

Program Change Request

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Viewing: **RHET-M : Rhetoric and Writing Studies**

Minor

Last approved: 04/23/19 10:32 am

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Changes proposed by: arpope

Catalog Pages Using
this Program

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Program Status Active

Academic Level Undergraduate

Type of proposal Minor

Select a reason for this modification

Making Minor Changes to an Existing Degree (e.g. changing 15 or fewer hours, changing admission/graduation requirements, adding/changing Focused Study or Track)

Effective Catalog Year Fall 2020

College/School Code
Fulbright College of Arts and Sciences (ARSC)

Department Code
Department of English (ENGL)

Program Code RHET-M

Degree Minor

CIP Code

Program Title

In Workflow

1. ARSC Dean Initial
2. Director of Program Assessment and Review
3. Registrar Initial
4. Institutional Research
5. ENGL Chair
6. ARSC Curriculum Committee
7. ARSC Dean
8. Global Campus
9. Provost Review
10. University Course and Program Committee
11. Faculty Senate
12. Provost Final
13. Provost's Office-- Notification of Approval
14. Registrar Final
15. Catalog Editor Final

Approval Path

1. 02/27/20 1:36 pm
Jeannie Hulen (jhulen): Rollback to Initiator
2. 02/27/20 2:09 pm
Jeannie Hulen (jhulen): Approved for ARSC Dean Initial
3. 03/03/20 2:20 pm
Alice Griffin

<p>Program Delivery Method</p> <p>Is this program interdisciplinary?</p> <p>Does this proposal impact any courses from another College/School?</p> <p>What are the total hours needed to complete the program? 15</p>	<p>(agriffin): Approved for Director of Program Assessment and Review</p> <p>4. 03/03/20 2:40 pm Lisa Kulczak (lkulcza): Approved for Registrar Initial</p> <p>5. 03/03/20 2:43 pm Gary Gunderman</p>
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On-line/Web-based Information

<p>Reason for offering Web-based Program</p> <p>Maximum Class Size for Web-based Courses 22</p> <p>Course delivery mode</p> <p>Class interaction mode</p> <p>Percent Online</p> <p>Provide a List of Services Supplied by Consortia Partners or Outsourced Organization</p> <p>Estimate Costs of the Program over the First 3 Years No extra costs</p> <p>List Courses Taught by Adjunct Faculty</p>	<p>(ggunderm): Approved for Institutional Research</p> <p>6. 03/03/20 3:03 pm William Quinn (wquinn): Approved for ENGL Chair</p> <p>7. 03/20/20 10:45 am Ryan Cochran (rcc003): Approved for ARSC Curriculum Committee</p> <p>8. 03/20/20 11:43 am Jeannie Hulen (jhulen): Approved for ARSC Dean</p> <p>9. 03/23/20 12:31 pm Suzanne Kenner (skenner): Approved for Global Campus</p> <p>10. 03/25/20 10:22 am Terry Martin (tmartin): Approved for Provost Review</p> <p>History</p> <p>1. Apr 23, 2019 by Ryan Cochran (rcc003)</p>
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23.1304 - Rhetoric and Composition.

Rhetoric and Writing Studies Minor

On Campus

Online/Web-based

No

No

To better serve online students in Arkansas and beyond. Our hope is to provide professional and technical writing instruction for students looking to finish their degree to get a college degree that will help them communicate via the written word in the workplace. This is also due to repeated demands for many of these courses online and in consultation with Global Campus.

100% with No Required Campus Component

Library services, Global campus services, service learning partners such as US Geological Survey Water Quality Team

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Memorandum of

Understanding Forms

(if required)

Program Requirements and Description

Requirements

Requirements for a minor in Rhetoric and Writing Studies

Students must complete 15 hours from among the following courses:

15

ENGL 2003	Advanced Composition
ENGL 2013	Essay Writing
ENGL 2173	Literacy in America
ENGL 3053	Technical and Professional Writing (ACTS Equivalency = ENGL 2023)
ENGL 3603	Topics in Rhetoric and Composition
ENGL 4003	English Language and Composition for Teachers
ENGL 4903	Studies in Rhetoric and Composition

Total Hours

15

8-Semester Plan

Are Similar Programs available in the area?

No

70 per year

Estimated Student
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Scheduled Program na
Review Date

Program Goals and
Objectives

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The proposed minor seeks

- to add an option for advanced writing instruction for non-English majors;
- to improve the professional profile of U of A undergraduates; and
- to expand student awareness and knowledge base of a key field in the humanities.

Learning Outcomes

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Students completing the proposed minor will be able to

- demonstrate awareness of the scope and variety of research in the field of Rhetoric and Writing Studies;
- engage in rhetorical analysis that employs conventional terminology and methodology in the field of Rhetoric and Writing Studies;
- produce original work that presents unique ideas and insights into aspects of effective communication;
- appreciate the rhetorical principles that inform the communicative choices people commonly make.

Description and justification of the request

Description of specific change	Justification for this change
Offering online	To better serve online students in Arkansas and beyond. Our hope is to provide professional and technical writing instruction for students looking to finish their degree to get a college degree that will help them communicate via the written word in the workplace. This is also due to repeated demands for many of these courses online and in consultation with Global Campus.

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Reviewer Comments

Jeannie Hulen (jhulen) (02/27/20 1:36 pm): Rollback: Requested by Adam Pope

Alice Griffin (agriffin) (03/03/20 2:19 pm): There are no curriculum changes being proposed with this request. Therefore, it is possible for the program to be approved for online offering by fall 2020.

