



**SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF REGENTS
ACADEMIC AFFAIRS FORMS**

**Revised Course Request: Unique Course
(Substantive Modification)**

<u>SDSU</u> Institution	<u>Teresa Seefeldt</u> Form Initiator	<u>Jason Zimmerman</u> Dean's Approval Signature	<u>3/1/2024</u> Date
	Arts, Humanities & Social Sciences / School of Performing Arts		
<u>SDSU</u> Institution	<u>Arts</u> Division/Department	<u>Dennis D. Hedge</u> Institutional Approval Signature	<u>3/28/2024</u> Date

Section 1. Existing Course Title and Description

Prefix & No.	Course Title	Credits
THEA 119	First Year Seminar	2

Course Description

First-year seminar course designed to introduce students to academic success strategies including the development of critical thinking and study skills, identification of campus resources, guidance in academic planning and engagement, time management and goal setting. Students will also investigate wellness topics, contemporary issues, diversity, and the land-grant mission of SDSU. In addition, this course is designed to expose students to the discipline-specific careers and their role in society.

Section 2. Modification(s) Requested

2.1. This modification will include:

A change in description/subject matter content (enter revised description below).

First-year seminar course designed to introduce students to academic success strategies including the development of critical thinking and study skills, identification of campus resources, guidance in academic planning and engagement, time management and goal setting. Students will also investigate wellness topics, contemporary issues, and diversity. In addition, this course is designed to expose students to the discipline-specific careers and their role in society.

Cross-listing and equating with Remove cross-listing with MUS 119

Effective term of the change: fall 2024

2.2. Add justification for all changes noted above:

THEA 119 has been requested as a common course. This requires the removal of the reference to the land-grant mission in the course description and the crosslisting with MUS 119. The CIP code is being updated to reflect the theatre focus of the course.

Section 3. Other Course Information

3.1. Will this course equate (i.e., be considered the same course for degree completion) with any other unique or common courses in the common course database? Yes No

Section 4. Department and Course Codes (Completed by University Academic Affairs)

	<u>Current</u>		<u>New</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Change in University Department	School of Performing Arts	to	No change
<input type="checkbox"/> Change in Banner Department Code	SPAR	to	No change
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Change in <u>CIP Code</u>	50.0901	to	50.05.01