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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 Stabler  DATE: 4/14/2007

DISAPPROVED BY THE FACULTY SENATE:  DATE:

UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT:

APPROVED:  DATE: 4/16/07

DISAPPROVED:  DATE:
COMMENTS: ___________________ 

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