## California State University Channel Islands <br> New Course proposal

DATE
12.5.06

PROGRAM AREA EDUCATION

1. Catalog Description of the Course. [Follow accepted catalog format.]

Prefix EDUC Course\# 618 Title COMPREHENSIVE EXAMINATION PREPARATION Units (1)
1 hours seminar per week
hours lecture per week
$\square$ Prerequisites
Corequisites Admission to Masters of Arts in Education
Description Seminar to prepare students for comprehensive examination in the Masters of Arts program in Education Graded
$\square$ Gen Ed
【 CR/NC
$\boxtimes$ Repeatable for up to 3 units
CategoriesLab Fee Required
$\square$ A - F
Optional (Student’s choice)
Total Completions AllowedMultiple Enrollment in same semester
2. Mode of Instruction.

| Lecture | Units | Hours per Unit | Benchmark Enrollment | Graded Component | CS \# <br> (filled in by Dean) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Seminar | 1 | 1 | 15 | 区 |  |
| Laboratory |  |  |  | $\square$ |  |
| Activity |  |  |  | $\square$ |  |

3. Justification and Learning Objectives for the Course. (Indicate whether required or elective, and whether it meets University Writing, and/or Language requirements) [Use as much space as necessary]
This course is required for the MA in Education for students choosing the comprehensive exam for their culminating experience.
Learning Objectives: Upon completion of the course, the student will be able to:

- Synthesize and apply research to their professional practice.

4. Is this a General Education Course

YES NO $\boxtimes$ If Yes, indicate GE category and attach GE Criteria Form:

## A (English Language, Communication, Critical Thinking)

A-1 Oral Communication
A-2 English Writing
A-3 Critical Thinking
B (Mathematics, Sciences \& Technology)
B-1 Physical Sciences
B-2 Life Sciences - Biology
B-3 Mathematics - Mathematics and Applications
B-4 Computers and Information Technology
C (Fine Arts, Literature, Languages \& Cultures)
C-1 Art
C-2 Literature Courses
C-3a Language
C-3b Multicultural
D (Social Perspectives)
E (Human Psychological and Physiological Perspectives)
UD Interdisciplinary

5. Course Content in Outline Form. [Be as brief as possible, but use as much space as necessary]

1. Review of subject matter in Masters of Arts in Education emphasis.
2.Review format and structure of comprehensive examination.

Does this course overlap a course offered in your academic program? YES $\square$ $\square \mathrm{NO}$ 区
If YES, what course(s) and provide a justification of the overlap?
Does this course overlap a course offered in another academic area? YES $\square$ NO $\boxtimes$
If YES, what course(s) and provide a justification of the overlap?
Signature of Academic Chair(s) of the other academic area(s) is required on the signature sheet below.

## 6. Cross-listed Courses (Please fill out separate form for each PREFIX)

List Cross-listed Courses
Signature of Academic Chair(s) of the other academic area(s) is required on the signature sheet below.
Department responsible for staffing: Education
7. References. [Provide 3-5 references on which this course is based and/or support it.]

Anderson, W. P., Krauskopf, C. J., Rogers, M. E., \& Neal, G. W. (1984). Reasons for comprehensive examination: A re-evaluation. Teaching of Psychology, 11(2), 78-82.

Manus, M. B., Bowden, M. G., \& Dowd, E. T. (1992). The purpose. philosophy, content, and structure of doctoral comprehensive/qualifying exams: A survey of counseling psychology training programs. The Counseling Psychologist, 20, 677-688.

Wolensky, R. P. (1979). Comprehensive examinations and professional development. College Student Journal, 13, 287-289.

## 8. List Faculty Qualified to Teach This Course.

Dr. Robert Bleicher
Dr. Merilyn Buchanan
Dr. Manuel Correia
Dr. Maria Denney
Dr. Jeanne Grier
Dr. Tiina Itkonen
Dr. Joan Karp
Dr. Jill Leafstedt
Dr. Kaia Tolefson
9. Frequency.
a. Projected semesters to be offered: Fall $\boxtimes$ Spring $\boxtimes$ Summer $\square$
10. New Resources Required. YES $\square$ NO $\boxtimes$

If YES, list the resources needed and obtain signatures from the appropriate programs/units on the sheet below.
a. Computer (data processing), audio visual, broadcasting needs, other equipment)
b. Library needs
c. Facility/space needs
11. Will this new course alter any degree, credential, certificate, or minor in your program? YES $\boxtimes$ NO If, YES attach a program modification form for all programs affected.

| Jill Leafstedt | 9/27/06 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Proposer of Course | Date |

## Approval Sheet

Program/Course: Education/ EDUC 617
Program Chair(s) Date
General Education Chair(s) Date
Curriculum Committee Chair(s) Date

Dean of Faculty Date

