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MEMORANDUM:

TO: Dr. Jerome Haky
Chair, University Undergraduate Programs Committee (UUPC)

FROM: Dr. Mary Ann Gosser
Chair, University Honors Council (UHC)
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DATE: 22 January 2021

RE: IDS 4970 H Thesis et al.

As per FAU's Honors Curriculum Manual, the University Honors Council is to "advise the UUPC on curricular matters related to honors education at Florida Atlantic University." Therefore, the Council met on 22 January 2021 to discuss a series of changes proposed by the Wilkes Honors College Undergraduate Programs Committee. The proposals were then discussed and approved by the University Honors Council.

We are now asking the UUPC to consider the following changes and give them approval for inclusion in the catalog. Thank you.

- 1) Change the title of IDS 4970 RI: Honors Interdisciplinary Thesis to IDS 4970 RI: Honors Thesis because this title will replace discipline-specific thesis courses in 5 programs: Anthropology (ANT 4970), Biological Anthropology (ANT 4970), English Literature (LIT 4970), Chemistry (CHM 4970; CHM 4912, CHM 4914)s, and Mathematics (MAT 4971).
- 2) The other changes include:
 - a. Remove HIS 4930 H City and Its Underground from Anthropology's electives
 - b. Remove ANT 4495 H Research Methods in Cultural Anthropology from list of electives (for Biological Anthropology)
 - c. Add ANT 4495 to the required courses as an alternative to ANT 4417 H Theory in Cultural Anthropology (for Biological Anthropology)
 - d. Add AML 4603 H African-American Literature as an elective to the American Lit subsection (for English Literature concentration)
 - e. Remove ENL 4930 H Irony and Satire, HUM 3435 H Survey of Medieval Literature, and LIT 3361 H Postmodern Literature from list of English electives (for English Literature concentration)
 - f. Add CHM 4915 to the list of Chemistry electives
 - g. Add MAS 4107 Linear Algebra2 and STA 4442 Probability and Statistics 1 to the Group B list (Mathematics concentration)
 - h. Replace IDS 3932 H Intro to Data Science with COP 3076 H Intro to Data Science (Mathematics concentration)