# **UNIVERSITY OF MARY WASHINGTON – PROGRAM CHANGE PROPOSAL**

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

COLLEGE (check one):	Arts and Sciences	х	Business		Education	
Proposal Submitted By: Kry	styn Moon		Date Prepared: 3-1	2-14		
Department /Program:	American Studies – PS	CI 31	3			

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.

PROPOSAL TO CHANGE EXISTING PROGRAM	<b>I</b> (check <b>no than one</b> of the following)	
Revise requirements for existing major		x
Revise requirements for a concentration within an	n existing <b>major</b>	
Revise requirements for an existing degree prog	ram	
Revise requirements for existing certificate progr	ram	
Revise requirements for existing <b>minor</b>		
Implementation Date: FALL semester, year:	FALL 2015	

### **REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS FOR CHANGES TO EXISTING PROGRAMS:**

- 1. Rationale statement (Why is this program change needed? What purposes will it serve?)
- 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)

## RATIONALE:

PSCI 313 (U.S. Federal Judiciary) was previously a special topics course in political science that had counted as a possible American Studies elective. PSCI 313 was created as a new course by action of the CAS Curriculum Committee in January 2014 – this proposal merely updates the AMST elective list to account for the formal establishment of PSCI 313 in the curriculum.

#### **IMPACT STATEMENT:**

No library, space, budget, technology or other impacts are created by the addition of PSCI 313 to the AMST program.

#### CATALOG COPY:

Current Catalog Entry	Proposed Catalog Entry
Major Electives for American Studies: PSCI 201, 202, 311, 312, 324	Major Electives for American Studies: PSCI 201, 202, 311, 312, 313, 324

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Department Chair Approv		<b>Date:</b> 3-12-14
CCC Chair Approval:	Tim ODonnell	Date: 3-20-14
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 \*Required only in cases of proposals for new concentrations, new minors, or new majors that do not involve a new degree