Instructions for Minor Revisions:

- Complete this form when the proposed changes will impact the words, numbers, or symbols as presented in the current catalog copy (often referred to as “changing the footprint of the catalog”).
- Catalog copy is available at [http://www.fgcu.edu/catalog/](http://www.fgcu.edu/catalog/). Scroll down to “Academic Programs” on the left navigation bar. Select Minors and choose the Minor to be edited. Select “Print Program Details” in the upper right corner. Copy and paste catalog copy into a Word document. Turn on the tracking function (be sure that both additions and deletions appear in the tracking). Update the catalog year and make edits. Save the document as a Word file.
- When the proposed changes are approved by the College Curriculum Team, the College Administrator will send the following to Peggy Raynor in OCI by October 31 for implementation the following catalog year.
  o An electronic MS Word version of the tracked catalog via email.
  o A color hard copy of tracked catalog copy and this Minor Revision Proposal via campus mail.
  o An electronic MS Word version of a degree curriculum map via email (please refer to question #13 below for further explanation).
- If changes are for courses only and there is no impact on the catalog copy, this revision form is not necessary. When these “stand alone” courses have been approved in CMS, the CMS College Administrator should send a list to Peggy Raynor in OCI. The same October 31 deadline applies.
- All changes to courses are completed via the Curriculum Management System (CMS)
- Reminder: The prefix/number for a new course is handled one way in the catalog copy and another in CMS. In the catalog copy, identify a new course with the suggested title, suggested prefix and course level, plus XXX (e.g. ART 4XXX). When final approval for the course prefix/number is received from Statewide Course Numbering System, the catalog copy will be updated. In CMS, a new course is requested by entering the suggested title and suggested prefix/number with no XXX. See instructions in CMS for selecting an appropriate suggested prefix/number.

1. **Minor Title:**
   Global Studies

2. **Contact person:** Richard W. Coughlin

   **College:** College of Arts and Science

   **Department/School:** Public Affairs

   **Telephone:** 239-7199

3. **Briefly describe the proposed revision(s).**

   1. **Proposal author minor contact is Dr. Joe Cudjoe**

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PUP 4014 Comparative Social Policy
2. Deletion of courses no longer in the FGCU catalogue
CPO 4375 Politics of the Caribbean and Central America
LAS 3004 The Americas

3. Addition of relevant existing courses that have and will be offered on a regular basis.
CPO 2001 Introduction to Comparative Politics
ISS 2200 Introduction to International Studies
SYG 2012 Comparative Sociology - Global Issues
CPO 3034 Politics of Developing Nations
CPO 3403 Politics of the Middle East
CPO 3731 Comparative Democratization
CPO 3760 Religion and Politics
INR 4075 International Human Rights
AFH 3100 African History to 1850
AFH 3200 African History Since 1850
AFH 3443 East and Southern Africa
AFH 3454 The Horn of Africa
ASH 3323 Modern South Asia
ASH 3550 Post Colonial India
ASH 4442 History of Modern Japan
LAH 3724 Race in Latin America
LAH 3732 Popular Culture in Latin America
WOH 3044 20th Century World History
WOH 3221 Women in World History
WOH 3231 Genocide in World History
WOH 4225 The Atlantic World

4. Addition of proposed courses that will be offered on a regular basis

INR 4xx International Organizations
CPO 4xx European Politics
CPO 4xx Politics of Extremism

5. Elimination of the subheadings of the "Regional and Global Environments" and "Area Studies."

6. Addition of 3 hours to the Minor with students being required to take two courses from the first menu of courses in the revised catalog copy.

4. Effective date: Fall 2014
Changes are effective in the fall of the year. Exceptions are approved only in unusual circumstances with adequate justification.

5. **Briefly explain the rationale for the proposed revision to include its educational and occupational goals.**

   Link the proposed revision to assessment and institutional effectiveness activities (feedback from students, market demands, program evaluation, resource allocation, etc.).

   Increasing the Minor from 15 to 18 hours by means of requiring students to take two Global Studies oriented lower division courses would provide students with a more solid foundation in the study of Global Politics and better enable these students to pursue upper division course work in the Minor.

   The Global Studies Minor should comprise a set of globally oriented courses that are offered on a regular basis so that students are able to complete the requirements of this minor within a reasonable length of time. This minor needs to be updated in terms of both courses that are being or will be offered on a regular basis. A review of the FGCU course schedule finds that all of the courses listed under #1 above have not been offered since AY 2008-9. It is misleading to students to keep these courses in the Global Studies Minor.

   The existing courses that are proposed for inclusion in the Minor have been offered on a regular basis and have faculty who are committed to teaching these courses on a regular basis for the foreseeable future.

   The proposed courses that are proposed for inclusion in the Minor have faculty that are clearly committed to teaching these courses on a regular basis.

   INR 3003 is proposed for deletion from the first list of courses because it is an upper division course primarily intended for Political Science majors.

   The subheadings Regional and Global Environments and Area Studies are proposed for elimination because they are the inconsistent with the way in which the rest of the Minor is formatted.

6. **Describe additional library resources needed to support this revision? Explain rationale for response, even if answer is None.**

   No new library resources are required to support the proposed changes to the Global Studies Minor. Library resources are already being provided for all of the existing courses that this revision proposes to add to the Minor.

7. **Describe additional faculty resources needed to support this revision? Explain rationale for response, even if answer is None.**

   The Comparative Politics and International Relations courses that are proposed for addition to the minor are supported by two relatively new faculty members at FGCU - Dr. Hootan Shambayatti and Dr. Vanja Petricevic.

   ISS 2200 has been offered as a general education courses at Florida Gulf Coast University semester for last four consecutive fall terms. Faculty resources have been consistently made available to deliver this course.

   All additional course that are being added to this minor are being taught by faculty in their respective programs. So these additions require no new or additional use of faculty resources.

8. **Describe additional technology, facility, laboratory, or other resources needed to support this revision? Explain rationale for response, even if answer is None.**

   No additional resources are needed to modify the Global Studies Minor as proposed above.

9. **What impact will the proposed revision have on other colleges, units, or programs?**
The inclusion of a wide range of courses from History and Political Science in the Minor major may have a small but discernible impact in improving enrollments in these classes and creating body of students with greater cross disciplinary interests in Global Studies.

Increasing the size of the Minor from 15 to 18 hours may have a similar affect of increasingly enrollment, simply because students would have to take three additional hours in order to complete the requirements of the Minor.

10. New courses:
   ☑ No new courses are required.
   ☑ New courses are needed. List prefix/number/title below. Complete a Course Add Form for each from the Curriculum Management System - https://midas.fgcu.edu/acadaff/scns/

   CPO 4xxx Politics of Extremism
   CPO 3xxx European Politics
   INR 4xxx International Organizations

* These course proposals are in the Curriculum Management System. They are proposed in order to broaden the undergraduate Political Science program's coverage of the subfields of Comparative Politics and International Relations.

11. Change to existing courses:
   ☑ No existing courses are being changed.
   ☑ Existing courses are being changed. List prefix/number/title below. Complete a Course Change Form for each from the Curriculum Management System - https://midas.fgcu.edu/acadaff/scns/

12. Termination of existing courses:
   ☑ No existing courses are being deleted from the FGCU course inventory.
   ☑ Courses are being terminated. List prefix/number/title below. Complete a Course Terminate Form for each course from the Curriculum Management System - https://midas.fgcu.edu/acadaff/scns/

13. What impact will the proposed revision have on the progression or sequencing of courses in this Minor?
    Please provide evidence, with an electronic MS Word version, in the form of a Minor curriculum map, a listing of required and restricted elective courses in the Minor and their prerequisites or other form appropriate for your Minor (consult with College Curriculum Team Chair for additional information).

14. Catalog copy:
    Please see Instructions above.

15. Additional remarks:
    Once again, the purpose of this proposal is simply to align the Global Studies Minor with courses that are and will be offered within the foreseeable future.

APPROVALS (required prior to submission)
Department/Program Chair/Director

College Curriculum Committee Chair

Date 10-2-15

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College Dean: [Signature]

Date: [Date]

Does another department or unit provide related expertise or offer similar courses? □ No  □ Yes (If yes, have the other department complete the following. Attach a separate sheet if needed.)

Department/Unit: ____________________________

□ Supports this proposal   □ Does not support this proposal   □ Defers Recommendation

Authorizing signature: ____________________________ Date: ____________________________

Comments: ____________________________

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