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PROPOSED COURSE ADDITION OR REVISION
Deadline for Area approval: 21 October 2011

Proposer: Alan Eastham

Date: Oct. 3 2011

Department/Program: Politics & International Relations

Area: Social Science

Check appropriate boxes:

☐ New permanent course

☐ New temporary course
☐ Make temporary course permanent
☐ Eliminate a course

    ☐ Replaces existing course:

☒ Change to existing course: POLI 282: Comparative Foreign Policy

Proposal — one sentence summary:

Change course name and description. The current title ("Comparative Foreign Policy") is not an accurate description of the material and methods used in the course. Catalogue copy below contains minor revisions from what currently appears.

Proposed subject code(s) (indicate both if cross-listing):

Proposed course # or level: POLI 282

Proposed course title: Foreign Policy Analysis

Proposed course catalog copy:

A survey of methods of foreign policy analysis and their application to the foreign policy decision-making systems, internal political constraints, and world system influences on a select number of nation-states representing the diversity extant in the contemporary world. Comparative analysis will be used to understand, predict, and develop strategies to influence foreign policy decisions and actions.

Prerequisites/co-requisites and/or recommended prior courses, as listed in catalog copy:

How will the proposed revision affect any catalog lists of options for majors or minors?

This course will still fulfill the Foreign Policy course requirement for IR majors

Rationale for course within departmental and collegiate context and based on assessment results:

Proposed general education code(s) (check all that apply):

☐ EA ☐ HP ☐ LS ☐ NS ☐ NS-L ☐ SB ☐ VA ☐ QS ☐ W1 ☐ FL [Curriculum Committee]

☐ CW [CW Committee]   ☐ W2 [Writing Across the Curriculum Committee]

Proposed Odyssey code(s) (check all that apply):

☐ AC ☐ GA ☐ PL ☐ SW ☐ UR ☐ SP [CEL Committee/Curriculum Committee]

For each of the checked general education or Odyssey codes, describe how the course fulfills the published criteria (see the Catalog, pages 18-23 or the Odyssey Program Guide, pages 10-16):

Justification for cross-listing:

How often will the course be offered?

Who will teach the course?

Equipment, supply, and bibliographic requirements (items and cost):

Will the above items be covered by a present budget? ☐ Yes   ☐ No

Approval Chain (type name and date of approval)

Department chair: Jay Barth (10/3/11)

Area chair: Allison K. Shutt, 10/12/11