any changes must be approved by the academic unit offering the minor.

College of Arts and Sciences Curriculum and Assessment Services 154 Denney Hall, 164 W. 17th Ave. http://artsandsciences.osu.edu SS 3/29/2013