Minnesota State University, Mankato
Curriculum Proposal

Please type or select the requested information. Print completed forms, add appropriate paper attachments, and route through MSU’s curricular process for recommendations and decisions.

College: Social and Behavioral Sciences  
Department: Women's Studies  
Program: CIP #

Type of Change: COURSE PROPOSALS
Proposed: Change in Title

Title Current: Women, Sex & Identity
Title Proposed: Politics of Sexuality

24-Char. Abbrev:  

Proposal # 95
Effective Date of Change: 05-06
(For Office Use Only)

Course Designator and Number  
Credits

WOST 4/555  
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Include a course or program description for the Bulletin (30-40 words maximum for courses, 100 for programs):

This course explores the interconnections between sex, gender, and sexuality, with special attention to how institutions and communities shape experience and identity.

Rationale or Justification for change:
The new course title and description more accurately reflects the course as it is taught.

***For General Education or Cultural Diversity Courses Only***

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* For Writing Intensive Courses, attach a description of the kind and quantity of writing.
* For Upper Division Courses, include a description of the respects in which it is broad and general rather than narrow and specific, and so suitable as GE.

Attach paper copies of the following:

a. Syllabus or course outline.

b. Course's student learning outcomes associated with each GE competency or CD designation.

Cultural Diversity Course:

(Choose one.)

- Core (At least 75% devoted to topics of race, gender, sexual orientation, age, class, and disabilities as they occur in United States Society.)
- Related (At least 25% devoted to the above topics or to a global perspective on topics related to African American, Asian, Hispanic, and Native American inhabitants of the United States.)

***For New Courses***

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Course will be offered:

- Fall Semester
- Spring Semester
- Summer Session

- Other courses are being changed or eliminated. (Explain.)

- Course content or title is similar to courses in other departments. (Attach copy of letter of agreement with other program(s) contacted. Indicate the nature of the discussions and/or resolution of differences or potential conflicts.)

Attach paper copies of the following:

a. Syllabus or course outline.

b. Course's student learning outcomes.

c. A list of resources required to offer and support this course.

d. A description of how teaching this course will affect department staffing.

e. If 400/500 level course, an explanation of added expectations of graduate students.
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**Department**

- **Recommended (Category/ies)**
- **Not Recommended (Category/ies)**

- **Department Chair**: [Signature]  **Date**: 10/4/05

- **Comments**: 

**College Curriculum Committee**

- **Recommended (Category/ies)**
- **Not Recommended (Category/ies)**

- **Committee Chair**: [Signature]  **Date**: 11/1/05

- **Comments**: 

**College Dean**

- **Recommended (Category/ies)**
- **Not Recommended (Category/ies)**

- **Dean**: [Signature]  **Date**: 11/1/05

- **Comments**: 

**General Education Subcommittee**

- **Recommended (Category/ies)**
- **Not Recommended (Category/ies)**

- **General Education Subcommittee Chair**: [Signature]  **Date**: 

- **Comments**: 

**Undergraduate Curriculum and Academic Policy Committee**

- **Recommended (Category/ies)**
- **Not Recommended (Category/ies)**

- **UCAP Faculty Chair**: [Signature]  **Date**: 

- **Comments**: 

**Faculty Association Graduate Committee**

- **Recommended**
- **Not Recommended**

- **Faculty Association Graduate Chair**: [Signature]  **Date**: 

- **Comments**: 

**Graduate Dean**

- **Recommended**
- **Not Recommended**

- **Graduate Dean**: [Signature]  **Date**: 

- **Comments**: 

**Academic Affairs Council**

- **Recommended (Category/ies)**
- **Not Recommended (Category/ies)**

- **Assistant Vice President**: [Signature]  **Date**: 12/1/05

- **Comments**: 

**Senior Vice President and Vice President for Academic Affairs**

- **Approved (Category/ies)**
- **Not Approved (Category/ies)**

- **Sr. Vice President / Vice Pres. Academic Affairs**: [Signature]  **Date**: 12/5/05

- **Comments**: 

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*Revised September 2002*