

Curriculum Change Form
(Present only one proposed curriculum change per form)
(Complete only the section(s) applicable.)

Part I

(Check one) <input type="checkbox"/> New Course (Parts II, IV) <input type="checkbox"/> Course Revision (Parts II, IV) <input type="checkbox"/> Course Dropped (Part II) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New Program (Part III) <input type="checkbox"/> Program Revision (Part III) <input type="checkbox"/> Program Suspended (Part III)	Department Name _____ College <u>Arts and Sciences</u> *Course Prefix & Number _____ *Course Title (<u>30 characters</u>) _____ *Program Title <u>African/African-American Studies</u> (Major __, Option __; Minor <u>x</u> ; or Certificate __) *Provide only the information relevant to the proposal.		
Proposal Approved by:			
	<u>Date</u>		<u>Date</u>
Departmental Committee	<u>12/10/02</u>	Graduate Council*	<u>NA</u>
College Curriculum Committee	<u>3-3-03</u>	Council on Academic Affairs	<u> </u>
General Education Committee*	<u>NA</u>	Approved <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Disapproved <input type="checkbox"/>	<u>03-28-03</u>
Teacher Education Committee*	<u>NA</u>	Faculty Senate**	<u> </u>
		Board of Regents**	<u> </u>
		Council on Postsecondary Edu.***	<u>NA</u>
*If Applicable (Type NA if not applicable.) **Approval needed for new, revised, or suspended programs ***Approval/Posting needed for new degree program or certificate program			

Completion of A, B, and C is required: (Please be specific, but concise.)

A. 1. Specific action requested: (Example: To increase the number of credit hours for ABC 100 from 1 to 2.)
 To approve the proposed African/African-American Studies (AFA) Program.

A. 2. Effective date: (Example: Fall 2001)
 Fall 2003

A. 3. Effective date of suspended programs for currently enrolled students: (if applicable)

B. The justification for this action:
 The university needs the African/African-American Studies program for the purposes of recruiting and retaining students and to increase diversity awareness and training on campus.

C. The projected cost (or savings) of this proposal is as follows:

Personnel Impact:
 Cost--None

Operating Expenses Impact: \$5, 000

Equipment/Physical Facility Needs: Office space and office equipments.

Library Resources: The University has adequate library resources to support the program.

Part III. Recording Data for New, Revised, or Suspended Program

1. For a new program, provide the catalog description as being proposed.
2. For a revised program, provide (a) the current program requirements and (b) the revised program, reflecting the exact changes being proposed.
3. For a suspended program, provide the current program requirements as shown in catalog. List any options and/or minors affected by the program's suspension.

Current Program Requirements as Shown in Catalog

New Program

(*Use ~~strikeout~~ for deletions and underlines for additions.)

AFRICAN/AFRICAN-AMERICAN STUDIES

CIP Code: 05.0101

African/African-American Studies is an undergraduate interdisciplinary program that explores the histories, societies, and cultures of Africans and people of African descent in the Americas. Courses will be offered from a broad range of disciplines, including the arts and humanities (English, History, Music, Philosophy and Religion), social sciences (Political Science, Economics, Geography, Foreign Languages, Sociology, Psychology, Criminology), and health sciences (Environmental Health, Nursing).

Minor in African/African-American Studies

A student may complete a certificate in African/African-American Studies by taking 12 hours as indicated below.

Core Requirements **6 hours**
AAF 201, 202.

Electives..... **12 hours**

Six hours from the following courses:

CJR 345; ECO 395 EHS 225; ENG 342; HIS 305, 385, 386, 387, 507; MUS 250, 254*, 285*, 454*; SOC 345, 400, 463.

The following courses can also be taken with the program Advisor's approval: ANT 435; ENG 200, 347, 550; FCC 210, 226; GEO 300, 347, 498; HIS 300, 312; PHI 390; POL 345; PSY 400, 495; SOC 345.

Total Curriculum Requirements..... **18 hours**

*Advanced; Prerequisites required.