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Dear Dr. Vankeerbergen,

We appreciate the feedback from the ASC Curriculum Committee and have made several changes to the minor advising sheet in response. After removing Physics 2095 from the minor requirements, we still require 14 hours and so we do not want to add any requirements to replace 2095. We discussed whether to make 2301 a requirement since, as ASCC notes almost all electives require this course, but we prefer to maintain the flexibility of not having it required. Almost all of our minors do complete 2301 but some end up not needing it and have this prerequisite waived for any elective courses that require it. This typically happens because the essential skills from 2301 can be acquired as part of their major studies in some cases. This is a judgment call, whether it is better to require 2301 and waive the requirement for some students or to not require and waive the prerequisite for some students. We think the latter works best for our minors but can add Physics 2301 as a requirement if pressed.

Sincerely,

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