TARLETON STATE UNIVERSITY
120 – Degree Program Review

Date Completed: 1-30-08

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<th>Degree Program</th>
<th>BA in History with 8-12 Certification in History and a Second Teaching Field</th>
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A. Review Results

Review of the Course requirements for this program resulted in the following conclusion (check only 1)

_____This program can be reduced to 120 hours and a Revised Degree Program Proposal has been submitted in the curriculum management system. (Skip section B, but complete section C)

☑ This program cannot be reduced to 120 hours for academically compelling reasons (complete section B)

B. Academically Compelling Reasons

Review of this degree program found that this program cannot be reduced to 120 hours but can be reduced to 134 hours and a Revised Degree Program Proposal has been submitted in the electronic curriculum system. The following academically compelling reason(s) is/are cited for the inability to reduce the 120 hours.

☑ Teacher Certification Program – revised program submitted to THECB for approval.

_____Program Accreditation External Agency:

- a brief 1 page narrative must be attached that references specific curriculum requirements for accreditation.
- Programs claiming the exception must submit an update during each reaccreditation cycle.

_____Normative Practice in the Discipline. A brief 1 page report providing list of similar programs at other Texas Institutions and the program hours must be attached. Programs claiming this exception must conduct an annual review of similar programs and submit an update.

C. Committee Review and Approval

Dean, College Curriculum Committee: [Signature] 2/6/08
Chair, University Curriculum Committee: [Signature] 3-17-08
AVPAA, Curriculum and Assessment: [Signature] 3-25-08

Copies to be kept at Academic Department, Dean's Office and Provost's Office
Curriculum - Revise Undergraduate Program -

1. General Information
   Sponsoring Department: Social Sciences
   College: College Of Liberal & Fine Arts
   Does this addition impact a teacher certification support area? Yes

2. Effective Change Date
   9/1/2008

3. Program Information
   BA in History with 8-12 Certification in History and a Second Teaching Field

4. Description of this request. (Indicate the choices that apply).
   Note: The distinction between support area and emphasis area is as follows. A distinct support area within a degree must be defined if it consists of 24 or more credit hours at the UG level or if it has a distinct CIP code from the original degree. An emphasis area may be defined within a given degree if the emphasis area consists of 24 or fewer credit hours at the UG level and it uses the same CIP code as the parent degree.
   Changes in courses in primary degree

5. Changes in degree
   Courses added:
   - Advanced HIST (3)
   - Sophomore English (6)
   Courses deleted:
   - HIST 304 (3)
   - ECO 101 (3)
   - Advanced Electives (3)
   - Electives (6)

6. Brief explanation/justification for this request.
   To reduce the hours required for this degree from 148 to 134 hours.

7. Indication of consultation with other departments affected by proposed change
   Department: Date:
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   Department: Date:

8. Current Course on Degree Plan

   Core Courses:

   Communications:
   ENGL 1113, 1123 6
   COMS 1013, 1023 or 3013 3

   Math:
   1073 or higher 3
Lab Sciences from:
   CHEM, BIOL, GEOL, PHYS 7

Visual & Performing Arts from:
   ART, F A, MUSC, THEA 3

Humanitites: Literature course in English 3

Social & Behavioral Sciences:
   HIST 2013, 2023 (6)
   POLS 2013, 2023 (6)
   3 additional hrs. from: (3)
      SOC 1013, 2013, 3033
      PSY 1013
      PHIL 1013, 2013, 3013
      ECO 1013, 2013
      A EC 1053,
      ARCH 2013
      ENGR 3033
      GEOG 1103, 1203, 2013
      HIST 1013, 1023

Wellness: HLTH 101 2

Total: 42

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Required Major Courses

HIST 101 (3)
HIST 102 (3)
HIST 440 (3)
Advanced HIST (12)

Other Required Courses

HIST 304 (3)
Advanced Elective (3)
Electives (6)
Sophomore ENGL (3)
ECO 101 (3)
Additional Teaching Field (12 hours advanced) (24)
Foreign Language (14)

Hours

Total: 148
Total Advanced: 60

Current Support Areas

SUPPORT AREA:

Professional Development Courses:
EDU 330 (3)
EDU 335 (3)
EDU 430 (3)
EDU 435 (3)
EDU 490 (6)
PSY 330 (3)
RDG 351 (3)

Required Major Courses:

Advanced HIST (3)
Sophomore ENGL (6)
Foreign Language (14)
Additional Teaching Field (12 hours advanced) (24)

Total: 134
Total Advanced: 60

PROPOSED

SUPPORT AREA:

Professional Development Courses:
EDU 330 (3)
EDU 335 (3)
EDU 430 (3)
EDU 435 (3)
EDU 490 (6)
PSY 330 (3)
RDG 351 (3)

Required Major Courses: