UNIVERSITY OF MARY WASHINGTON – PROGRAM CHANGE PROPOSAL

Electronically submit this completed form with attachments to the Chair of the College Curriculum Committee.

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Note: for any program change entailing the addition any new courses, or revisions to existing courses, separate proposal for those course actions must also be submitted.

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Implementation Date: FALL semester, year: FALL 2013

REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS FOR CHANGES TO EXISTING PROGRAMS:
1. Rationale statement (Why is this program change needed? What purposes will it serve?)
2. Impact Statement (Provide details about the Library, space, budget, technology, and impacts created by this program change. Supporting statements from the Library, IT Department, etc. evaluating the resource impact and feasibility of the program change are required.)
3. Catalog Copy (Provide the existing Catalog Description and the complete statement of the proposed new Catalog description that reflects the program changes)

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*Use ONLY for interdisciplinary majors that will be grouped as part of the “Special Majors/General Liberal Arts and Sciences” degree (CIP Code 24.0101) or reported as a BLS degree (CIP Code 24.0199)

Implementation Date (semester and year):

REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS FOR NEW PROGRAMS NOT REQUIRING STATE APPROVAL:
1. Rationale statement (Why is this additional program needed? What purposes will it serve?)
2. Impact Statement (Provide details about the Library, space, budget, technology, and impacts created by this program change. Supporting statements from the Library, IT Department, etc. evaluating the resource impact and feasibility of adding the new program are required.)
3. Catalog Copy (Provide the complete Catalog Description for the proposed new program)

Department Chair__________Marie Sheckels Date: January, 16, 2012
College Curriculum Chair____Beverly Epps__________ Date: January 23, 2013
Dean Approval: ________Mary Gendernalik-Cooper__________ Date: __________
UCC Chair Approval: ________ Date: __________

*Provost Approval: __________________________ Date: __________

*Required only in cases of proposals for new concentrations, new minors, or new majors that do not involve a new degree
1. Rationale statement (Why is this additional/change in) program needed? What purposes will it serve?)

After conducting audits of the preK-12 initial licensure programs on the Fredericksburg (baccalaureate) and Stafford campuses (post-baccalaureate), two major findings were concluded:
   a. The “Teaching of…” courses (baccalaureate) had small enrollment numbers each year, and;
   b. Students in the post-baccalaureate program were only required to complete EDCI 511, a single course co-taught by university faculty and master teachers. This course combined both general and content-specific methods. Students needed more than a half-semester to learn content-specific pedagogy.

To address both issues, the faculty decided that students in the post-baccalaureate program should complete subject-specific “Teaching of…” courses. The curriculum change would provide students with a full semester of concentrated pedagogical study in the licensure area in addition to a full semester course (EDCI 511A) focusing on general teaching methods. It was decided to create new courses and cross-list the courses in both programs (Post Baccalaureate and baccalaureate programs).

The elective will be deleted from the secondary program. Instead students will take The Teaching of course in their discipline, thereby not increasing or decreasing the credits in the secondary program.

Summary

Delete course:
EDCI 511 Educational Goals and Practices: Middle or Secondary (3 credits)

Add New Courses:
EDCI 511A Curriculum and Instruction: Secondary (3 credits)
EDCI 552 The Teaching of Business and Information Technology
EDCI 553 The Teaching of English and Theatre Arts
EDCI 554 The Teaching of Foreign Language
EDCI 557 The Teaching of Music
EDCI 559 The Teaching of Art

The description of EDCI 511A is below.

This course focuses on the principles of learning, communication process, selection and use of course materials, and evaluation of pupil performance in middle and secondary school settings. Emphasis is placed on the theory of differentiation, assessment, and the relationship between assessment, instruction, and monitoring of student progress in order to make decisions about how to improve instruction. Field experience required.

2. Impact Statement (Provide details about the Library, space, budget, technology, and impacts created by this program change. Supporting statements from the Library, IT Department, etc. evaluating the resource impact and feasibility of adding the new program are required.)

Revising this program provides no impact to Library, space, budget, and/or technology.

3. Catalog Copy (Provide the complete Catalog Description for the proposed new program)
Proposed Catalog Description

Program Course Sequence

EDCI 500 Teaching and the Development of the Learner (3 credits)
EDCI 506 Foundations of American Education (3 credits)
EDCI 501 Educational Goals and Practices: Middle or Secondary (3 credits)
EDCI 515 Literacy and Language Across the Curriculum (3 credits)
EDCI 521 Managing the Classroom Environment: Middle or Secondary (3 credits)
EDCI 550 M.Ed. Initial Licensure Internship (6 credits)
INDT 501 Instructional Technologies (3 credits)
EDSE 531 Survey of Special Education: Characteristics and Legal Issues (3 credits)
TESL 514 Cross-Cultural Education (3 credits)
EDCI 540 Characteristics and Education of Gifted Students (3 credits)
EDCI 589 Applied Research (3 credits)

And one of the following courses:

EDCI 552 The Teaching of Business
EDCI 553 The Teaching of English and Theatre Arts
EDCI 556 The Teaching of Mathematics and Computer Science
EDCI 555 The Teaching of History and Social Sciences
EDCI 558 The Teaching of Sciences