



University Curriculum Committee

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April 16, 2010

TO: Daniel Holland, Chair, Academic Senate

FROM: Carlyn Morenus, Chair, University Curriculum Committee

RE: Proposal to Delete the Theatre Education Sequence in the Minor in Theatre

The University Curriculum Committee has approved and is forwarding for Academic Senate review the attached School of Theatre proposal to delete the Theatre Education Sequence in the Minor in Theatre.

The School of Theatre's rationale for the deletion of the Theatre Education Sequence is "because of revised State of Illinois requirements for endorsements to teaching certificates, teacher education minors no longer correspond to endorsement requirements, nor do they necessarily lead to a teaching credential." The effect is expected to be minimal in light of the Minor in Theatre remaining in the catalog. The Minor in Theatre will remain an option and most students seeking endorsement in this area would complete requirements for the minor as they complete endorsement requirements.

If approved by the Academic Senate, the Theatre Education Sequence in the Minor in Theatre will be removed from the 2012-2014 Undergraduate Catalog.

Attachments

# Delete Undergraduate Program (Majors, Minors, Sequences) Proposal Illinois State University - University Curriculum Committee

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Title of Program Theatre Education Sequence in the Minor in Theatre

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Catalog Year to be deleted  $\frac{2010-2012}{2010-2012}$ 

1. Provide *Undergraduate Catalog* copy to be removed regarding this program.

Current *Undergraduate Catalog* copy for program. (Page 296-297) Theatre Education Sequence:

- 24 hours in Theatre required.

**CIPS Classification** 

- Required courses: THE 100, 101, 110, 160, 240, 385, and 376 or 377
- Students registering for THE 160 may be required to take 1 hour of THE 102/302 Practicum.
- 4 hours of THE 185 and 285 are prerequisites for THE 385. For students without these prerequisites, the Minor in Theatre/Teacher Education Sequence may require 28 hours.
- NOTE: The School recommends that students who plan to teach in high school take COM 123 and 223.

The Theatre Teacher Education Minor does not lead directly to teacher certification. Students seeking an additional teaching endorsement in this academic area should contact their advisor or the Illinois State Board of Education Web site (<a href="www.isbe.net">www.isbe.net</a>) for specific certification requirements.

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#### 2. Provide a list of other programs referencing this program.

To the best of our knowledge this minor is not mentioned specifically by any other program or department.

#### 3. Provide a rationale for deleting program.

Because of revised State of Illinois requirements for endorsements to teaching certificates, teacher education minors no longer correspond to endorsement requirements, nor do they necessarily lead to a teaching credential.

## 4. Describe the expected effect of the proposed program deletion on existing campus programs.

The effect is expected to be minimal in light of the Minor in Theatre remaining in the catalog.

#### 5. What arrangements will be made for program faculty and students?

Catalog copy will be revised to direct students to appropriate information concerning endorsement requirements. The Minor in Theatre will remain an option, and most students seeking endorsement in this area would complete requirements for this minor as they complete endorsement requirements.

### 6. What is the anticipated budget effect?

None

7.	No	Did this program previously count towards teacher education?

# 8. No Was this an Interdisciplinary Studies program?

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## 9. Routing and action summary for Program Deletion:

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All deleted programs (majors, minors, sequences) are routed by the U.C.C. to the Academic Senate