

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY CHANNEL ISLANDS

NEW COURSE PROPOSAL

DATE OCTOBER 18, 2005
 PROGRAM AREA POLITICAL SCIENCE

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

Prefix POLS **Course#** 492 **Title** SERVICE LEARNING IN POLITICAL SCIENCE **Units** (3)
 3 hours Activity per week

- Prerequisites
 Corequisites

Description Community based service combined with course work and reflection on a topic with political or policy significance.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Gen Ed Categories | Graded
<input type="checkbox"/> CR/NC | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Repeatable for up to 6 units |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lab Fee Required | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A - F
<input type="checkbox"/> Optional (Student's choice) | Total Completions Allowed
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Enrollment in same semester |

2. Mode of Instruction.

	Units	Hours per Unit	Benchmark Enrollment	Graded Component	CS # (filled in by Dean)
Lecture	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u> </u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<u> </u>
Seminar	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<u> </u>
Laboratory	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<u> </u>
Activity	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>30</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<u> </u>

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]*

Justification: This course is elective course in the political science major. Service learning is a core mission objective for CSUCI, and this course will provide an upper division opportunity for students to engage in experiential learning and reflect upon their involvement in the community.

Learning Objectives:

Upon completion of this course students will be able to:

(Press enter for the next bulleted item)

- The objectives, goals and standards of conduct will be identified in a contract between the student, faculty advisor, and community agency. Sample objectives include:
- Draw connections between course readings and field experience
- Reflect upon the political power structure of society based on community experience
- Think critically about the need for and delivery of various public policies and services
- Discuss their community's attributes, challenges and political situation with clarity

4. Is this a General Education Course YES NO

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]*
(Press enter for the next bulleted item)

- The course content will vary by topic and instructor.

Does this course overlap a course offered in your academic program? YES NO
If YES, what course(s) and provide a justification of the overlap?

Does this course overlap a course offered in another academic area? YES NO
If YES, what course(s) and provide a justification of the overlap?

Signature of Academic Chair of the other academic area is required on the consultation sheet below.

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

List Cross-listed Courses

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Department responsible for staffing: POLS

7. References. *[Provide 3 - 5 references on which this course is based and/or support it.]*
(Press enter for the next number)

1. References depend on the topic selected and will be identified by the student and a faculty mentor.

8. List Faculty Qualified to Teach This Course.

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9. Frequency.

a. Projected semesters to be offered: Fall Spring Summer

10. New Resources Required. YES NO

If YES, list the resources needed and obtain signatures from the appropriate programs/units on the consultation 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 NO
If, YES attach a program modification form for all programs affected.

Scott A. Frisch

Proposer of Course

9/20/2005

Date