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CURRICULUM COMMITTEE
RECOMMENDATION

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

ARB 101 Elementary Arabic I 3 hours
Arabic 101 is a 3-credit hour introductory language course. Basic language structures, vocabulary and pronunciation. For students with no foreign language background.

ARB 102 Elementary Arabic II 3 hours
Arabic 102 is a 3-credit hour elementary language course. Grammar, vocabulary and pronunciation. Prerequisite: ARB 101.

ARB 203 Intermediate Arabic III 3 hours
Arabic 203 is a 3-credit hour intermediate language course. Grammar, vocabulary, pronunciation, conversation and writing with emphasis on aural/oral development. Prerequisite: ARB 102.

ARB 204 Intermediate Arabic IV 3 hours
Arabic 204 is a 3-credit hour intermediate language course. Development of practical conversation skills, vocabulary, pronunciation, reading for comprehension and directed composition. Prerequisite: ARB 203.

CL 235 The Ancient Novel 3 hours
Taught in English, this course introduces students to the genre of ancient novel through selected examples by Heliodorus, Longus, Achilles Tatius, Xenophon of Ephesus, Petronius, Apuleius, or others. Prerequisite: ENG 101 or YGS 161.

GEO 101L Physical Geography Lab 1 hour
Lab to accompany Physical Geography lecture exploring earth-sun relationships, maps, atmosphere, climate, weather, hydrologic cycle, the biosphere, soils, landforms, erosion, volcanism, and rivers. Co-requisite: GEO 101.

GEO 110 Basic GIS 1 hour
Introduction to GIS concepts including GIS components, spatial and tabular data, database elements, data formats, and map design; hands-on experience with a GIS.

GEO 301 Cartographic Principles of GIS 3 hours
Introduction to cartographic principles including geodesy, map projection, coordinate systems, scale, and reference systems; interpretation of map features; hands-on use of paper maps; application of cartographic principles to GIS. Prerequisite: GEO 110 or permission.

LAT 315 Sallust and Nepos 3 hours
A close reading in Latin of selected works from Sallust and Nepos. Prerequisite: LAT 204 or permission.
PHL 301 Plato’s Republic 3 hours
A deconstruction of the major time-worn prejudices and presuppositions of Platonism by way of a radical reading of Plato’s great dialogue the REPUBLIC.

PSC 427 Shapers and Definers 3 hours
A study of political leaders who have shaped and defined the American constitutional tradition.

PSC 446 Politics In History 3 hours
A study of politics as an order shattering, order restructuring force during some of America’s most transformative moments.

RATIONALE:
Each course is an appropriate addition to the respective programs.

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