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COMMITTEE ON CURRICULA AND COURSES

Proposal to Change an Existing Course

Last revised: September 24, 2013

1. Date: April 8, 2014
2. Department requesting this course: Public Policy
3. Nature of Proposed Change: Add change name and catalog copy.
4. If proposing to add this course to a CLAS general education area A-E, then
   a. Specify a CLAS area, A-E: ____
   b. Provide justification for inclusion in CLAS area, A-E:
   (Please consult CLAS guidelines for areas A-E.)
5. Effective Date (semester, year): Immediate

(Consult Registrar's change catalog site to determine earliest possible effective date. If a later date is desired, indicate here.)

Current Catalog Copy

PP 5362. Organization and Management
3 credits. Seminar

The application of organization theory and research findings; their relation to public organizations.

Proposed Catalog Copy

(See information in the "Add a course" form if you have any questions regarding specific items.)

PP 5362. Applied Management Project
3 credits. Seminar. Open to MPA students only.

PP 5370 Applied Research Design is a prerequisite.

The application of management concepts and theory, research and practice to problems facing public and nonprofit organizations. This course is an MPA capstone option.

Justification

1. Reasons for changing this course: The Master of Public Administration (MPA) program recently completed a curriculum review. The new title better reflects

the intention of the course – which is to familiarize MPA students with hands-on client work as well as rigorous methods of data collection, reporting and presentation. This course is a capstone option for MPA students.

2. Effect on Department's curriculum: None
3. Other departments consulted: None
4. Effects on other departments: None
5. Effects on regional campuses: None
6. Staffing: No changes
7. Dates approved by
   Department Curriculum Committee:
   Department Faculty:
8. Name, Phone Number, and e-mail address of principal contact person:

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