

FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY™

Graduate Programs—COURSE CHANGE REQUEST

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DEPARTMENT NAME: CURRICULUM, CULTURE, AND ED.
 INQUIRY

COLLEGE OF: EDUCATION

COURSE PREFIX & NUMBER: TSL 6944

CURRENT COURSE TITLE: TEACHING ENGLISH TO SPEAKERS OF OTHER LANGUAGES
 (TESOL) and Bilingual Education Practicum

CHANGE(S) REQUESTED

SHOW "X" IN FRONT OF OPTION

X CHANGE CREDITS FROM 3 TO: 3-9
 CHANGE GRADING FROM TO:
 CHANGE PREREQUISITES TO:
 CHANGE MINIMUM GRADE TO:
 CHANGE COREQUISITES TO:
 CHANGE OTHER REGISTRATION CONTROLS TO:
 OTHER

SHOW "X" IN FRONT OF OPTION

CHANGE PREFIX FROM TO:
 CHANGE COURSE NO. FROM TO:
 CHANGE TITLE TO:
 CHANGE DESCRIPTION TO:

CHANGES TO BE EFFECTIVE (TERM)

SPRING 2010

Attach syllabus for ANY
 changes to current course information.

Will the requested change(s) cause this course to overlap
 any other FAU course(s)? If yes, please list course(s).
 NO

Any other departments and/or colleges that might be affected by the
 change(s) must be consulted. List entities that have been consulted
 and attach written comments from each.
 Depts. of Educational Leadership, Exercise Science and Health
 Promotion, Counselor Education, Exceptional Student Education,
 Teaching and Learning, and Communication Sciences and
 Disorders. See written responses.

TERMINATE COURSE, EFFECTIVE (GIVE LAST TERM COURSE IS TO BE ACTIVE):

Faculty Contact, Email, Complete Phone Number:
 Hanizah Zainuddin, zainuddin@fau.edu, 561-297-2984

SIGNATURES

Approved by:

Department Chair: James McLaughlin
 College Curriculum Chair: Linda Webb
 College Dean: Robert J. Koster
 UGPC Chair: _____
 Dean of the Graduate College: _____

Date:

11/10/09
11/10/09
11/12/09

SUPPORTING MATERIALS

Syllabus—must include all criteria as detailed in
 UGPC Guidelines

Go to: <http://graduate.fau.edu/upc/>
 to access Guidelines and to download this form.

Written Consent—required from all
 departments affected

Email this form and syllabus to stulks@fau.edu and egrip@fau.edu one week **before** the University Graduate Programs Committee
 meeting so that materials may be viewed on the UGPC website by committee members prior to the meeting.

RESPONSES FROM DEPARTMENTS IN THE COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

(TSL 6944)

----- Forwarded Message

From: Robert Shockley <shockley@fau.edu>

Date: Thu, 22 Oct 2009 14:28:05 -0400

To: Jim McLaughlin <jmclau17@fau.edu>

Subject: RE: Forward, items to consider, and the agenda for Wednesday's meeting

Jim,

EDL has no concern with this request. RS

----- Forwarded Message

From: Mike Brady <mbrady@fau.edu>

Date: Fri, 23 Oct 2009 13:08:33 -0400

To: Jim McLaughlin <jmclau17@fau.edu>

Subject: RE: Forward, items to consider, and the agenda for Wednesday's meeting

The proposed change in credit hours for the TSL practicum does not affect the courses or curriculum in the ESE Department.

Good luck!

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From: "Irene H Johnson, PhD" <ijohnso9@fau.edu>

Date: Fri, 23 Oct 2009 13:47:07 -0400

To: Jim McLaughlin <jmclau17@fau.edu>

Subject: RE: Request for a response regarding the TESOL course

Hello Jim:

The change of credit will not have a negative impact on program courses in the Counselor Education Department.

Irene H. Johnson

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From: Sue Graves <sgraves@fau.edu>
Date: Fri, 23 Oct 2009 14:51:38 -0400
To: Jim McLaughlin <jmclau17@fau.edu>
Subject: RE: Request for a response regarding the TESOL course

Jim, we, Exercise Science and Health Promotion, do not have any conflicts with the course change or the new course. Good luck!

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From: Barbara Ridener <bridener@fau.edu>
Date: Mon, 26 Oct 2009 09:01:22 -0400
To: Jim McLaughlin <jmclau17@fau.edu>, Mike Brady <mbrady@fau.edu>, Sue Graves <sgraves@fau.edu>, "ljohnso9@fau.edu" <ljohnso9@fau.edu>, Robert Shockley <shockley@fau.edu>, "wener@fau.edu" <wener@fau.edu>, Hanizah Zainuddin <zainuddi@fau.edu>
Cc: Valerie Bristor <bristor@fau.edu>
Subject: RE: Request for a response regarding the TESOL course

Jim,

Teaching and Learning does not have a conflict.

Barbara

----- Forwarded Message

From: Deena Louise Wener <wener@fau.edu>

Date: Tue, 27 Oct 2009 12:17:08 -0400

To: Jim McLaughlin <jmclau17@fau.edu>

Cc: 'Danesh' <danesh@fau.edu>, 'Fries' <bfries@fau.edu>, 'Keintz' <ckeintz@fau.edu>, "Mrs. Hess" <chess3@fau.edu>, 'Wener' <wener@fau.edu>, 'Williams' <dwilliam@fau.edu>

Subject: RE: Request for a response regarding the TESOL course

Dear Dr. McLaughlin,

Our department has reviewed your course proposal for a credit change to:
*TSL 6944: Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL) and
Bilingual Education Practicum (3-9 credits)*

Although we offer a graduate course covering cultural and linguistic differences in communication disorders, it is geared specifically to the diagnosis and treatment of speech, language, and hearing disorders and differences across the life span. The course does cover accent reduction and dialect differences, however, it is designed to prepare graduate communication disorders' graduate students for practicum and professional practice with culturally and linguistically different populations.

The department supports the increase in credit for this course. Good luck with your course proposal.

With best regards,
Deena Louise Wener

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September 28, 2009

To: COE Graduate Program Committee

Re: Explanation for Change of Credit Hours in TSL 6944, Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL) and Bilingual Education Practicum course

The TESOL program faculty in the Dept. of Curriculum, Culture, and Educational Inquiry (CCEI) is seeking initial certification for its new 36-credit hour Master of Arts in TESOL and Bilingual Education. In an effort to submit the initial certification folio by January 2010, the TESOL program is requesting that the credit hours of the culminating/practicum course (TSL 6944) in this Master's program be increased from 3 to a variable rate of 3-9 credits based on the following reasons:

- a. Florida Dept. of Education requires at least 6 credits of internship in programs that offer initial certification. Since there is no Bachelor's in TESOL/Bilingual Education at FAU, the Master's in TESOL and Bilingual Education is considered an initial program in this content area.
- b. Increasing the Practicum course from 3 to 9 credits will allow FAU students to maintain their full-time status when they take the internship course, which is a final course before graduation.
- c. Subsequently, FAU students with a full time status can become eligible for financial aid opportunities and/or meet insurance requirements.

Note: (1) There is no change in the content of this course. Only credit hour change is requested here.

- (2) The M.A. in TESOL and Bilingual Education will continue to offer students who are not seeking initial certification (i.e. those who are pursuing adult ESOL/bilingual education or higher education ESOL/bilingual education positions) the option of taking the already approved 3 credits in Practicum.