

UWM Curricular Area Approval Form

This form is to be used for modification of curricular codes - the three-digit prefixes to UWM course numbers. Each requested modification - new, changed, or terminated curricular area code - is to originate with departmental or committee action and be routed to the appropriate dean. The dean, in turn, requests approval from the Academic Program and Curricular Committee. Approved modifications will be filed by this committee with the Secretary of the University and appropriate deans and the Vice Chancellor's Office.

Department: MAFL

Date: December 1, 2006

Type of Change: New Change Termination
Effective Semester/Year Requested: Fall 2007

Old Curricular Area

Old Curricular Area/Title: n/a

Old Curricular Area Abbreviation: n/a

New Curricular Area

New Curricular Area Title: Translation

UDDS Code: 4700

New Curricular Area Abbreviation: TRNSLTN

For new codes, description of curricular area and relationship to academic programs:

Housed within the MAFL Program, the Translation curricular area will serve as an umbrella for courses dealing with translation and interpreting. The Graduate Certificate in Translation is housed in MAFL, and there is a translation track within the MAFL degree. Translation courses are taught by faculty and academic staff members in all of the foreign language departments.

Reason for change: Students who are interested in the translation program have difficulty finding the courses they need because they are scattered among different departments. The new curricular area will allow courses to be set up as joint offerings between Translation and the appropriate foreign language curricular area. The new area code will give a stronger identity to this interdepartmental program.

Other departments and curricular areas that may be affected:

French, Italian, and Comparative Literature; Foreign Languages and Linguistics; Spanish and Portuguese - These departments work together to offer the translation program.

Approvals: Kathryn Dindia 11/13/2006
Chair, L&S Course and Curriculum Committee Date

Chair, Academic Program and Curriculum Committee Date

Dean, College of Letters and Science Date

Comments: