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M E M O R A N D U M

TO: The Senate

FROM: Dr. Lois Pierce, Senate Chairperson *LP/gma*

DATE: February 15, 1996

The 1995-96 Senate is scheduled to meet at 3 p.m. on Tuesday, February 20, in 222 J. C. Penney. The agenda follows:

- I. Approve minutes from previous meeting (action item)
- II. Report from the Chairperson -- Dr. Lois Pierce
- III. Report from the Chancellor -- Chancellor Blanche Touhill
- IV. Report from the Faculty Council -- Dr. Charles Larson
- V. Report from the Intercampus Faculty Council -- Dr. Susan Feigenbaum
- VI. Report from the Student Government Association -- Ms. J. Elizabeth Titlow
- VII. Committee reports:
 - A. Curriculum and Instruction (action item, see attached) -- Dr. Lawrence Friedman
 - B. Appointments, Tenure, and Promotion -- Dr. Dennis Judd
 - C. Physical Facilities and General Services -- Dr. Lawrence Barton
 - D. Executive Committee -- Dr. Lois Pierce
 - E. Student Election Subcommittee -- Dr. Bruce Wilking
- VIII. Other business
 - A. Report from Benefits Committee -- Dr. Susan Feigenbaum
 - B. Report on beverage contract -- Ms. Gloria Schultz

REMINDERS: IF YOU HAVE NOT ALREADY DONE SO, PLEASE RETURN YOUR COMMITTEE SERVICE PREFERENCE POLL AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

THE DEADLINE FOR VOTING IN THE FINAL ELECTION FOR 1996-97 FACULTY SENATORS IS 5 P.M. ON FEBRUARY 21.

STUDENTS INTERESTED IN SERVING ON NEXT YEAR'S SENATE MUST FILE THEIR CANDIDACY BY 10 A.M. ON FEBRUARY 29.

REPORT FROM THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION
February 1, 1996

I. The Committee has approved the course additions/
changes/eliminations noted below:

Art History 288	add	"UM-St. Louis/Saint Louis Art Museum Internship"	3 hours
ESL 390	add	"Special Readings"	1-3 hours
ESL 400	add	"International Teaching Assistant Seminar"	2 hours
Art Studio 260	add	"Digital Photography II"	3 hours
Biology 228	add	"Introduction to Biotechnology"	4 hours
French 170	add	"Composition and Conversation"	3 hours
German 170	add	"Composition and Conversation"	3 hours
History 83	add	"The African Diaspora To 1800"	3 hours
History 84	add	"The African Diaspora Since 1800"	3 hours
Music Theory and Composition 142	add	"Choral Arranging"	2 hours
Sociology 245	add	"Sociology of South Africa"	3 hours
French 171	drop	"French Conversation and Pronunciation"	3 hours
French 172	drop	"French Composition"	3 hours
German 171	drop	"German Conversation and Pronunciation"	3 hours
German 172	drop	"German Composition"	3 hours
Sociology 30	drop	"Interpretation of Social Data"	3 hours
Sociology 90	drop	"Freshman Seminar"	3 hours
Sociology 106	drop	"Development of Social Thought"	3 hours

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Sociology 218	drop	"Social Choice in Political-Economic Systems"	3 hours
Chemistry 3	change prerequisite	"General Chemistry Laboratory"	2 hours
Chemistry 122	change description	"Quantitative Analysis"	3 hours
Chemistry 230	change prerequisite, description	"Physical Chemistry for the Life Sciences"	4 hours
Chemistry 263	change description	"Techniques of Organic Chemistry"	2 hours
Chemistry 289	change description	"Seminar"	1 hour
English 10	change description	"Freshman Composition"	3 hours
English 211	change description	"Advanced Expository Writing for International Students"	3 hours
French 180	change prerequisite	"Readings in French"	3 hours
French 200	change prerequisite	"Advanced Grammar"	3 hours
French 205	change prerequisite	"Commercial French"	3 hours
French 211	change title, prerequisite, description	"Contemporary French Culture"	3 hours
French 271	change prerequisite	"Intermediate French Conversation"	3 hours
French 280	change prerequisite	"French Literature I: Middle Ages to Eighteenth Century"	3 hours
French 281	change prerequisite	"French Literature II: Nineteenth and Twentieth Centuries"	3 hours
German 180	change prerequisite	"Readings in German"	3 hours

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German 208	change prerequisite	"Intermediate Composition and Conversation"	3 hours
Spanish 200	change prerequisite	"Syntax of the Spanish Language"	3 hours
Spanish 210	change prerequisite	"Hispanic Culture and Civilization: Spain"	3 hours
Spanish 211	change prerequisite	"Hispanic Culture and Civilization: Spanish America"	3 hours
Spanish 280	change prerequisite, description	"Introduction to Hispanic Literature: Spain"	3 hours
Spanish 281	change prerequisite, description	"Introduction to Hispanic Literature: Spanish America"	3 hours
Mathematics 103	change prerequisite	"Matrix Algebra and Probability Theory"	4 hours
Physics 283	change description	"Chemistry/Physics Teaching Intern Seminar"	1 hour
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Astronomy 12	change prerequisite	"The Violent Universe and the New Astronomy"	3 hours
Social Work 210	change prerequisite	"Introduction to Interventive Strategies for Social Work Practice"	3 hours
Sociology 40	change prerequisite	"Social Problems"	3 hours
Sociology 100	change prerequisite	"Women in Contemporary Society"	3 hours
Sociology 102	change prerequisite	"Sex Roles in Contemporary Society"	3 hours
Sociology 105	change prerequisite	"Group Prejudice and Minority Identity"	3 hours
Sociology 200	change prerequisite, description	"Sociology of Deviant Behavior"	3 hours

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Sociology 210	change prerequisite	"Sociological Theory"	3 hours
Sociology 234	change prerequisite	"Political Sociology"	3 hours
Sociology 260	change prerequisite	"Social Interaction in Small Groups"	3 hours
Sociology 264	change prerequisite	"The Sociology of Religion"	3 hours
Sociology 268	change prerequisite	"The Sociology of Conflict"	3 hours
Sociology 270	change prerequisite	"Socialization"	3 hours
Sociology 278	change prerequisite	"Sociology of Law"	3 hours
Sociology 280	change prerequisite	"Society and Technology"	3 hours
Physics 357	add	"Subatomic Physics"	3 hours
CNS ED 426	add	"Advanced Theories of Counseling and Family Therapy"	3 hours
JME 344	add	"Solar Energy"	3 hours
Physics 370	change title	"Relativity and Cosmology"	3 hours
ED PSY 312	change prerequisite	"Psychology of Teaching and Learning"	3 hours
ED PSY 416	change prerequisite, description	"Psychology of Early Childhood Development"	3 hours
ED PSY 417	change prerequisite, description	"Psychology of the Elementary School Child"	3 hours
ED PSY 418	change prerequisite, description	"The Psychology of Adolescence"	3 hours
JME 331	change prerequisite	"Control Systems I"	3 hours

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- II. The Committee wishes to inform the Senate that minor "housekeeping" changes have been made to the degree requirements, minors, and certificates listed below:
- A. Undergraduate Certificate in Conservation Biology (to add electives that were omitted by accident)
 - B. B.A. in English (to simplify by referring to "areas" rather than specific course numbers, and to clarify that introductory courses in American literature are prerequisites for 300-level courses)
 - C. B.F.A. in Studio Art (to correct errors in counting hours and in listing courses, and to add a course)
 - D. B.A. in French (to replace courses that have been combined under another number)
 - E. B.A. in German (to replace courses that have been combined under another number)
 - F. B.A. in Spanish (to require an additional course designed to better prepare students for upper-level offerings)
 - G. B.A. in History (to allow students to choose whether to emphasize the traditional breadth of coverage or depth by taking additional coursework in one of several areas, to specify that at least 14 hours of 300-level history courses must be taken in residence, and to require that one of the courses be History 393, the capstone)
 - H. B.A. in Mathematics and B.S. in Education Majoring in Secondary Education with an Emphasis in Mathematics (to require that all candidates for a degree in mathematics have some background in statistics and some exposure to computing and computer science)
 - I. B.A. in Music (to parallel changes made to B.M.E. degree)
 - J. Bachelor of Music with Elective Studies in Business (to parallel changes made to B.M.E. degree)
 - K. B.S. in Physics (to delete courses no longer being offered)

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- L. B.S.W. (to state admissions policy, as required by accrediting body)
 - M. French Minor (to replace courses that have been combined under another number)
 - N. German Minor (to replace courses that have been combined under another number)
 - O. Spanish Minor (to require an additional course designed to better prepare students for upper-level offerings)
- III. The Committee recommends Senate approval for a new certificate program, the Africana Studies Certificate (see attached).

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SENATE PROPOSAL FORM FOR (check one): () NEW DEGREE PROGRAM
() NEW MINOR
(X) NEW CERTIFICATE PROGRAM
(See Instructions on Reverse)

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Interdisciplinary/
Center for International Studies
Department

Signed: J. O'Brien 08/01/95
Department Chair Date

College of Arts and Sciences
School or College

Signed: Martin Sage/9c 12-7-95
Dean Date

ROUTING:
Academic Affairs AT 12-14-95
Graduate School
(if applicable) /
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Academic Affairs /
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AFRICANA STUDIES CERTIFICATE
Title of Degree/Minor/Certificate Program

Are other departments likely to be affected by this proposal? () no (X) yes--list departments and secure sign-offs

See attached (page 2)

Rationale for proposed new degree/minor/certificate:

see attached (page 3)

Program description for Bulletin:

see attached (pages 4-5)

I. Other departments affected by the Africana Studies
Certificate proposal:

Van A. G. [Signature]
Dept. of Anthropology

8/3/95
Date

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Dept. of Art & Art History

8-10-95
Date

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Dept. of Communication

8-14-95
Date

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Dept. of English

8-16-95
Date

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Dept. of History

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Dept. of Music

8-18-95
Date

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Dept. of Political Science

8/23/95
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Dept. of Psychology

8/28/95
Date

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Dept. of Sociology

9/27/95
Date

II. Rationale for Certificate.

The Africana Studies Certificate, which combines course offerings from several departments, makes it possible for students to earn the equivalent of a minor in African Studies or in African Diaspora Studies. Now that the campus has a critical mass of African specialists on the faculty, students should be given the opportunity to develop an integrated program of study in this area. The certificate is sponsored by the Center for International Studies in cooperation with the Departments of Anthropology, Art and Art History, Communication, English, History, Music, Political Science, Psychology, and Sociology.

AFRICANA STUDIES CERTIFICATE

Students seeking the Africana Studies Certificate have two options: an emphasis in African Studies and an emphasis in African Diaspora Studies.

I. AFRICAN STUDIES:

At least one for
1) [^] course in two of the following four areas, [^] a total of nine hours:

Area 1: Anthropology
124, Cultures of Africa

Area 2: Art and Art History
117, African Art

Area 3: History
81, African Civilization to 1800
82, African Civilization Since 1800

Area 4: Political Science
258, African Politics

2) One course in two of the following areas, a total of six hours:

Area 1: Anthropology
234, Cultural Continuity and Change in Sub-saharan Africa
235, Women in Sub-saharan Africa

Area 2: Art and Art History
*215, Topics in Tribal Arts

*Note Students should take Art History 215 only when the topic is appropriate to Africa.

Area 3: History
380, West Africa to 1800
381, West Africa Since 1800
382, History of Southern Africa

Area 4: Sociology
245, Sociology of South Africa

3) An independent study course (three hours) in which a research paper will be written on some aspect of one of the fields offered in the program.

II. AFRICAN DIASPORA STUDIES

- 1) Interdisciplinary 40: The Black World, three hours.
- 2) One course from each of the following areas, a total of six hours.

Area 1: Africa

Anthropology 124: Cultures of Africa
History 81: African Civilization to 1800
History 82: African Civilization Since 1800

Area 2: Diaspora

Anthropology 05: Human Origins
History 83: The African Diaspora to 1800
History 84: The African Diaspora Since 1800
History 120: Black History in the United States
History 212: African-American History: From Civil Rights to Black Power

3. At least one course from each of the following areas, a total of nine hours:

Area 1: Africa

Anthropology 234: Cultural Continuity and Change in Sub-saharan Africa
Anthropology 235: Contemporary Women in Sub-saharan Africa
Art History 117: African Art
History 380: West Africa to 1800
History 381: West Africa Since 1800
History 382: History of Southern Africa
Political Science 258: African Politics
Sociology 245: Sociology of South Africa

Area 2: Diaspora

Communication 332: Intercultural Communication
English 70: African-American Literature
History 385: African Diaspora To 1800
History 386: African Diaspora Since 1800
Music 6: Introduction to African-American Music
Political Science 232: African Americans and the Political System
*Psychology 392: Selected Topics in Psychology:
African American Psychology
Sociology 360: Sociology of Minority Groups

*Note: Students should take Psychology 392 only when the *African American Psychology* topic is offered.