GENERAL STUDIES COURSE PROPOSAL COVER FORM

Course information:
Copy and paste current course information from Class Search/Course Catalog.

College/School: New College of Interdisciplinary Arts and Sciences
Department: School of Humanities, Arts & Cultural Studies
Prefix: NE
Number: 300
Title: International Cities
Units: 3

Is this a cross-listed course? No
If yes, please identify course(s)

Is this a shared course? No
If so, list all academic units offering this course

Note - For courses that are crosslisted and/or shared, a letter of support from the chair/director of each department that offers the course is required for each designation requested. By submitting this letter of support, the chair/director agrees to ensure that all faculty teaching the course are aware of the General Studies designation(s) and will teach the course in a manner that meets the criteria for each approved designation.

Is this a permanent numbered course with topics? Yes
If yes, all topics under this permanent numbered course must be taught in a manner that meets the criteria for the approved designation(s). It is the responsibility of the chair/director to ensure that all faculty teaching the course are aware of the General Studies designation(s) and adhere to the above guidelines.

Course description:
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Requested designation: Global Awareness-G

Mandatory Review: (Choose one)

Eligibility:
Permanent numbered courses must have completed the university's review and approval process.
For the rules governing approval of omnibus courses, contact Phyllis.Lucie@asu.edu.

Submission deadlines dates are as follow:
For Fall 2016 Effective Date: October 1, 2015
For Spring 2017 Effective Date: March 10, 2016

Area(s) proposed course will serve:
A single course may be proposed for more than one core or awareness area. A course may satisfy a core area requirement and more than one awareness area requirements concurrently, but may not satisfy requirements in two core areas simultaneously, even if approved for those areas. With departmental consent, an approved General Studies course may be counted toward both the General Studies requirement and the major program of study.

Checklists for general studies designations:
Complete and attach the appropriate checklist
- Literacy and Critical Inquiry core courses (L)
- Mathematics core courses (MA)
- Computer/statistics/quantitative applications core courses (CS)
- Humanities, Arts and Design core courses (HU)
- Social-Behavioral Sciences core courses (SB)
- Natural Sciences core courses (SQ/SG)
- Cultural Diversity in the United States courses (C)
- Global Awareness courses (G)
- Historical Awareness courses (H)

A complete proposal should include:
- Signed course proposal cover form
- Criteria checklist for General Studies designation(s) being requested
- Course catalog description
- Sample syllabus for the course
- Copy of table of contents from the textbook and list of required readings/books

It is respectfully requested that proposals are submitted electronically with all files compiled into one PDF.

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Arizona State University Criteria Checklist for

GLOBAL AWARENESS [G]

Rationale and Objectives

Human organizations and relationships have evolved from being family and village centered to modern global interdependence. The greatest challenge in the nuclear age is developing and maintaining a global perspective which fosters international cooperation. While the modern world is comprised of politically independent states, people must transcend nationalism and recognize the significant interdependence among peoples of the world. The exposure of students to different cultural systems provides the background of thought necessary to developing a global perspective.

Cultural learning is present in many disciplines. Exposure to perspectives on art, business, engineering, music, and the natural and social sciences that lead to an understanding of the contemporary world supports the view that intercultural interaction has become a daily necessity. The complexity of American society forces people to balance regional and national goals with global concerns. Many of the most serious problems are world issues and require solutions which exhibit mutuality and reciprocity. No longer are hunger, ecology, health care delivery, language planning, information exchanges, economic and social developments, law, technology transfer, philosophy, and the arts solely national concerns; they affect all the people of the world. Survival may be dependent on the ability to generate global solutions to some of the most pressing problems.

The word university, from universitas, implies that knowledge comes from many sources and is not restricted to local, regional, or national perspectives. The Global Awareness Area recognizes the need for an understanding of the values, elements, and social processes of cultures other than the culture of the United States. Learning which recognizes the nature of others cultures and the relationship of America’s cultural system to generic human goals and welfare will help create the multicultural and global perspective necessary for effective interaction in the human community.

Courses which meet the requirement in global awareness are of one or more of the following types: (1) in-depth area studies which are concerned with an examination of culture-specific elements of a region of the world, country, or culture group, (2) the study of contemporary non-English language courses that have a significant cultural component, (3) comparative cultural studies with an emphasis on non-U.S. areas, and (4) in-depth studies of non-U.S. centered cultural interrelationships of global scope such as the global interdependence produced by problems of world ecology, multinational corporations, migration, and the threat of nuclear war.

Reviewed 4/2014
Proposer: Please complete the following section and attach appropriate documentation.

### ASU—[G] CRITERIA

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<td>2d: study the cultural significance of a non-U.S. centered global issue</td>
<td>The course examines the cultural significance of financial markets Japan, Korea, and the UK.</td>
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<td>1. subject matter leads to understanding of contemporary world outside of the U.S.</td>
<td>The course examines a seminal period of history and culture in Rome that leads to an apoporeciation and understanding of iconic artistic and cultural works that are living today.</td>
<td>Session I covers topics about the values of Renaissance Humanism and how it applies today. Session II deals with the Papcy; Session IV examines Machiavelli's The Prince, one of the two most influential books to come out of the Renaissance, and the other, Castigliones The Courtier - both books remain influential today; Session VI deals with Food Then and Now, History of Italian Cuisine, Dining Traditions, Societal Traditions and Modern Rome .</td>
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<td>During the Spring or Winter breaks, students travel to the designated city to experience firsthand what they have been studying in the classroom.</td>
<td>Each day during the travel to Rome students will visit museums, churches, palaces, and university settings to explore firsthand what they had been studying. For example, on day 8 The Renaissance in Southern Umbria :Terni With Professors Mastodonte and Scalise Palazzo Spada is a palace built on behest of Count Michelangelo Spada in the mid-sixteenth century and designed by Antonio da Sangallo the Younger. It currently serves as the town hall for the city of Terni. Alexandre de Rogissart wrote about the palace in the eighteenth century, remarking the beauty of its structure. The inner lounges are decorated with cinquecento frescoes, which were supplement with newer decorations in the 18th century. The palace came to the Massarucci family in the 19th century, and subsequently was given to the Sisters</td>
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NEW 300 International Cities: Rome  
(Permanent Topics Course)

Course Description:
International Cities expands the global awareness of students through intensive study of a major international city. Students study such areas as the history, political system, economy, geography, architecture, science, technology, arts and/or culture of the city before visiting it physically during a break. While abroad, students build on what they have learned in class by exploring the city and experiencing it firsthand.

Prerequisite(s): ENG 102, 105, or 108 with C or better; minimum 30 hours

NEW 300 International Cities: Rome is a 3-credit course designed to introduce students to this seminal period of history and to the culture and traditions of present-day Rome. During the late fifteenth through early sixteenth centuries, Rome became the dominant city responsible for the production of iconic artistic and cultural works that have left their indelible mark upon our own civilization. To better understand the distinctly Roman Renaissance, the first part of our course is an intensive 7.5 week in-class study of the history, politics, economy, geography, and culture of Renaissance Rome and will prepare students for our visit to the Eternal City during Winter Break 2015 to experience first-hand the fruits of their studies.

Course Objectives:
1. To familiarize students with Rome.
2. To promote intercultural understanding.
3. To foster appreciation for global entities, needs, values, and technologies.

Learning Objectives
1. Students will be familiar with the history, political system, economy, geography, architecture, arts and culture of Rome.
2. Students will identify social, political and cultural values and practices exemplified in Rome.
3. Students will share experiences gained from study and travel with the larger ASU community.
4. Students will establish relationships with university counterparts in Rome.

Course Information
The course will meet during the regular semester (Session “B”). We will meet for 2 hours weekly. Travel time will take place after the semester concludes.

Summary of Assignments

Journal: The journal should be comprised of critical reflections on assigned readings. The entry must be 1+ page double-spaced, and discuss an idea, give a response, and/or react to the
reading. The journal will be submitted twice during the semester and evaluated according to a five point scale for a total of 10 points

**Short Essay** - This essay will be a summary and analysis of a collection of readings from the beginning of the semester. Students will be expected to discuss how the sites upon which the readings are based contributed to the making of the Renaissance in Rome. 20 points

**Journal/eBook/project** - Students will produce a project that reflects their learning from the readings and the travel experience and demonstrates their understanding of the Roman Renaissance era. 70 points

**Course Grading**

**Final Grading Scale:**

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**Attendance:** Because discussion is a key component of this course, you are expected to attend and be well-prepared for every class. If you must miss a class, let me know well ahead of time (preferably via e-mail) and make arrangements to redress any neglected work. More than one unexcused absence will adversely affect your final grade, not to mention your informed comprehension of the conditions, which contributed to the Renaissance in Rome where we will travel. It will be YOUR responsibility to stay in touch with me and with the course requirements via Blackboard or during office hours.

Readings for the class (approximately 36 hours) may include but will not be limited to the following topics and subject areas:

1. History of the Renaissance in Italy
2. Humanism
3. Overview of Roman History
4. Roman Art and Architecture
5. Overview of the Papacy
6. Machiavelli’s *The Prince*
7. Castiglione’s *The Courtier*

Contact time in Rome is 6 hours per day for 9 days plus electronic journaling. 10 days after our return from Rome, the final project will be due and is to be submitted electronically. Students will prepare individual work based on a theme of Rome’s history, culture or society. This project may culminate, for example, in the form of an electronic “book” — with photographs, opinion items, research notes, bibliographies, creative and/or academic writing.

**Sample Course Schedule**

**In Class Study:**

**Session I October 14**
History of the Renaissance  
Introduction to Humanism  
**Topics of lecture and discussion:** The values of the Renaissance and humanism; the myth and history of Rome; and the rediscovery of the ancient world.

**Session II October 21**
The Early Popes
The Renaissance Papacy
Rome and the Borgias
**Topics of lecture and discussion:** The Renaissance Papacy; The Borgia Papacy and Alexander VI; Cardinal Borgia and his mistress Vanozza; His children: Cesare and Lucrezia.

**Session III October 28**
The Vatican and the Sistine Chapel
Michelangelo and Raphael
**Topics of lecture and discussion:** Art and Artists of Roman Renaissance

**Session IV November 4**
Machiavelli and Castiglione: Informing the Roman Renaissance
**Topics of lecture and discussion:** Machiavelli’s *The Prince*, one of the two most influential books to come out of the Renaissance, and the other, Castiglione’s *The Courtier*.

**Session V November 18**
The Sack of Romeroque Rome
**Topics of lecture and discussion:** Isabella d' Este and Rome; the fabulous D'Este sisters: Isabella and Beatrice; The Estensi of Ferrara; Isabella witnesses the sack of Rome

**Session VI November 25**
Suggested Supplemental Readings

The best book on the Borgias is Michael Mallett, The Borgias, ISBN: 0586054286. It is currently out of print but there are many used copies of the paperback edition. Another, possibly out of print, yet available book: Julia Cartwright, Isabella D’Este (New York, 1903), one of the most comprehensive studies of the “first woman of the world” as referred to in her own time. Luigi Guicciardini, The Sack of Rome, Italica Press, New York, ISBN 0934977321. Luigi's brother was Francesco Guicciardini; both authors offer us primary source material.

ROME: ACTIVITIES

DAY 1
The Roman Renaissance: Papal works
Via Giulia, la prima via in Roma ad andamento rettilineo, aperta da Bramante Via dei Coronari
Piazza Santa Maria della Pace
Vicolo della Pace, Santa Maria dell’Anima
Piazza Fiammetta (dal nome della casa della donna di Cesare Borgia) Villa Medici
Collina del Pincio, Trinità dei Monti

DAY 2
Piazza Venezia
Piazza Venezia: Palazzo Venezia
Basilica di San Marco (Facciata Rinascimentale)
Monte Capitoline (Mons Capitolinus), one of the seven hills of Rome
Capitoline Museum
Santa Maria d’Ara Coeli (con preziosi affreschi del Pinturicchio)

DAY 3
Santa Maria Sopra la Minerva (frescoes of Filippino Lippi) Basilica di Sant'Agostino in Campo Marzio (Raffaello, Caravaggio) Chiesa di San Luigi dei Francesi (Caravaggio)
Palazzo Madama

DAY 4
Piazza Navona Quarter
S.Maria della Pace
Via di S.Maria dell’Anima
Piazza Sforza-Cesarini.
Campo dei Fiori.
Palazzo della Cancelleria
Piazza Farnese

DAY 5
Vatican City
Piazza san Pietro e Colonnato del Bernini
Basilica di San Pietro
La Basilica di San Pietro in Vaticano
The Vatican Museums
La Pietà
La Loggia di Raffaello The
Borgia Apparments

DAY 6
Sistine Chapel
Botticelli, Michelangelo

DAY 7
Castel Sant'Angelo
Basilica di San Pietro in Vincoli
The Coliseum
Roman Forum

DAY 8
The Renaissance in Southern Umbria: Terni With Professors Mastodonte and Scalise
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Sala Del Consiglio Comunale: Visita alla Pinacoteca e Museo Archeologico
Chiesa di San Francesco
Cascata delle Marmore

**DAY 9**
Acquasparta: Lucrezia Borgia
Palazzo Cesi
Collescipoli: Medieval Castello
Palazzo Catucci: dating back to 1500
Carcere della larga, ed alcune sale all’interno dell’ex palazzo comunale
Palazzo Eroli (Privato e abitato)
Palazzo Ungari
Palazzo Guadagnoli
Palazzo della Genga
Palazzo Rapaccioli in piazza della rocca

**DAY 10**
Visit to the city of Narni and to an artisan’s workplace where Renaissance costumes are created (Narni).

**Final Renaissance Banquet:**
Will be held at the State Culinary/Hospitality Institute featuring costumes and food of the Renaissance and will include a seminar highlighting the culinary traditions and entertainment of the high Renaissance.

**Course Policies**

**Academic Integrity**
Plagiarism or presenting the ideas or words of another writer as your own—can happen intentionally or unintentionally. One of the objectives for this course is to learn the appropriate means of documentation. You should know that you must avoid plagiarism—the act of passing off someone else’s work as your own—at any time. People who buy, borrow, or steal a paper to turn in as their own work know they are plagiarizing. Those who copy word-for-word—or who change a word here and there while copying—without enclosing the copied passage in quotation marks and identifying the author, should know that they are also plagiarizing. The penalties for academic dishonesty are severe, including failure of the class and possible
expulsion from the University. If you put into your own words the information and ideas of another, you must acknowledge the source with: a footnote, a notation in parentheses in the text, quotation marks, or some other device. If you have doubts about the way you are using sources, talk to your instructor!

**Disruptive Behavior**

Disrespectful and disruptive behavior will not be tolerated. Learning occurs in an environment where people can express their ideas freely but in a constructive and non-threatening way. Unacceptable behavior will be dealt with according to the Student Services Manual, SSM 104–02, “Handling Disruptive, Threatening, or Violent Individuals on Campus” guidelines.

**Email Account**

Every student in this university has free access to a personal e-mail account. You will need to set up your account as soon as possible since some assignments will be executed via this service. Also, your instructor's e-mail address, provided in the heading of this syllabus, will enable you to convey questions and comments about course material, and to receive responses in a convenient, timely manner not always possible by phone. Your instructor may also decide to communicate with you using BlackBoard.

**Computer Requirements**

This course requires a computer with Internet access and the following:

- Web browsers (Chrome, Internet Explorer, Mozilla Firefox, or Safari)
- Adobe Acrobat Reader (free)
- Adobe Flash Player (free)

**Use of electronic devices**

Use of recording and electronic devices in class is not permitted, with the exception of computer and computer-like devices used to take notes, conduct research, and fulfill tasks related to course activities. Phones and other hand-held devices should be turned off during class. If a student is expecting an urgent call, they should let the instructor know in advance, leave the phone on vibrate, and excuse themselves to answer outside of class.

**Course/Instructor Evaluation**

The course/instructor evaluation for this course will be conducted online 7-10 days before the last official day of classes of each semester or summer session. Your response(s) to the course/instructor are anonymous and will not be returned to your instructor until after grades have been submitted. The use of a course/instructor evaluation is an important process that allows our college to (1) help faculty improve their instruction, (2) help administrators evaluate instructional quality, (3) ensure high standards of teaching, and (4) ultimately improve instruction and student learning over time.

Completion of the evaluation is not required for you to pass this class and will not affect your grade, but your cooperation and participation in this process is critical. About two weeks before the class finishes, watch for an e-mail with "ASU Course/Instructor Evaluation" in the subject
heading. The email will be sent to your official ASU e-mail address.

**Accessibility Statement**

In compliance with the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Section 504, and the Americans with Disabilities Act as amended (ADAAA) of 2008, professional disability specialists and support staff at the Disability Resource Center (DRC) facilitate a comprehensive range of academic support services and accommodations for qualified students with disabilities.

Qualified students with disabilities may be eligible to receive academic support services and accommodations. Eligibility is based on qualifying disability documentation and assessment of individual need. Students who believe they have a current and essential need for disability accommodations are responsible for requesting accommodations and providing qualifying documentation to the DRC. Every effort is made to provide reasonable accommodations for qualified students with disabilities.

Students who wish to request an accommodation for a disability should contact the DRC by going to https://eoss.asu.edu/drc, calling (480) 965-1234 or emailing DRC@asu.edu. To speak with a specific office, please use the following information:

**Tempe Campus**
http://www.asu.edu/studentaffairs/ed/drc/  
480-965-1234 (Voice)  
480-965-9000 (TTY)

**Polytechnic Campus**
http://www.asu.edu/studentaffairs/ed/drc/  
480.727.1165 (Voice)  
480.727.1009 (TTY)

**West Campus**
http://www.west.asu.edu/drc/  
University Center Building (UCB), Room 130  
602-543-8145 (Voice)

**Downtown Phoenix Campus**
http://campus.asu.edu/downtown/DRC  
University Center Building, Suite 160  
602-496-4321 (Voice)  
602-496-0378 (TTY)