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**CURRICULUM COMMITTEE  
RECOMMENDATION**

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Recommends approval of the listed **COURSE ADDITIONS** in the **COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS**:

GEO 230 Introduction to Meteorology 3 hours  
Introduction to the composition of the atmosphere and weather phenomena, including thunderstorms, tornadoes, and hurricanes. Co-requisite(s)/Prerequisite(s): GEO 101

GEO 350 Severe Local Storms and Natural Hazards 3 hours  
Basics of earth and atmospheric hazards including flooding, earthquakes, tsunamis, hurricanes, tornadoes, and volcanic eruptions, and how to mitigate the impacts. Co-requisite(s)/Prerequisite(s): GEO 101, GEO 230

GEO 360 Weather Analysis 3 hours  
Introduction to reading weather maps and meteorological analysis techniques including satellite and radar image interpretation and numerical weather prediction. Co-requisite(s)/Prerequisite(s): GEO 101, GEO 230

GEO 406 Population Geography 3 hours  
This course introduces students to the key spatial features, characteristics, and patterns of population geography, with an emphasis on international population issues and trends. Co-requisite(s)/Prerequisite(s): None

**RATIONALE:**

Each course is an appropriate addition to the respective programs.

**FACULTY SENATE CHAIR:**

APPROVED BY THE  
FACULTY SENATE: Larry Stikler DATE: 4/4/2007

DISAPPROVED BY THE  
FACULTY SENATE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT:**

APPROVED: [Signature] DATE: 4/6/07

DISAPPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**COMMENTS:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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