

UNIVERSITY OF MARY WASHINGTON – EXPEDITED COURSE CHANGE PROPOSAL

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Submitted by: Jason Robinson	Date Prepared: 10/13/17
Department/Discipline(s) and Course Number(s): Art and Art History, ARTS454	
Course Title: Approaches to Video Art	

Type of change (check all applicable):

Number* _____ Title _____ Description _____ Prerequisites Deletion _____ Cross list** _____

*This course number must be approved by the Office of the Registrar before the proposal is submitted.

**To cross list courses between departments/colleges, there should be two cover sheets submitted with the proposal – one by the chair of each department with signatures from the relevant College Curriculum Committee Chair.

Effective Date: FALL Semester, Year _____ Fall 2018 _____

Current Catalog Entry	Proposed Catalog Entry (suggested length – less than 50 words)
Prerequisite: ARTS 105 and ARTH 114 or 115	Prerequisite: ARTS 104

JUSTIFICATION (including impact on majors, minors, concentrations, and general education courses within the University curriculum; attach additional pages if required). **Any change that impacts another Department must have a written statement (such as a copy of an email) from the Chair(s) agreeing to the change.**


We are proposing switching the prerequisite from the intro level studio art DESIGN course to the intro level studio art DIGITAL course. The skills and topics covered in ARTS104 create a much more appropriate foundation for ARTS 454. We also propose to eliminate the Art History prerequisite. This course is cross listed with Digital Studies and the ARTH prerequisite often prevents them from being able to enroll.

TRANSITION PLAN (describe how will students who are in Catalogs where the course is required for a major be accommodated; attach additional pages if required)

Since ARTS 454 will only be offered each spring semester, either ARTS 104 and ARTS 105 will be accepted as a prerequisite until SP 2020. The Art History prerequisites will end in Fall 2018.

Approvals

Department Chair _____ Jon McMillan _____ **Date:** _____ 10/13/17 _____

College Curriculum Chair  _____ **Date:** _____ 11/09/2017 _____

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