

UNIVERSITY FACULTY SENATE FORMS

Academic Program Approval

This form is a routing document for the approval of new and revised academic programs. Proposing department should complete this form. For more information, call the Faculty Senate Office at 831-2921.

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Department: Foreign Languages & Literatures email address alg@udel.edu

Action: Revise major concentration

Effective term 10F

Current degree BA

Proposed change leads to the degree of: BA

Proposed name: Three Languages
Proposed new name for revised or new major / minor / concentration / academic unit
(if applicable)

Revising or Deleting:

Undergraduate major / Concentration: Three Languages - BAFL
(Example: Applied Music – Instrumental degree BMAS)

Undergraduate minor: _____
(Example: African Studies, Business Administration, English, Leadership, etc.)

Graduate Program Policy statement change: _____
(Must attach your Graduate Program Policy Statement)

Graduate Program of Study: _____
(Example: Animal Science: MS Animal Science: PHD Economics: MA Economics: PHD)

Graduate minor / concentration: _____

Note: all graduate studies proposals must include an electronic copy of the Graduate Program Policy Document, highlighting the changes made to the original policy document.

List new courses required for the new or revised curriculum. How do they support the overall program objectives of the major/minor/concentrations)?

None

Explain, when appropriate, how this new/revised curriculum supports the 10 goals of undergraduate education: <http://www.ugs.udel.edu/gened/>

Proposed revisions will not affect the manner in which this major concentration currently supports these 10 goals. It is geared towards providing students with an awareness of and real sensitivity to diverse cultures (their literature, art, and social systems) from a global perspective and achieved through classroom discussion, collaboration with classmates, in-depth study of literature and other forms of cultural expression (such as film).

Identify other units affected by the proposed changes:

(Attach permission from the affected units. If no other unit is affected, enter "None")

None

Describe the rationale for the proposed program change(s):

(Explain your reasons for creating, revising, or deleting the curriculum or program.)

Proposed modifications are meant to streamline and clarify (e.g. combine credit totals where possible). The greatest change is eliminating a distinction made in years past – and difficult to “define” - between Western and non-Western languages in the Third Language component of the major. Additionally, the proposed revisions will reduce the total number of credits in this major concentration, bringing it in line with other concentrations in our Department.

Program Requirements:

(Show the new or revised curriculum as it should appear in the Course Catalog. If this is a revision, be sure to indicate the changes being made to the current curriculum and **include a side-by-side comparison** of the credit distribution before and after the proposed change.)

DEGREE: BACHELOR OF ARTS	
MAJOR: FOREIGN LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES	
CONCENTRATION: THREE LANGUAGES	
MAJOR REQUIREMENTS	
First Language	
Six first-language elective credits at the 200-level and above.....	6
<i>Nine credits</i> in literature at the 300 and 400-level (at least three credits at each level).....	9
<i>Nine</i> additional credits at the 300- and 400-level.....	9
Second Language	
Six second-language elective credits at the 200-level and above.....	6
<i>Nine</i> credits in literature at the 300 and 400-level (at least three credits at each level).....	9
<i>Three</i> additional credits at the 400-level.....	3
Third Language	
<i>Twelve to fifteen credits</i> of third-language courses (at least six credits at or above the 200-level for <i>Western language</i>).....	12-15
A three-credit capstone experience: FLLT 490 or FLLT 495 (Senior thesis or equivalent fulfills the capstone requirements).....	
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ELECTIVES	
After required courses are completed, sufficient elective credits must be taken to meet the minimum credit requirement for the degree.	
CREDITS TO TOTAL A MINIMUM OF.....	124
Notes:	
(1) Selection of First Language is limited to those languages in which the Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures offers a major. The second language may be selected from languages in which the Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures offers a major or a minor.	
(2) Students enrolled in the Three Languages Major are strongly encouraged to participate in at least one of the study abroad programs sponsored by the Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures.	

DEGREE: BACHELOR OF ARTS	
MAJOR: FOREIGN LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES	
CONCENTRATION: THREE LANGUAGES ***REVISED	
MAJOR REQUIREMENTS	
First Language	
Six credits at the 200-level and above.....	6
<i>Eighteen credits</i> at the 300 and 400-level (at least six credits at the 400 level).....	18
Second Language	
Six credits at the 200-level and above.....	6
<i>Twelve</i> credits at the 300 and 400-level (at least six credits at the 400 level).....	12
Third Language	
Six credits at or above the 200-level).....	6
A three-credit capstone experience: FLLT 490 or FLLT 495 (Senior thesis or equivalent fulfills the capstone requirements) 3	
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ROUTING AND AUTHORIZATION: (Please do not remove supporting documentation.)

Department Chairperson Richard A. Zippier Date 10/26/09

Dean of College _____ Date _____

Chairperson, College Curriculum Committee _____ Date _____

Chairperson, Senate Com. on UG or GR Studies _____ Date _____

Chairperson, Senate Coordinating Com. _____ Date _____

Secretary, Faculty Senate _____ Date _____

Date of Senate Resolution _____ Date to be Effective _____

Registrar _____ Program Code _____ Date _____

Vice Provost for Academic Programs & Planning _____ Date _____

Provost _____ Date _____

Board of Trustee Notification _____ Date _____

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