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Curriculum Proposal Cover Sheet - University-Wide Undergraduate Curriculum Committee

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Geosciences - Natural Sciences and Mathematics				of four each source		
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)						
New Course	Course Prefix Change		X Course Deletion			
Course Revision	Course Number and/or Title ChangeCatalog Description Change					
GEOS 141 Introduction to Ocean S	Science					
Current Course prefix, number and full title		Proposed course prefix, number and full title, if changing				
2. Additional Course Designations: check if appropriate This course is also proposed as a Liberal Studies Course. This course is also proposed as an Honors College Course. Pan-African)						
3. Program Proposals	Catalog Desc	ription Change	Program	n Revision		
New Degree Program	Other					
New Minor Program	New Track					
<u>Current</u> program name		<u>Proposed</u> program na	ame, if changing			
4. Approvals				Date		
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Part II. Description of Curriculum Change

1. Description of Course to be Deleted GEOS 141 Introduction to Ocean Science

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Introduces physical, chemical, biological and geological processes in oceanography and the interactions among them. Impact of exploitation of the oceans, coastal areas, marine, physical, and living resources on the environment and on humankind. Includes field trips which may involve a fee and may occur on weekends.

2. Justification/Rationale

This course has not been taught for more than five years and is no longer considered an essential component of our curricular offerings.

3. Effects on Existing Courses and Programs

This course was never required for any existing program and its deletion will have no affect on students either within or outside the Geoscience Department.

Part III. Letters of Support or Acknowledgement

No other departments or programs are affected by this change.