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To: CLASS Undergraduate Studies Committee

From: Lois Parkinson Zamora, Chair, Comparative Cultural Studies

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Re: Proposal for minor in **Global and International Studies** 

**Comparative Cultural Studies** 

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for Undergrad Studies

**Item:** New Minor in Global and International Studies in the Department of Comparative Cultural Studies

**Description and Rationale**: The Department of Comparative Cultural Studies (CCS) is a new department that has combined programs in Anthropology, Religious Studies, Liberal Studies, and India Studies, a new minor approved for Fall 2012. CCS offers a major and minor in Anthropology, a minor in Religious Studies, a minor in India Studies and the Liberal Studies major. As part of CCS's three-year strategic plan for integrating existing CCS programs and course offerings, and for developing interdisciplinary and collaborative programs that bring together a range of Humanities and Social Science offerings across the College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences, the department seeks to create a minor in Global and International Studies (GIS).

**Interdisciplinary Intentions:** The GIS minor offers students an interdisciplinary minor addressing trans-cultural and trans-historical topics in global contexts. This minor requires that students cross departmental and disciplinary lines to focus on a topic, region, or period. They are permitted to take only two courses in the same department, to assure the interdisciplinarity that the GIS minor intends. The minor provides ample curricular options so that students may move among disciplines to focus their minor in ways that will prepare them for their future graduate studies or jobs in our increasingly globalized marketplace.

**The Gateway:** To fulfill the minor in GIS, students will have one required gateway course to choose from between two options, based on the particular orientation they intend. These options are: CCS 2394 "Introduction to Global and International Studies" (currently a "Selected Topics" course, for which a permanent catalogue listing will be designated as soon as possible) for those students who are particularly interested in themes related to modernization and globalization; or, CCS 2350 "Perspectives on Cultural Studies," for those students whose interests lean more towards historical and anthropological themes.

**Concentrations:** Students who opt for the GIS minor have an approved list of courses grouped according to concentrations in topics, regions, or periods. They will be guided by designated CCS and Affiliated Faculty from across CLASS (and including faculty in the Colleges of Education and Architecture), who will assist them in focusing their GIS minor within their selected area of concentration. The courses listed in the concentrations are not exclusive to that concentration; students may complement their chosen concentration with relevant courses from the list as a

whole. This is essential for the sake of flexibility (intellectual and curricular), and also because some concentrations offer more course options than others. In all cases, students must select courses coherent with, and complementary to their selected area of concentration.

See the final section of this document, which lists CCS and Affiliate Faculty in concentration areas. This list will be posted on the CCS website.

Approved Courses: The list of courses for the GIS minor has been developed in consultation with CCS and Affiliate Faculty The concentrations take into account substantive global and international content, interest and utility to students, frequency/regularity of scheduled offerings, and flexibility to contribute to student success rates, i.e., the ability to complete the GIS minor and to move towards graduation in a timely manner. A number of courses are relevant to more than one concentration, and are therefore listed more than once in the approved course list below, as a means of guiding and focusing student course selection. The aim is to allow the flexibility necessary to serve our students' intellectual and professional goals as they enter the global economy--global in myriad cultural, professional, and interpersonal ways.

**No Double Counting:** Note that no course taken to fulfill the GIS minor may be applied towards a student's major or other minors. (NB: Liberal Studies also prohibits any and all "double dipping" among the three minors required for the BA in Liberal Studies.) Students will choose their concentration in consultation with relevant CCS and Affiliate Faculty members and with the minor's Academic Advisor (Tamara Cobb), always with a view towards intellectual depth, focus, and coherence within a particular concentration. In exceptional cases, a student may also design his/her concentration from the approved courses in consultation with a Faculty Mentor and the Departmental Advisor.

**Pre-Requisites:** If there are pre-requisites for a particular course that a student has not completed as part of his/her Core or major requirements, he/she may request permission of the instructor to take the course, or select another course from those approved for the minor.

#### Proposed Catalogue Language:

"For a minor in Global and International Studies, students must:

- 1. Complete at least 15 semester credit hours of approved course work, including one of the courses below. Both may be taken for credit toward the minor:
  - o ANTH 2395/CCS 2394: Selected Topics: Introduction to Global and International Studies
  - o CCS 2350: Perspectives on Cultural Studies
- 2. Complete at least 9 of the 15 hours in residence, and at least nine (9) credit hours of the 15 hours at the 3000 or 4000 level.

- 3. Earn a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.00 in all courses used in fulfillment of the minor.
- 4. Select 12 hours from the following list according to the recommended concentrations. Courses for the GIS minor may not include more than six (6) credit hours in any one department, and no course may count toward another minor or major. Other requirements and pre-requisites may apply:

## Topics:

## Myth, Belief and Society

WCL 3355:

ANTH 2302: Introduction to Cultural Anthropology ANTH 3316: Society and Culture of India ANTH 3348: Anthropology of Religion ANTH 4301: Language and Cultural Cognition ANTH 4340: Anthropology through Literature CLAS 3375: Roman, Jew, and Christian: The Politics and Sociology of Religion in the First Century A.D. ENGL 2316: Literature and Culture ENGL 4366: Introduction to Folklore. ENGL 4370: Folktale HIST 3310: History of Religions of America to 1865 HIST 3311: History of Religions of America Since 1865 Witchcraft in the Old & New World HIST 4323: HON 4375: Global Studies and Research PSYC 2344: Cultural Psychology PSYC 3331: Psychology of Gender RELS 2330: Judaism RELS 2340: Introduction to Hinduism (WID, Fall 212) RELS 2350: Introduction to Islam (WID, Fall 212) RELS 2360: Introduction to Buddhism (WID, Fall 212) The Bible and Modern Science RELS 3370: SOC 3322: African American Religion SOC 3375: Religion and Society SOC 3385: Sociology of World Religions

Women East and West: Global Representations of

Female Divinities

# Migration and Diaspora

ANTH 2302: ANTH 3304: ANTH 3363: ANTH 4301: ANTH 4343:	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology Demographic Anthropology Race in Anthropological Perspective Language and Cultural Cognition Ethnicity and Multiculturalism
ARCH 4374:	World Cities
ECON 3340: ECON 3363:	Comparative Economic Systems Environmental Economics
ENGL 4367:	Documenting Community Culture
HIST 3379: HIST 3380: HIST 3381: HIST 3382:	World Civilizations to c.e. 1500 World Civilization Since c.e. 1500 African Civilizations Before 1750 African Civilizations Since 1750
HON 4375:	Global Studies and Research
INTB 3354: INTB 3355:	The History of Globalization and International Business The Political Economy of Globalization
MUSI 3301:	Listening to World Music
CUST 4300:	Transnational Migration
POLS 1335: POLS 4333: POLS 3330:	World Politics Islam and Democracy Comparative Political Economy
RELS 4360:	Clash of Civilizations
SOC 3326: SOC 3328: SOC 3327: SOC 3328: SOC 3343:	Immigration in U.S. Society Race and Ethnicity in World Perspective Race and Ethnic Relations in the United States Race and Ethnicity in World Perspective Social Movements
WCL 3365:	World Fiction and Reportage

# Transnationalism and Globalization

ANTH 2302: Introduction to Cultural Anthropology

ANTH 3350: Women and Health: Anthropological Perspectives

ARCH 2350: Survey of Architectural History I ARCH 2351: Survey of Architectural History II 🛽

ARCH 4374: World Cities

CCS 3393: Comparative Approaches to Indigenous Cultures in the

**Americas** 

CCS 3350: Brazilian Cultures and their Histories

CCS 3351: African Religious Practices in the Americas

CHNS 3354: Chinese Culture and Language CHNS 3360: A Look Into Modern China

COMM 1301: Media and Society

COMM 4378: The Social Impact of New Information Technology

COMM 4375: Propaganda and Mass Communication

ECON 2301: Global Economic Concepts
ECON 3344: History of Economic Doctrines
ECON 3351: Economics of Development
ECON 3363: Environmental Economics
ECON 3385: Economics of Energy

ENGL 2301: Western World Literature (Classicism through

Renaissance)

ENGL 2302: Western World Literature (Neoclassical to Present)

HIST 3379: World Civilizations Before c.e. 1500 HIST 3380: World Civilization Since c.e. 1500

HIST 3383: World Revolutions

HIST 2351: Western Civilization Before 1450 HIST 2353: Western Civilization From 1450

HON 4375: Global Studies and Research

INTB 3351: History of Globalization INTB 3352: Politics of Globalization INTB 3353: Economics of Globalization

INTB 3354: The History of Globalization and International Business

INTB 3355: The Political Economy of Globalization

POLS 1335: World Politics

POLS 3321: Revolution and System Change POLS 3328: Politics of the Developing Areas

POLS 3335: Political Terrorism

POLS 3337: Nationalism and Nationality

POLS 3339: Comparative Public Policy POLS 3343: Democratic Theory POLS 4344: Equality, Justice, and Democracy POLS 4333: Islam and Democracy Selected Topics in Political Theory and Methodology POLS 4394: POLS 4396: Selected Topics in Comparative Politics and International Politics PSYC 2344: Cultural Psychology SOC 3343: Social Movements SPAN 3341: Language of Business and Trade SPAN 3342: Cross-Cultural Business Contexts: U.S./Latin America WCL 4379: Critical Theory and Globalization. **Health and Healing** ANTH 2302: Introduction to Cultural Anthropology ANTH 3342: Food and Culture ANTH 3347: Anthropology of Women ANTH 3363: Race in Anthropological Perspective ANTH 3364: Disease in Antiquity ANTH 4337: Anthropology of the Life Cycle. ANTH 4384: Anthropology of HIV ARTH 4310: The Human Body in Non-Western Art COMM 3372: Gender and Media ENGL 3367: Gay and Lesbian Literature

HIST 3302: Sex and Society in American History

HIST 3303: Disease, Health, and Medicine in American History

HIST 3318: The History of American Health Care Policy

HIST 3319: Plagues and Pestilence: Epidemics in World History

HON 4375: Global Studies and Research

MUSI 3301: Listening to World Music

PSYC 2335: Health Psychology

SOC 3321: The African American Family

SOC 3380: Introduction to the Sociology of Health Care

## WOST 2360: Introduction to Women's Studies

## Visual Cultures and Modern Media

ARCH 1359: Design since 1945

ARCH 2350: Survey of Architectural History I ARCH 2351: Survey of Architectural History II 2

ARCH 3350: Architecture, Art, and Politics (prerequisites ARCH

2350-2351, or permission of instructor)

ARTH 3312: Pre-Columbian Art ARTH 3313: Pre-Columbian Art

ARTH 2388: Survey of the Art of Africa, Oceania and the Americas

ARTH 3314: Latin American Art

CHNS 3350: Chinese Culture Through Films

COMM 1301: Media and Society

COMM 2370: Film Appreciation

COMM 3324: Photojournalism

COMM 3370: History of Cinema COMM 3372: Gender and Media

COMM 4337: Television and the Family

COMM 4370: Social Aspects of Film

COMM 4375: Propaganda and Mass Communication

COMM 4378: The Social Impact of New Information Technology

GERM 3381: German Cinema

MUSI 3301: Listening to World Music

PHIL 3371: Depiction, Narration, and Critical Theory

PHIL 1361: Philosophy and the Arts

PSYC 4343: Perception Psychology

SOC 3340: Sociology of Film

SOC 4383: Senior Seminar in Visual Sociology

THEA 3335: History of the Theatre I (Antiquity to Early Modern Era)

THEA 3336: History of the Theatre II (18th century to the Present)

WCL 2351 World Cultures Through Literature and the Arts

WCL 2352: World Cinema

WCL 3366: Latin American & Latino Film Studies WCL 3376: Visual Stories: Local and the Global

# **Regions:**

# Hemispheric America (Comparative American Cultures)

ANTH 3324: ANTH 3375: ANTH 3377: ANTH 4372: ANTH 4373: ANTH 4376:	Peoples and Cultures of Latin America North American Archeology Archaeology of Central America Maya Archaeology Archaeology of the Aztecs and Their Neighbors Archaeology of the Southeastern United States Archaeology of Texas  Latin American Architecture (prerequisite ARCH 2350-
	2351 or permission of the instructor)
ARTH 3312: ARTH 3313: ARTH 2388: ARTH 3314: ARTH 4394:	Pre-Columbian Art Pre-Columbian Art Survey of the Art of Africa, Oceania and the Americas Latin American Art Ancient Gulf Coast of Mexico
CCS 3393:	Comparative Approaches to Indigenous Cultures in the Americas
CCS 3350: CCS 3351:	Brazilian Cultures and their Histories African Religious Practices in the Americas
ECON 3350:	American Economic Growth
ENGL 3322: ENGL 3368: ENGL 4394:	Contemporary Fiction: Magical Realism Caribbean Novels The Historical Novel: Latin American History Through the Novel
HIST 2371: HIST 2372: HIST 3310: HIST 3311: HIST 3316: HIST 3317: HIST 3338: HIST 3370: HIST 3371: HIST 3376: HIST 4366:	Latin America 1492-1820 Latin America Since 1820 History of Religions of America to 1865 History of Religions of America Since 1865 Race and Racism in American Science and Medicine Making of Ethnic America Native American History Twentieth Century Revolutions in Latin America The U.S. and Latin America Caribbean History Latin American History through the Novel

LAST 3300:	Latin America: Hemispheric and Global Perspectives
PHIL 3371:	Depiction, Narration, and Critical Theory
POLS 3328:	Politics of the Developing Areas
POLS 3322:	Introduction to Latin American Politics
POLS 3349:	American Political Thought
POLS 3343:	Democratic Theory
POLS 3331:	American Foreign Policy
SOC 3320:	African American Stratification
SOC 3324:	
	Hispanic Identity
SOC 3327:	Race and Ethnic Relations in the United States
SPAN 3373:	Spanish Culture and Civilization
SPAN 3374:	Spanish American Culture and Civilization
SPAN 3375:	United States Hispanic Culture and Civilization
SPAN 4368:	Mexican Literature in the Twentieth Century
SPAN 4391:	Latin American and Latino Cultural Studies
WCL 4301:	Culture and Communication: Methods in Linguistic Anthropology

# The Afro-Atlantic World

ANTH 2302:	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology
ANTH 3338:	Peoples of Africa
ANTH 3341:	Cultural Ecology
ANTH 4377:	Archaeology of the African Diaspora
ARTH 2388:	Survey of the Art of Africa, Oceania and the Americas
CCS 3350:	Brazilian Cultures and their Histories
CCS 3351:	African Religious Practices in the Americas
ECON 3340:	Comparative Economic Systems
ECON 3363:	Environmental Economics
ENGL 3360:	Survey of African American Literature
ENGL 3364:	African American Poetry and Drama
HIST 3368:	World Environmental History to 1800
HIST 3391:	Africa and the Indian Ocean World
HIST 3392:	Central Africans and the Atlantic Diaspora
HIST 3381:	African Civilizations Before 1750

HIST 3382: African Civilizations Since 1750 HIST 4318: Africa and the Oil Industry

HIST 3397: Global Environmental History to 1800

HIST 4396: Africa 1945-Present

POLS 3328: Politics of the Developing Areas SOC 3322: African American Religion

## The Pacific Rim/Asian America

ANTH 2302: Introduction to Cultural Anthropology

ECON 3355: Economic Development of Asia

HIST 3388: China: Early Civilization to 1600 (formerly HIST 3386)

HIST 3389: China Since 1600 (formerly HIST 3385)

HON 4375: Global Studies and Research

CUST 2300: Intro to Asian American Studies & Cultural Studies CUST 3310: Asian American Communities in Popular Culture CUST 4397: Emergent Asian Cities and Global Assemblages

CUST 4300: Transnational Migration

POLS 4322: Political Economy of Asia

POLS 3343: Democratic Theory

## **Greater Asia**

ANTH 3316: Society and Culture of India

ANTH 3341: Cultural Ecology

CHNS 3350: Chinese Culture Through Films

CHNS 3352: Chinese Culture and Society Through Modern Literature

CHNS 3354: Chinese Culture and Language CHNS 3360: A Look Into Modern China

HIST 3388: China: Early Civilization to 1600 (formerly HIST 3386)

HIST 3389: China Since 1600 (formerly HIST 3385)
HIST 3391: Africa and the Indian Ocean World

CUST 3315: South Asian Youth and Global Culture

RELS 3380: Introduction to Asian Religions

RELS 2340: Introduction to Hinduism (Formerly 3390; WID core, as

of Fall 2012)

RELS 2350: Introduction to Islam (Formerly 3350; WID core, as of

Fall 2012)

RELS 2360: Introduction to Buddhism (Formerly 3385; WID core, as

of Fall 2012)

#### The Middle East

ANTH 3348: Anthropology of Religion

ANTH 3315: Muslim Peoples of the Middle East

or WLC 3377: The Modern Middle East: Literature, Politics, and

Ideas (only one will count toward the minor)

ARAB 3306: Introduction to Arabic Culture, Language, and Islam

ARAB 3313: Qur'an as Scripture.

ARCH 4374: World Cities

HIST 3390: Middle East: Pictures & Words

POLS 3326: Government and Politics in the Middle East

POLS 4333: Islam and Democracy

RELS 2350: Introduction to Islam (WID core, as of Fall 2012)

RELS 4360: Clash of Civilizations

WCL 2351 World Cultures Through Literature and the Arts

WCL 3377: The Modern Middle East: Literature, Politics, and Ideas

or ANTH 3315: Muslim Peoples of the Middle East

(only one will count toward the minor)

## **Europe, including the Former Soviet Union**

ARCH 3356: City as Palimpsest: Paris (prerequisite ARCH 2350-

512351 or permission of instructor)

ECON 3341: Russian and Soviet Economic Development and

Transformation

GERM 4359: Germany since Reunification

HIST 2351: Western Civilization to 1450

HIST 2353: Western Civilization From 1450

	HIST 3347:	Comparative European Revolutions - English, French, and Russian
	HIST 3355:	British Empire Since 1500
	HIST 4327:	Europe 1930-1945
	POLS 3324:	Government and Politics in Contemporary Germany
	POLS 3329:	The Nations of Europe
	POLS 3344:	Capitalism and Socialism
	POLS 3325:	Government and Politics of Russia and the Commonwealth
	POLS 3320:	Government and Politics in Great Britain
	POLS 4329:	European Union Politics
	RELS 2310:	The Bible and Western Culture
	SPAN 3373:	Spanish Culture and Civilization
ds: Antic	quity	
	CLAS 3308:	Myths and the Cult of Ancient Gods
	CLAS 3345:	Myth and Performance in Greek Tragedy (Visual and Performing Arts core)
	CLAS 3374:	Women in the Ancient World
	CLAS 3375:	Roman, Jew, and Christian: The Politics and Sociology of
		Religion in the First Century A.D.
	CLAS 4305:	Fifth-Century Athens: Readings in Intellectual, Literary, and Political
	CLAS 4353:	Classics and Modernity: The Uses of Antiquity in Modern and Postmodern Contexts
	CLAS 4370:	Comparative Epic
	CLAS 4374:	Sex and Gender in Antiquity
	CLAS 4381:	Latin Classics in Translation or ENGL 4381: Latin Classics in Translation (either CLAS 4381 or ENGL 4381; only one will count toward the minor)
	HIST 2361:	Early Civilizations
	HIST 3339:	Ancient Greece
	HIST 3340:	Ancient Rome
	HIST 4335:	Greek and Roman Historians
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THEA 3335: History of the Theatre I (Antiquity to Early Modern Era)

POLS 4346: Greek Political Thought

**Periods:** 

# WCL 4301: Culture and Communication: Methods in Linguistic Anthropology

## Medieval/Early Modernity

ENGL 3302:	Medieval Literature
ENGL 3305:	English Renaissance
ENGL 3306:	Shakespeare: The Major Works
HIST 2351:	Western Civilization to 1450
HIST 3335:	Barbarians and the Birth of Europe to 1050 A.D.
HIST 3336:	Europe in the Age of Chivalry: The High Middle Ages
	1050-1350
HIST 4328:	The Vikings
HIST 4329:	The Viking and Norman Worlds
HIST 4330:	The Flowering of the Middle Ages
HIST 4331:	The Normans
HIST 4332:	The Crusades
HIST 4333:	Europe in the Renaissance
HIST 4334:	The Reformation in Europe (formerly 3337)
HON 4375:	Global Studies and Research
POLS 3340:	Ancient and Medieval Political Thought
POLS 3341:	Political Thought From Machiavelli and the Renaissance

## **Modernity/Postmodernity**

CLAS 4353:	Classics and Modernity: The Uses of Antiquity in Modern and Postmodern Contexts
ENGL 3321:	Modern British Literature
ENGL 3324:	The Development of the Novel
ENGL 3353:	Modern American Fiction

GERM 3350:	Understanding the 20th Century through German
	Culture

ENGL 3354: Contemporary American Fiction

ENGL 3365: Postcolonial Literature

GERM 3362:	Paris and Berlin
GERM 3364:	Writing Holocausts: The Literatures of Genocide

HIST 2363:	Modern Civilizations
HIST 3363:	Pirates and Smugglers in the Modern World
HIST 2353:	Western Civilization From 1450

ITAL 3304: Culture of Italy

ITAL 3306: Italian Culture Through Films

WCL 4351: Frames of Modernity I (History of Ideas from 1780-

1940)

WCL 4352: Frames of Modernity II (From Postmodernism to

Globalization).

WCL 4353: Frames of Modernity III (Classics and Modernity)

## **Proposed Website Language**

## **Suggested Concentrations and Faculty Mentors**

**Rationale:** Below is a list of faculty mentors in Comparative Cultural Studies and other departments and colleges who have been invited to act as Affiliated Faculty mentors to students taking the Global and International Studies minor. Each has been consulted on the GIS minor, and have generously agreed to be named on the CCS website in association with relevant concentrations. They may be called upon to consult with GIS minors as they focus in the following areas.

## **Topics:**

## Myth, Belief and Society

Carl Lindahl, English Marie-Theresa Hernández, Modern and Classical Languages Helen Rose Ebaugh, Sociology Andrew Gordon, Comparative Cultural Studies Rebecca Storey, Comparative Cultural Studies

## **Migration and Diaspora**

Hosam Aboul-Ela, English James Conyers, African American Studies Susan Kellogg, History

## **Transnationalism and Globalization**

Alessandro Carrera, Modern and Classical Languages Ruxandra Prodan, Economics Lois Parkinson Zamora, Comparative Cultural Studies

## **Health and Healing**

William Monroe, English Janis Hutchinson, Comparative Cultural Studies

#### Visual Cultures and Modern Media

Rex Koontz, Art

Xavia Karner, Sociology

Michelangelo Sabatino, Department of Architectural History and Theory, College of Architecture

## Regions:

## Hemispheric America (Comparative American Cultures)

Hosam Aboul-Ela, English;

Anadeli Bencomo, Hispanic Studies

Susan Kellogg, History

Kayla Price de Guadian, Language Acquisition Center

Marie-Theresa Hernández, Modern and Classical Languages

Lois Parkinson Zamora, Comparative Cultural Studies

#### The Afro-Atlantic World

James Convers, African American Studies

Kairn Kleiman, History

Kenneth Brown, Comparative Cultural Studies

Susan Rasmussen, Comparative Cultural Studies

#### The Pacific Rim

Yali Zou, Educational Leadership and Cultural Studies, College of Education

Sharon Wen, Modern and Classical Languages

#### **Greater Asia**

Helen Rose Ebaugh, Sociology

Sharon Wen, Modern and Classical Languages

Yali Zou, Educational Leadership and Cultural Studies, College of Education

#### The Middle East

Emran El-Badawi, Modern and Classical Languages

Hosam Aboul-Ela, English

## **Europe, including the Former Soviet Union**

Ruxandra Prodan, Economics

Thomas Behr, Comparative Cultural Studies

David Phillips, Philosophy

Susan Scarrow, Political Science

Sarah Fishman, History

## **Periods:**

## **Antiquity**

Richard Armstrong, Modern and Classical Languages;

Francesca Behr, Modern and Classical Languages

Kairn Kleiman, History

## **Medieval/Early Modernity**

Francesca Behr, Modern and Classical Languages Jamie Ferguson, English

## **Modernity**

Anadeli Bencomo, Hispanic Studies Susan Scarrow, Political Science Alessandro Carrera, Modern and Classical Languages Michelangelo Sabatino, Department of Architectural History and Theory, College of Architecture