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Deadlines:

Regular proposals: October 18, 2002 to be implemented Fall 2003; Short-Term proposals: December 6, 2002 to be implemented Fall 2003  
Regular proposals: February 14, 2003 to be implemented Spring 2004; March 21, 2003 short-term courses to be implemented Spring 2004

PROPOSAL TITLE: Change in Definition of Junior Standing as a Business Administration Major

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DEPARTMENT: Marketing

COLLEGE: Business

If Liberal Arts & Sciences CHECK :  History/Humanities  Math/Sciences  Social/Behavioral Sciences

UNDERGRADUATE  GRADUATE

THE ATTACHED NON-GEN-ED PROPOSAL IS BEST DESCRIBED BY THE ITEM(S) CHECKED.

- New non-gen-ed course
- Non-gen-ed degree requirements
- Short-term non-gen-ed course
- Major
- Minor curricular changes (fewer than three)
- Minor, specialization, concentration, track, certificate program
- Existing non-gen-ed course

The following signatures REPRESENT APPROVAL

Department Chair: [Signature] Date: 10/18/02  
Department Curriculum Chair: [Signature] Date: 10/18/02  
Academic Dean: [Signature] Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
College Curriculum Chair: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

College Curriculum Committee OPEN HEARING Date: 12/11/02 Approved  Not Approved

UNIVERSITY CURRICULUM COMMITTEE

Senate Curriculum Chair Signature: [Signature] Date: Senate Announcement/Vote: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_  
EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT/PROVOST Signature: [Signature] Date: 4/25/03

Approved ~ Not Approved due to the following:  Student Cr Hrs  Faculty Load Hrs  Equalized Cr Hrs

REGISTRAR

Date: 4/30/03 Course Description Received & Approved ~ Hegis Taxonomy & Course #: \_\_\_\_\_

Registrar Signature: [Signature]

NOTIFICATION FORWARD

SCC Chair  Academic Dean  Department Chair  Registrar  Sponsor(s)

Hand: 5/19/03

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**ROWAN UNIVERSITY  
COLLEGE OF BUSINESS  
MINOR CURRICULUM CHANGE**

**Proposal Number 02-03-116**

**(Revised 12/12/2002)**

**1. Details:**

a. Change in definition of **Junior Standing as a Business Major**.

b. Sponsors:

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c. Current definition:

**Junior Standing as a Business Administration (0501) or Accounting (0503)**

**Major is defined as:**

1. Minimum of 60 credit hours completed
2. Business Administration (0501) or Accounting (0503) Major
3. Completion of the following courses:

Composition II or equivalent      1501.112

College Algebra or equivalent      1701.123

Statistics I                              1702.260

Computing Environments              0701.200

Microeconomics                        2204.102

Macroeconomics                        2204.101

Legal Environment of Business      1498.242

Accounting II                            0503.211

Business Perspectives                 0501.105

Proposed definition:

**Junior Standing as a Business Administration (0501) or Accounting Major (0503) is defined as:**

1. Minimum of **57** credit hours completed
2. Business Administration (0501) or Accounting (0503) Major

**2. Rationale:**

- The College has decided to give more autonomy to the individual departments to set prerequisites for courses in the department. The individual departments have affixed specific prerequisites for their courses. Currently, the departments in the College provide waivers to all students who have completed 57 credits (instead of 60 credits). For this reason, the departments in the College wish to lower the number of credits for Junior standing from 60 to 57 so that all students must complete 57 credits before they take upper division courses.

**b. Curricular effect:**

This proposal will not change any requirements. There will be no impact on faculty. No additional resources of any kind will be required to implement these changes. The course prerequisite checking system, however, will need to be updated to reflect this change.

### **3. Results of Consultation:**