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**Course Change**

**Fall 2025**

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| 1. College and Academic Unit: |  | | |
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| 2. Course subject and number: | |  |

[*See upper and lower division undergraduate course definitions***.**](https://in.nau.edu/wp-content/uploads/sites/123/2019/08/Upper.LowerDivCriteria.docx.doc)

3. Justification for course changes:

Describe how the changes to this course are related to short- and long-term plans of the academic unit. Ensure your description addresses at least one of the following:

* Improvements to the program (aligning curriculum to new or current curriculum standards or expectations, improving degree program progression, integration of learning from one course to another),
* Requirements or recommendations set forth by the program’s periodic review, or in preparation for its next review (addressing improvements based on input from external reviewers, industry trends, new or changing governmental regulations or external accreditation requirements),
* Academic unit goals identified in a unit’s Annual Report on Curriculum & Assessment,
* Evidence and assessment findings (assessments of student learning, needs assessments, student or employer surveys, comparisons to other programs in the field),
* Other important aspects of the academic unit and student learning not identified above.

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| 4. Current catalog display in this column. Cut and paste the course’s title, description, requisites and units from the current on-line academic catalog\* [*http://catalog.nau.edu/Catalog/*](http://catalog.nau.edu/Catalog/). | Show the proposed changes in this column **Bold** the proposed changes in this column to differentiate from what is not changing, and **~~Bold with strikethrough~~**what is being deleted (*max.200 words, excluding requisites).* |

\*if there has been a previously approved curriculum change since the last catalog year, please copy the approved text from the proposal form into this field.

**Section I**

***5. Attach the proposed Syllabus of Record. Use the*** [***Syllabus Requirements and Template***](https://nau.edu/university-policy-library/syllabus-requirements/) *t****o ensure you have addressed syllabus aspects that will be reviewed by the College Curriculum and Assessment Committees. For topics courses, include a Syllabus of Record and a “sample topic” syllabus.***

6. Is this course in any plan (major, minor, or certificate) or sub plan (emphasis)?\* Yes  No

If yes, list.

\* If this course is part of an Online plan, the pre-requisite and Co-requisites must also be available online.

7. Is there a related plan change proposal being submitted? Yes  No

If no, explain.

**Section II**

Resource Implications

8a. Will the course change result in:

* an increase in library holdings and electronic or research resources for this course? Yes  No

If yes, list:

* the need for equipment or technology, particularly in the classroom? Yes  No

If yes, list:

* changes in the classroom space needed for the course? Yes  No

If yes, list:

8b. Will the course change affect the frequency of offering the course? Yes  No

If yes, complete the following table identifying the number of sections and expected enrollment for this course over the next two academic years.

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| CAMPUS: |  | | | | |
| AY 2024-2025 | | | AY 2025-2026 | | |
|  | Sections | Enrollment  Capacity |  | Sections | Enrollment  Capacity |
| Fall |  |  | Fall |  |  |
| Winter |  |  | Winter |  |  |
| Spring |  |  | Spring |  |  |
| Summer |  |  | Summer |  |  |

* If this course will be offered at more than one campus, please complete a table FOR EACH CAMPUS identifying the number of sections and expected enrollment for this new course over the next two academic years.

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| CAMPUS: |  | | | | |
| AY 2024-2025 | | | AY 2025-2026 | | |
|  | Sections | Enrollment  Capacity |  | Sections | Enrollment  Capacity |
| Fall |  |  | Fall |  |  |
| Winter |  |  | Winter |  |  |
| Spring |  |  | Spring |  |  |
| Summer |  |  | Summer |  |  |

8c. If the course is being proposed for a General Studies designation, please complete the following table identifying the number of sections and expected enrollment for this course for the General Studies implementation years listed below:

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| CAMPUS: |  | | | | |
| AY 2025-2026 | | | AY 2026-2027 | | |
|  | Sections | Enrollment  Capacity |  | Sections | Enrollment  Capacity |
| Fall |  |  | Fall |  |  |
| Winter |  |  | Winter |  |  |
| Spring |  |  | Spring |  |  |
| Summer |  |  | Summer |  |  |

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| * How many of your current faculty can teach this course? |  |

* Based on enrollment and course offering projection, will additional resources be needed to offer the course? Yes  No

If so, what resources are requested to offer this course?

Impacts to Other Academic Units or Programs:

9a. Projected impacts to enrollments and courses in other academic units or programs: Based on the frequency of offering this course, what is the expected impact on enrollments and offerings within other academic units or programs?

9b. If other academic units or programs are impacted by this proposal, what discussions and actions have been taken for notification and/or resolution? Please attach correspondence.

10. Duplication or Perceived Duplication of Course; does there appear to be greater than 20% duplication with any other courses offered at Northern Arizona University? Yes  No

If so, which courses?

**Section III**

**IN THE FOLLOWING SECTION, COMPLETE ONLY WHAT IS CHANGING**

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| **CURRENT** | **PROPOSED** |
| Repeat for additional units in same term:  Yes  No | Repeat for additional units same term:  Yes  No |
| Repeat max number of units in same term: | Repeat max number of units in same term: |
| Instruction Mode:  In person\*  Online  Blended\*  \*Where offered?  FLGMTN  Other | Instruction Mode:  In person\*  Online  Blended\*  \*Where offered?  FLGMTN  Other |
| Incomplete option:  incomplete (I)  in progress (IP) | Incomplete option:  incomplete (I)  in progress (IP) |
| Experiential Learning Component:  Yes  No | Experiential Learning Component:  Yes  No |
| Terms Offered:  Fall  Winter  Spring  Summer  Other | Terms Offered:  Fall  Winter  Spring  Summer  Other |

**Questions 11-12 for Undergraduate Courses only:**

NOTE: The following MUST be filled in with each course. IF they are not completed, they cannot be forwarded. Please ensure each form has this information.

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| 11a. Current Liberal Studies Designation | |  | Proposed General Studies Knowledge Area | |
| Arts & Humanistic Inquiry |  |  | Arts and Humanities |  |
| Cultural Understanding |  |  | Scientific Literacy – Natural Sciences |  |
| Science and Applied Science |  |  | Scientific Literacy – Social Sciences |  |
| [Social & Political Worlds](file:///C:\Users\ssg52\Documents\l) |  |  | Scientific Methods – Natural Sciences |  |
| None |  |  | Scientific Methods – Social Sciences |  |
|  |  |  | American Institutions |  |
|  |  |  | [Social & Political Worlds](file:///C:\Users\ssg52\Documents\l) |  |
|  |  |  | None |  |

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| 11b. Current Liberal Studies Essential Skill: | |  | Proposed General Studies Essential Skill | |
| Critical Thinking |  |  | Civil Discourse through Writing |  |
| Creative & Aesthetic Thinking |  |  | Civil Discourse through Speaking |  |
| Effective Writing |  |  | Civil Discourse through Collaboration & Teamwork |  |
| Effective Oral Communication |  |  | Quantitative Reasoning |  |
| Quantitative Reasoning |  |  | Applications |  |
| Scientific Inquiry |  |  | None |  |
| None |  |  |  |  |

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| 12. Current Diversity Designation | |  | Proposed Inclusive Perspectives | |
| Global Diversity |  |  | Global Diversity |  |
| U.S. Ethnic Diversity |  |  | Indigenous Peoples |  |
| None |  |  | U.S. Ethnic Diversity |  |
|  |  |  | None |  |

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| Reviewed by Curriculum Process Associate | Date |
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| **Approvals**: |  |
| Department Chair/Unit Head (if appropriate) | Date |
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| Dean of College | Date |