**Section 1. Course Title and Description**

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Course Description:
This travel-study course is designed to provide extra-mural educational experiences, as approved by and under the direction of a faculty member, and may be in cooperation with faculty and administrators at other institutions. Students will participate in hands-on activities and design educational activities for presentation at selected locations. Includes pre-travel orientation, post-travel self-evaluation, and a written report.

**Section 2. Review of Course**

Will this be a common or unique course? (select the appropriate option below)

X This course will be a unique course. (Go to Section 3.)

**Section 3. Other Course Information**

1. Are there instructional staffing impacts?

X Yes. Explain: A New faculty member will be hired. This is a class that is being added to the current architecture curriculum, consistent with travel requirements already seen in other SDSU design majors.

2. Existing program in which course will be offered: Architectural Studies

3. Proposed instructional method: Internship/Practicum

   Provide a brief justification: This class will provide an active learning environment where one-on-one and small group faculty and student interaction is critical. Additionally the other Travel Studies courses use this instructional method, for their applied, monitored and supervised, field-based learning experience wherein students gain practical experience; the instructor may provide supervision or monitoring of small groups.

4. Proposed primary delivery: 001-Face to Face

5. Term in which change will be effective: Spring of 2013

6. Can this course be repeated for additional credit?

   X Yes, total credit limit: 3

7. Will the grade for this course be limited to S/U (pass/fail)?

   Yes X No

8. Will section enrollments be capped? Yes, Yes, maximum per section 20

9. Will this course be equated (i.e. considered the same course for degree completion) with any other unique or common course in the course database?

   X Yes No

10. Is this prefix already approved for your university?

    X Yes No
Section 4. To be completed by Academic Affairs

1. University department code: __SARCH_________________________

2. Proposed CIP code: __________________________

   Is this a new CIP code for this university? ______ Yes ____ X__ No

NEW COURSE REQUEST
Supporting Justification for On-Campus Review

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1. Provide specific reasons for the proposal of this course and explain how the changes enhance the curriculum.

   This is a formalization in the curriculum of a DOARCH Travel Policy based on Regional, National, and Foreign Travel Study. Travel Studies will be completed through either a single unit of foreign study (typically two week summer trips) or three units of national study (we've institutionalized a Fall trip to Chicago and a Spring trip to Savannah every year).

   A travel studies class is a critical course need that has been absent from the curriculum. In design disciplines, such as architecture, travel exposure to sites of significant presence is a critical teaching tool for our faculty. Students would be exposed to sites, ideas, and cultures not readily available on campus or in Brookings. The timing of the class also sets precedent for the theories and projects types that students will tackle in their upper level courses and exposure in this capacity is critical to their progression in the major. This class would also be consistent with travel requirements already seen in other SDSU design majors such as Interior Design and Landscape Architecture.

2. Note whether this course is: ____ X____ Required ________ Elective

3. In addition to the major/program in which this course is offered, what other majors/programs will be affected by this course?

   This class is intended for Architectural Studies majors only.

5. Desired section size 20

6. Provide qualifications of faculty who will teach this course. List name(s), rank(s), and degree(s).

   Brian Rex, Professor, M.Sc./B.Arch./B.Sc. Architecture

7. Note whether adequate facilities are available and list any special equipment that will be needed for the course.

   Since this is a proposed travel studies class, no campus facilities or equipment will be needed.

8. Note whether adequate library and media support are available for the course.

   Yes, they are adequate.

9. Will the new course duplicate courses currently being offered on this campus?

   No.

10. If this course may be offered for variable credit, explain how the amount of credit at each offering is to be determined.

    N/A