Kathleen Hunzer

From: Zhiguo Yang
Sent: Friday, January 16, 2015 11:57 PM
To: Kathleen Hunzer
Subject: Re: Honors Program Redesign Proposal

Kathleen,

I reviewed the listed history courses and would like to approve their inclusion in the honor program curriculum. There might be a typo for HIST 365 Environmental History: It is listed as HIST 366 Under Social Justice but should be 365.

Enjoy the rest of the winter break!

Zhiguo
History and Philosophy

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Hello Kathleen,

I don't see any issues with the INTS courses in the proposal but will check with the INTS steering committee on Feb. 3 to make sure all are at the same page. I will definitely let you know by the 6th about the approval.

Thanks!

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Well duh! Once again I tried to speed through correspondence to my detriment.

In the case you mention below, please include JOUR 202/203. Minors, however, don't take either so this would apply only to majors.

Thanks for the clarification.

Sandy
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Sandy Ellis, Ph. D.
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Hi,

The program is designed to count courses from students' majors as Honors classes. In other words, if a JOUR major/minor is in the Honors Program, he/she could could JOUR 202 or 203 as one of their Honors requirements--other majors/minors won't use that class because of the pre-reqs and because they have classes in their majors. I hope this makes sense: Let me know if this changes your perspective :-)

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From: Sandy Ellis  
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To: Kathleen Hunzer  
Subject: Re: Honors Program Reminder  

Hi Kathleen,

The two writing courses (Jour 202/203) you have listed for Journalism have 2 additional courses as pre-requisites so I don’t think they’re a good choice for the Honors program. Journalism 315 is fine for the Social Justice component.

Sandy

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Hi, Kathleen,

When I looked over your list, I found three MARC classes listed.

MARC 200, Introduction to MARC, would fit into the category of "the communication and rhetorical strategies of the student’s major field," and I believe that class should be included. Two sections of this class are offered each semester (fall and spring) and David Bonko is the instructor.

MARC 250, Ethical Issues in Marketing Communications, would fit into the sustainability category, as defined, and I believe that it should be included. This class is offered once a year during J-term, and it is on-line. David Bonko is the instructor.

MARC 330, MARC for Non-Profit Organizations, would be a risky fit into the sustainability category. This class provides a very practical, applied, and hands-on experience: each semester the students choose a local non-profit organization to work with, and, while some of those organizations would fit into the sustainability category, others would not. So I would suggest leaving it off the list.

Jim

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