

SIMON FRASER UNIVERSITY

S.80-143

MEMORANDUM

To... SENATE

From... SENATE COMMITTEE ON UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES

Subject... CURRICULUM CHANGES - HUMANITIES

Date... NOVEMBER 12, 1980

Action undertaken by the Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies at its meeting of November 4, 1980 gives rise to the following motion:

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5. Ancient Cultures - Add LATN 100 - Latin I (delete PHIL 350)
6. 19th and 20th Century - Add ENGL 227 - Post-Classical Literature in Translation."

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To..... Mr. H.M. Evans, Secretary.....	From Sheila Roberts, Secretary.....
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Subject..... Curriculum Changes - Humanities.....	Date. 1980-10-27.....

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Thank you.

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CURRICULUM CHANGESHUMANITIES

As this program does not appear in the 1980-81 calendar, there are no reference pages.

LOWER DIVISION: HUMANITIES RELATED COURSES

Listed below are lower division courses within the University which deal with some aspect of the Humanities. These courses have been grouped together under topic headings which emphasize an interdisciplinary approach. Students may wish either to sample from different areas (for example, one course from Ancient Culture, one from the Nineteenth Century, etc.), or to concentrate on a specific historical period (for example, the art, history, and philosophy of the Ancient World; or the history, politics, and art of the Enlightenment).

However students may decide to select their lower division prerequisites, it is important for them to have some familiarity with philosophical concepts and to possess a broad awareness of the human past. For this reason, History 105 and 106, and Philosophy 150 and 151 are designated as introductory courses to the Humanities. The student is advised to include all four in his or her program; these courses provide the general background and information necessary for the comparative study of Western Civilization.

MAN AND SOCIETY

FROM: HIST 105 - Western Civilization from the
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Era
HIST 106 - Western Civilization from the
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PHIL 120 - Facts and Values
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TO: ADD: S.A. 250 - Introduction to
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RATIONALE:

The omission of Sociology from this listing was an oversight by the Committee.

THEMATIC STUDIES IN LITERATURE: WRITING AND CIVILIZATION

FROM: PHIL 241 - Philosophy in Literature
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LIT. 140 - A Survey of General Literature I
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TO. ADD: ENGL 226 - Ancient Literature in Translation

RATIONALE:

Both Lower Division English courses should be listed here.

SCIENCE, COMMUNICATION AND CULTURE

FROM: LING 100 - Communication and Language
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TO: ADD: LING 110 - The Wonder of Words

RATIONALE:

This is a new course.

RELIGION AND CULTURE

FROM: PHIL 240 - Philosophy of Religion

TO: ADD: G.S. 230-3 - Introduction to Religious Studies

RATIONALE:

This course belongs to this category and was previously omitted.

ANCIENT CULTURES

FROM: PHIL 150 - History of Philosophy I (Ancient, Medieval)
PHIL 350 - Ancient Philosophy
HIST 216 - The Ancient World
HIST 219 - Byzantium and the Barbarian West from the Fourth to the Twelfth Centuries
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TO: ADD: LATN 100 - Latin I

RATIONALE:

There should be no Upper Division courses in this list. The inclusion of PHIL 350 was an oversight. There are no modern language courses included in the Humanities program but the omitted feels that the classical languages should be included.

19th AND 20th CENTURY

FROM: PHIL 151 - History of Philosophy II
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 FPA. 113 - The Arts in Context: European
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