South Dakota Board of Regents

EXISTING PROGRAM: SUBSTANTIVE PROGRAM MODIFICATION
This form is used to request substantive changes in already existing programs (majors, minors, specializations).

1. INSTITUTION: South Dakota State University

2. CURRENT PROGRAM NAME: English

3. THIS PROPOSAL DEALS WITH A CHANGE IN:

Distribution of Credits

_____ total credits required within the discipline

X total credits of supportive course work

X total credits of elective course work

X total credits required for program

_____ Program name

_____ Existing specialization

_____ Addition of specialization

_____ Other (explain)

4. LEVEL:

_____ Certificate

_____ Associate Degree

X Bachelor’s Degree

_____ Master’s Degree

_____ Doctoral Degree

5. CATEGORY:

_____ Minor

X Major

_____ Specialization

6. EFFECTIVE DATE OF CHANGE: Summer 2012

7. IF A NAME CHANGE IS PROPOSED, THIS WILL OCCUR:

_____ on the effective date for all students

_____ on the effective date for students new to the program

(enrolled students will graduate from existing program)
8. PRIMARY ASPECTS OF THE MODIFICATION:

***PLEASE SEE CHARTS ON PAGE 3. THIS MODIFICATION DEALS WITH BOTH THE CHANGE IN IGR REQUIREMENTS AS WELL AS THE CHANGE TO 120 CREDITS.

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| Total number of hours required for major, minor, or specialization | 39 | Total number of hours required for major, minor, or specialization | 39 |
| Total number of hours required for degree | 128 | Total number of hours required for degree | 120 |

9. EXPLANATION OF THE CHANGE:

I. “Change in Institutional Graduation Requirements (IGRs) to reflect the decrease in credits from 8-9 to 5.”

II. “BOR Policy 2-29—Definition of Credits and Related Institutional Requirements. All existing baccalaureate level degree programs offered shall require one hundred twenty (120) credit hours…by June 30th, 2012.”

Laurie Stenberg Nichols
Institutional Authorization (President or Designee) 12/13/11
Date Submitted
EXISTING CURRICULUM ENGLISH (ENGL) MAJOR
(CHANGE AREAS HIGHLIGHTED)
Requirements for English Major, Bachelor of Arts in Arts and
Sciences:

System General Education Requirements*: 30
Goal #1 Written Communication: ENGL 101 & 201 6
Goal #2 Oral Communication: SPCM 101* 3
Goal #3 Social Sciences/Diversity Credits6
Goal #4 Arts and Humanities/Diversity Credits6
Goal #5 Mathematics 3
Goal #6 Natural Sciences 6

Institutional Graduation Requirements**: 8-9
Goal #1 Land and Natural Resource Stewardship 3
Goal #2 Personal Wellness 2-3
Goal #3 Social Responsibility/Cultural and Aesthetic Awareness 3

College Requirements: 5-16
Modern Languages: Competency at the 202 level 3-14
Social Science 2

Major Requirements: 39
300-400 Level English or American Literature Courses 9
One course in Multi-Cultural/Minority Topics (Native
American Literature, World Literature, Diverse Cultures;
Women in Literature)
Mythology and Literature: 3
Linguistics Course (203, 420, 443, 452) 3
English or Linguistics Electives: 6

HIST 111, World Civilizations I * (COM) 3
and HIST 112, World Civilizations II * (COM) (G) 3
or HIST 121, Western Civilization I * ** (COM) 3
and HIST 122, Western Civilization II * **(COM) (G) 3

ENGL 151, Introduction to English Studies 3
ENGL 221, British Literature I * ** (G) 3
ENGL 241, American Literature I * ** 3
ENGL 222, British Literature II * ** (G) 3
or ENGL 242, American Literature II * ** 3
ENGL 379, Technical Communication (AW) 3
or ENGL 383, Creative Writing 3

Electives: 34-46

MODIFICATIONS TO CURRICULUM IN ENGLISH
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Institutional Graduation Requirements**: 5
Goal #1 First Year Seminar 2
Goal #2 Cultural Awareness and Social and Environmental
Responsibility 3

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