

Library Resource Form Required

Submission Deadlines: Fall - October 11, 2005 Spring - February 14, 2006

TITLE Changing Hegis Number for Survey of Criminal Justice

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DESCRIBE: **UNDERGRADUATE** **GRADUATE**
 New Degree Program New concentration, special session, track
 New Major New Minor
 New Certificate of Graduate Study Program (COGS & COGA)
 Major changes of degree requirements/major/minor or certificate program
 Changes to College name, School, Department, or Degree
 Quasi curricular change
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5/23/06

Signatures Required: representing approval before submission to Office of the Senate

Department Chair: *[Signature]* Date: 10-7-05
Department CURRICULUM Chair: *[Signature]* Date: 10-5-05
Academic DEAN: *[Signature]* Date: 10-11-05

COLLEGE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE: Open Hearing Date: 11/04/05
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Signature: College Curriculum Chair *Natalie Leaver* 1/23/06

Signature: SENATE CURRICULUM CHAIR *[Signature]*
Date: 2/27/06

Comments: _____

Signature: Executive Vice President/Provost: *[Signature]*
Date: 3/16/06

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Date: 3/21/06
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Course Description Received & Approved
Hegis Taxonomy & Course # LAWJ 05.175

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Minor Curriculum Change Proposal

Details

- a. Change Hegis number of Survey of Criminal Justice from 2105.275 to a 100 level
- b. Sponsor: Dr. Michael S. Vigorita

Rationale

a. Survey of Criminal Justice is now a required entry-level course within Law and Justice Studies. Prior to this year it was an elective while students were required to take three other entry-level courses. Curriculum changes last year changed our requirements. Since Survey is now the base level course it should be a 100 level course and not a 200 level elective. The course will be taught at the appropriate level with an emphasis on preparing students for their upper-level course-work in Criminal Justice rather than taught as a general-education course for non-majors (as was previously the case, although Survey is still a General Education Course).

b. Changing the Hegis number better reflects the sequence of courses our students should be taking.

- c. It does not affect requirements within the major.

Consultation

As this change does not affect other departments, there is no need for letters of consultation.