Course Change Form

Date of Request: February 12, 2010

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Course Addition

1. Course Title: State and Local Government

2. Pre-requisite(s): POLS 1100

   Co-requisite(s):

   *LEC: 3.00

   *LBC w/cr: 0.00

   *LNC w/no cr: 0.00

   Credits: 3.00

   Clinical: 0.00

   Practicum: 0.00

   Independent Study: 0.00

3. Semester to be Implemented: Fall, 2010

4. Cost Code:

   Lab Fee: $0.00

   Additional Fees: $0.00

   Potential WLF: 3.00

5. Is this course designed for a specific group? No

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

   POLS - 3030 State and Local Government

   3.00 CR

   The course surveys the politics, structure, and activities of state and local governments, including intergovernmental relations, legal and theoretical concerns, political processes, and administrative issues. Special attention is given to the Utah experience. A lecture course which also employs discussion, audio-visual materials and various other instructional methods. Helps students acquire a greater understanding and appreciation of our politics and government at the state and local level. Prerequisite: POLS 1100. 3 lecture hours per week.

7. Course justification (attach sheets if needed):

   Students seeking a degree in Social Work are required to complete a course in State and Local Government. The University of Utah is bringing a Social Work degree program to campus starting Fall of 2010. In addition, the course will add to the Political Science offerings as part of the anticipated Social Science composite degree envisioned by Dixie College in the near future.

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:

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Associate Dean/Dean: 

Curriculum Chair: 

Academic VP: 

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