Curriculum Change Form

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

Part I

(Check one)	Department Name		Foreign Languages and Humanities		
New Course (Parts II, IV)	College		Arts & Sciences		
X Course Revision (Parts II, IV)	*Course Prefix & Number		HUM 228		
Hybrid Course ("S," "W")	*Course Title		The Search for Meaning: The Modern World		
New Minor (Part III)	*Program Title				
Program Suspension (Part III)					
Program Revision (Part III)	*Provide only the information relevant to the proposal.		If Certificate, indicate Long-Term (University) or Short-Term (Departmental)		
Proposal Approved by:	<u>Date</u>			<u>Date</u>	
Departmental Committee	09-27-2013	Cou	ncil on Academic Affairs	3/20/2014	
College Curriculum Committee	01-27-2014	Facu	Ilty Senate**	NA	
General Education Committee*	02-13-2014	Boar	d of Regents**	NA	
Teacher Education Committee*	NA	EFF	ECTIVE ACADEMIC TERM***	Fall 2014	
Graduate Council*	NA	_			
*If Applicable (Type NA if not app **Approval needed for program re ***To be added by the Registrar's 0	visions or suspensions		eived.		

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.) To move the course from General Education Element 3A/B to Elements 3A and 3B.
- A. 2. Proposed Effective Academic Term: (Example: Fall 2012)

Spring 2014

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

B. The justification for this action:

Enrollment for courses has declined in recent semesters (since the implementation of GE-2012), partially due to the continuing requirement in Element 3A/B that two HUM courses must be used to satisfy this requirement. Advisors have found it difficult to get students into this separate stream owing to limited scheduling availability, and students are evidently reluctant to commit to a 6 hour block, especially within the newly streamlined GE curriculum. This move is in keeping with the spirit of recent GE reforms, giving students more flexibility and more opportunity to explore a HUM course without necessarily committing to or being locked into two courses. This will also help transfer students who have one HUM course; they will be able to choose a non-HUM course to satisfy Element 3. On the model of what was done with Foreign Language courses, we suggest that students taking HUM in Element 3 be 'recommended' (but no longer required) to take a second HUM course within this element. As integrated arts and humanities courses, HUM GE courses are appropriate to both 3A (arts) and 3B (humanities).

The course catalog text change (Part II, below) adds descriptive language to provide students with fuller understanding of the nature and focus of the course.

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:
None.

Part II. Recording Data for New, Revised, or Dropped Course

(For a **new required course**, complete a separate request for the appropriate program revisions.)

- 1. For a new course, provide the catalog text.
- 2. For a revised course, provide the current catalog text with the proposed text using strikethrough for deletions and underlines for additions.
- 3. For a dropped course, provide the current catalog text.

New or Revised* Catalog Text

(*Use strikethrough for deletions and underlines for additions. Also include Crs. Prefix, No., and description, limited to 35 words.)

HUM 228 The Search for Meaning: The Modern World. (3) I, II. An introduction to the comparative and interdisciplinary study of culture in the modern world, including Western and non-Western literature, visual art, music, film, and religion/philosophy; emphasis on integrative thinking and exploration of values for living meaningfully in the modern world. Gen. Ed. E.3A/B 3A, 3B.

Part IV. Recording Data for New or Revised Course (Record only new or changed course information.)

Course prefix (3 letters)	Course Num	ber	Effective Academic Term (Example: Fall 2012)	College/Division:	Dept. (4 letters)*	
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CoRequisites and Prerequisites **See definitions on following page** (List only co-requisites. See below for prerequisites and combinations.)						
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Proposed General Education Element: Please mark (\mathbf{X}) in the appropriate Element or Elements $(e.g. - 4B(3) \mathbf{X})$.

Element 1 (9)	Element 2 (3)	Element 3 (6)	Element 4 (6)	Element 5 (6)	Element 6 (6)
1A (3)	2 (3)	3A (3) X	4A (3)	5A (3)	6 (6)
1B (3)		3B (3) X	4B (3)	5B (3)	
1C (3)		or 3A/B X	or 4A/B		
		Integrated A&H(6)	Integrated Sciences(6)		