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601 East John Street
Champaign, IL 61820



February 14, 2002

Linn Belford
Office of the Senate
228 English Building
MC-461

Dear Professor Belford:

Enclosed are copies of a proposal from the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences to revise the English Minor.

This proposal has been approved by the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences; it now requires Senate review.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Keith A. Marshall".

Keith A. Marshall
Assistant Provost

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c: C. Livingstone

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Oct. 5, 2001
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Proposal for Revision of English Department Minor.

Sponsor: A. Kaufman, Assoc. Head. 244-1468

Description:

The revision of the English minor is to include Engl. 100 (Introduction to the Study of Literature) and Engl. 200 (Critical Approaches to Literature), considered gateway courses to literary studies.

Justification:

English has recently revised its major, adding two courses, 100 and 200, that are intended to offer instruction in approaches to and methods of literary study. They are considered the gateways to introductory and advanced work in English. The department believes that these courses should be required within the minor as well because they are fundamental to the study of literature and will result in a more knowledgeable and contemporary approach to the discipline. The minor will then mirror an essential component of the major. This would of course be helpful to those students who decided to make their English minor into a major.

Budgetary and Staff Implications:

The new minor might result in a slight expansion of our English 200 enrollment, but we anticipate that the impact of this will be minimal.

- a. None
- b. None
- c. None
- d. None

Guidelines for Undergraduate Education

Both our changes to the major and minor fall within the 1972 guidelines for undergraduate education

Statement for bulletin

3 hours: English 100 Introduction to Literary Study

3 hours English 200 Critical Approaches to Literature

3 hours. One 200-level course in British Literature before 1800

3 hours. 200-level course in British or American literature after 1800

6 hours. 300 level work

3 hours. One course selected in consultation with advisor.
Total: 21 hours

Proposed effective date: Fall 2002

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