Curriculum Change Form  
(Present only one proposed curriculum change per form)  
(Complete only the section(s) applicable.)

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Proposal Approved by:  
Departmental Committee 09/18/2013  
College Curriculum Committee 09/19/2013  
General Education Committee* NA  
Teacher Education Committee* NA  
Graduate Council* NA  
Council on Academic Affairs 10/17/2013  
Faculty Senate** 11/4/2013  
Board of Regents** 1/14/2014  
EFFECTIVE ACADEMIC TERM*** Fall 2014  

*If Applicable (Type NA if not applicable.)  
**Approval needed for program revisions or suspensions.  
***To be added by the Registrar’s Office after all approval is received.

Completion of A, B, and C is required: (Please be specific, but concise.)

A. 1. Specific action requested: (Example: Increase the number of credit hours for ABC 100 from 1 to 2.)  
Add a required 3 credit hours to the Religion minor from a category of courses focusing on theoretical approaches to the study of religion that includes as options REL 302, Theories of Religion, and PHI 240, Philosophy of Religion. This revises the format of the description of Religion Minor.

A. 2. Proposed Effective Academic Term: (Example: Fall 2012)  
Fall 2014

A. 3. Effective date of suspended programs for currently enrolled students: (if applicable)

B. The justification for this action:

Adding this category will benefit students with a Religion minor by ensuring that they have at least one course that examines religious issues from a theoretical perspective. It will also strengthen enrollment in future sections of REL 302 and PHI 240. Revising the format of the description of Religion Minor will make it more streamlined and bring it into conformity with the description of minors in other humanities departments, i.e., English and Humanities.

C. The projected cost (or savings) of this proposal is as follows:

Personnel Impact: None  
Operating Expenses Impact: None  
Equipment/Physical Facility Needs: None  
Library Resources: Needed
### Part III. Recording Data for Revised or Suspended Program

1. For a revised program, provide the current program requirements using *strike through* for deletions and *underlines* for additions.
2. For a suspended program, provide the current program requirements as shown in catalog. List any options and/or minors affected by the program’s suspension.

#### MINOR IN RELIGION

A minor consists of 18 hours in religion, including at least three hours in each of the following categories:
1) REL 301  
2) at least one of REL 305, 306, 315, 320, 335 and  
3) at least one of REL 340, 345, 350, 355.

Three hours of philosophy may be counted in a minor, and if PHI 240 is taken, six hours of philosophy may be counted.

**Requirements** .................................................................................................................18 hours

REL 301; REL 302 or PHI 240; three hours from REL 305, 306, 315, 320, or 335; three hours from REL 340, 345, 350, or 355; and either 1) six additional REL hours or 2) three additional REL hours and three additional PHI hours.

**Total Curriculum Requirements** .................................................................18 hours