

CURRICULUM PROPOSAL FORM #4
UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-WHITEWATER

CHANGE IN OR DELETION OF EXISTING COURSE

Type of Action

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Course Deletion | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Requisite Change |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Course Revision | <input type="checkbox"/> | Repeatability Change |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Description Change | <input type="checkbox"/> | Diversity Option |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Title Change | <input type="checkbox"/> | General Education Option |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Number Change | <input type="checkbox"/> | area: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Contact Hour Change | <input type="checkbox"/> | Computer Requirement |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Credit Change | <input type="checkbox"/> | Writing Requirement |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Add Cross-listing | <input type="checkbox"/> | Other _____ |

Effective Term: Spring, 2000

New/Current Course Number: 840 - 345/545
Old Course Number: - 1

Crosslist Number: - 1

New/Current Course Title: Abnormal Psychology

Old Course Title: Behavior Disorders

15 Character Abbreviation: _____

25 Character Abbreviation: _____

Sponsor(s): P.B. Poorman, Ph.D.

Department(s): Psychology

College(s): Letters & Sciences

Other Programs Affected: _____

Check if course is required in: Major/Emphasis (specify): _____

Minor/Emphasis (specify): _____

Other (specify): _____

Attach the following:

- I. Detailed explanation of changes (use FROM/TO format)
We are requesting that the title of 840-345/545 be changed from Behavior Disorders to Abnormal Psychology.

We are also requesting that the requisite structure be changed from: Prereq: 840-304 or 6 credits in psychology and junior standing to: Co-req: 840-304 OR graduate standing.

II. Justification for action

We are recommending a change in the course title to better reflect contemporary course content and to match those titles in standard usage for similar courses offered at other institutions. The change is anticipated to result in less confusion for our students and for institutions where they may be subsequently employed or engaged in graduate studies.

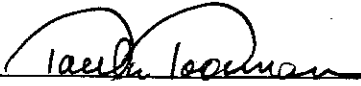

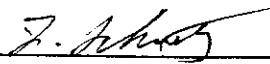
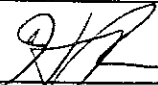
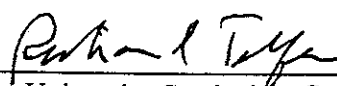
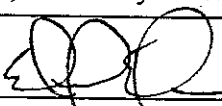
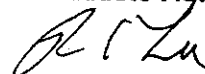

The change in the requisite structure addresses three concerns about student preparation for the course: 1) acknowledgement that while Psychology of Personality (840-304) constitutes sound preparation for the study of Abnormal Psychology, the portion of the Abnormal Psychology course for which Psychology of Personality is most critical (treatment, intervention, and prevention) falls near the end of the course. So, while it would be ideal for a student to have completed 840-304 before taking 345/545, it is possible to take the courses concurrently and still benefit from them both; 3) departmental acknowledgement that graduate students should be allowed to register for the course without 840-304 either as prereq or coreq.

CURRICULAR ACTION

SIGNATURE PAGE

(Use for forms 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, and 8)

Description of Action: Change in Title
Change in Requisite Course # (if applicable): 840-345/545
 Program or Course Title: Behavior Disorders ^{from} Abnormal Psych ^{to}

<u></u>	<u>9/22/99</u>
Proposal Sponsor	Date of Submission
<u></u>	<u>Psychology</u>
Chair of Sponsoring Department	Department
	<u>9-23-99</u>
	Approval Date
<u></u>	<u>10/7/99</u>
Chair, College Curriculum Committee	Approval Date
<u></u>	<u>LSU</u>
Dean of College	College
	<u>10/8/99</u>
	Approval Date
For Undergraduate Actions:	
If a course is to be considered as a Diversity option:	
_____	___ Recommended _____
Chair, Diversity Committee	___ Not Recommended _____ Date
If a course is to be considered as a General Education option:	
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Chair, General Education Committee	___ Not Recommended _____ Date
<u></u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Received for Recording
Chair, University Curriculum Committee	___ Approved <u>Oct 22, 99</u>
	___ Not Approved _____ Date
<u></u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Received for Recording
Chair, Faculty Senate	___ Approved <u>Nov 9, 99</u>
	___ Not Approved _____ Date
For Graduate Actions:	
<u></u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Received for Recording
Graduate Council	___ Approved <u>Feb 21, 00</u>
	___ Not Approved _____ Date
Received:	
<u></u>	<u>Feb 21, 2000</u>
Provost and Vice Chancellor	Date

_____ See "page 2" of signature page for consultation results (check if applicable)