Course Change Form

Date of Request: February 11, 2008

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Course Addition

Originator: Darl Biniaz
Department: Integrated Studies
Replacement Course ID:

1. Course Title: Introduction to Integrated Studies

Prefix & Num: INTS 1001

2. Pre-requisite(s): LEC: 1.00

Co-requisite(s): *LBC w/ cr: 0.00

Instructor permission required: No

*LEC: 1.00 *LBC w/ no cr: 0.00 Credits: 1.00

Clinical: 0.00 Practicum: 0.00 Independent Study: 0.00

3. Semester to be Implemented: Fall, 2008

Day ☑ Extended Day ☐ Grade type: Regular

4. Cost Code: Lab Fee: $0.00 Additional Fees: $0.00 Potential WLF: 0.00

Explanation of Fees:

5. Is this course designed for a specific group? Yes Who? First-year students interested in Integrated Studies and/or a major not currently offered

6. Catalog Description: ☑ Now in Print, or ☐ Proposed Below:

This course provides an orientation to college studies and the college environment for students interested in Integrated Studies and/or a major not currently available. Emphasizing interdisciplinary learning, the course encourages students to explore themes, issues and problems in a number of disciplines as a means to developing an an integrative, interdisciplinary perspective. Students will be challenged to approach their general education coursework in this manner in order to bring greater cohesiveness to their program.

The course also introduces students to the important services, information and guidance students need to transition into and succeed in college, and it covers basic academic skills, strategies, and expectations: campus services and resources, including the library, the tutoring center, counseling and advisement, and financial aid; and important policies affecting students.

7. Course justification (attach sheets if needed):

The college needs an orientation class for students interested in pursuing a baccalaureate degree but not yet matriculated into an available degree program. This course will serve as an orientation for those students as well as those interested in a degree in Integrated Studies.

8. Are library resources adequate to support this change? Yes If not, how are those resources to be acquired?

9. Are technical and other resources available? Yes If not, how are those resources to be acquired?

10. Relationship to the curriculum: Would the course fill a G.E. requirement? No If yes, which G.E. area? If it does not fill a G.E. requirement, would the course offer elective credit? Yes

11. Transferability of the course: List comparable courses at other colleges and universities:

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Approval Signatures:

Dean: Brenda Saley Date: 2/11/08

Academic VP: ___________________________ Date: ____________