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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.

<b>1. Course Proposals (check all that apply)</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> New Course	<input type="checkbox"/> Course Prefix Change	<input type="checkbox"/> Course Deletion
<input type="checkbox"/> Course Revision	<input type="checkbox"/> Course Number and/or Title Change	<input type="checkbox"/> Catalog Description Change
<u>Current Course prefix, number and full title</u>		<u>Proposed course prefix, number and full title, if changing</u>
<b>2. Additional Course Designations: check if appropriate</b>		
<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.		
<b>3. Program Proposals</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> New Degree Program	<input type="checkbox"/> Program Title Change	<input checked="" 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>
<b>4. Approvals</b>		
Department Curriculum Committee Chair(s)	<i>[Signature]</i>	9/16/11
Department Chair(s)	<i>[Signature]</i>	9/16/11
College Curriculum Committee Chair	<i>[Signature]</i>	10/4/11
College Dean	<i>[Signature]</i>	10/19/11
Director of Liberal Studies *	<i>[Signature]</i>	2/24/12
Director of Honors College *		
Provost *		
<b>Additional signatures as appropriate: (include title)</b>		
UWUCC Co-Chairs	<i>Gail Schriest</i>	4/3/12

\* where applicable

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## **Part II. Description of Curriculum Change**

### **1a. Catalog Description of Revised Program**

Programs in history are designed to give students an opportunity to study in some depth the past story of peoples and their world. Degrees offered by the History Department are the Bachelor of Arts degree with a major in History and the Bachelor of Science in Education with a major in Social Studies, concentrating in history. The social studies education program prepares students to teach at the junior- and senior-high school levels.

The history student will find that the program is excellent preparation for government service, for pre-law training, for broad business opportunities, for work in varied fields of journalism, for public history positions, and for teaching. Not only the story of the people of the United States but also that of other peoples is covered, in the belief that global historical understanding is essential for the future of civilization.

Requirements for the degree of Bachelor of Arts degree with a major in History are 39 credits in history. Requirements for the degree of Bachelor of Science in Education with a major in Social Studies, concentrating on history, are a minimum of 30 credits in history within the 57 credits required for social studies certification. To minor in history, 15 credits of courses with an HIST prefix are required, with at least 3 credits taken at the 300 or higher level. No more than 6 credits may be transferred to IUP from another university. For majors in history programs, courses in history in Liberal Studies are applicable only if numbered 300 or higher. All programs should be planned with an advisor. Every major and concentrate in history will be advised by History department faculty members.

Admission to HIST 482 and 483, initiation in the local chapters of Phi Alpha Theta and Pi Gamma Mu, participation in study tours and study abroad programs, and other activities should be investigated by every history student. The department is committed to the ideal of a broad liberal arts education.

**Part II. Description of Curriculum Change**

<b>Current Program</b>	<b>Proposed Program</b>
Program/Track: <u>B.A. History/Pre-Law Track</u>  Liberal Studies: As outlined in Liberal Studies section with the following specifications: <span style="float: right;"><u>50</u></span> Mathematics: 3cr Humanities-History: fulfilled by required courses in major Liberal Studies Electives: 9 cr, no courses with HIST prefix	Program/Track: <u>B.A. History/Pre-Law Track</u>  Liberal Studies: As outlined in Liberal Studies section with the following specifications: <span style="float: right;"><u>46-47</u></span> Mathematics: 3cr Humanities-History: fulfilled by required courses in major Liberal Studies Electives: 9 cr, no courses with HIST prefix
College: <u>0-6</u> Foreign Language Intermediate Level Major: <u>33</u> *Minor: _____ Other Requirements: Pre-Law Interdisciplinary Track <u>12-21</u>	College: <u>0-6</u> Foreign Language Intermediate Level Major: <u>33</u> Minor: _____ Other Requirements: Pre-Law Interdisciplinary Track <u>12-21</u>
Free Electives: <u>10-25</u>	Free Electives: <u>13-29</u>
Total Degree Requirements: <u>120</u>	Total Degree Requirements: <u>120</u>

**NOTE:** This form is only for programs that are moving credits to the free elective category. Please include all of the items where the numbers add up to 120 in your program. You will not need a rationale or the implementation section if you are able to use this form, but please include a UWUCC cover sheet and send it through the regular curricular approval process.

**\*NOTE:** You only need to fill in minor hours if your major requires a specific minor. If you do not require a specific minor, please leave blank.