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Curriculum Proposal Cover Sheet - University-Wide Undergraduate Curriculum Committee

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Check all appropriate lines and complete information as requested. Use a separate cover sheet for each course proposal and for each program proposal.

1. Course Proposals (check all that apply)

<input type="checkbox"/> New Course	<input type="checkbox"/> Course Prefix Change	<input type="checkbox"/> Course Deletion
<input type="checkbox"/> Course Revision	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Course Number and/or Title Change	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Catalog Description Change

<u>PHIL 324 History of Philosophy</u>	<u>PHIL 324 Ancient Philosophy</u>
<i>Current Course prefix, number and full title</i>	<i>Proposed course prefix, number and full title, if changing</i>

2. Additional Course Designations: check if appropriate

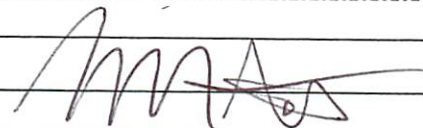
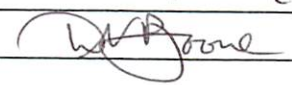
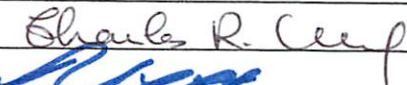

<input type="checkbox"/> This course is also proposed as a Liberal Studies Course.	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: (e.g., Women's Studies, Pan-African)
<input type="checkbox"/> This course is also proposed as an Honors College Course.	

3. Program Proposals

<input type="checkbox"/> New Degree Program	<input type="checkbox"/> Program Title Change	<input type="checkbox"/> Program Revision
<input type="checkbox"/> New Minor Program	<input type="checkbox"/> New Track	<input type="checkbox"/> Other

<u>Current program name</u>	<u>Proposed program name, if changing</u>
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4. Approvals

		Date
Department Curriculum Committee Chair(s)		9/26/02
Department Chair(s)		9/26/02
College Curriculum Committee Chair		10/16/02
College Dean		10/16/02
Director of Liberal Studies *		
Director of Honors College *		
Provost *		
Additional signatures as appropriate: (include title)		
UWUCC Co-Chairs		

* where applicable



Catalogue Description Changes: PHILOSOPHY 324

a. Current Catalogue Description:

PHIL 324 - History of Philosophy I

3c-01-3sh

Pre-requisites: None

Western philosophy of pre-Socratic, classical Greek, Roman, and medieval periods. Special attention given to Plato, Aristotle, Augustine, and Aquinas, as well as the philosophic schools.

b. Proposed Catalogue Description:

PHIL 324 - Ancient Philosophy

3c-01-3sh

Pre-requisites: None

Explores the foundations of Western Philosophy through examination of important philosophers of the Ancient period, such as the Pre-Socratic philosophers, Socrates, Plato, and Aristotle. Topics may include the nature of the physical universe, Plato's theory of Forms, the nature of happiness, and the possibility of morality.

c. Rationale for change

The old title does not provide enough information to the students about the nature of the course. The old description does not accurately reflect the way the course is being taught. It suggests equal time treatment between Medieval and Ancient Philosophies. Given the importance of the latter on Western thought it is better to make clear in the description that this is the emphasis of the course.

d. Letters of Support or Acknowledgement

The proposed changes will not affect any other department.