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Proposal Information

P4445: Interpreting Studies: Teaching interpreting

Submitted by: Amanda Smith

Will this program be part of an existing division or department? yes

Request for a: Program (new)

Type of request: New

Program type: Cert

Program Title: Interpreting Studies: Teaching interpreting

Level: Graduate

Part of MA in Interpreting Studies major.

Certificate is granted independently of a degree.

When do you first plan to offer this certificate? Fall 2018

The queue for this request is:

- ✓ Division Chair
- ✓ Graduate Committee
- Faculty Senate
- COE Dean
- Provost
- President

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Summary/Rationale for proposal

Is this curricular change driven by assessment data you have collected? yes

Interpreting professionals are required to maintain credentials by earning continuing education units. WOU's DSPS will offer several graduate certificate packages for interpreters and interpreter educators. By offering a certificate program in Interpreting Studies: Teaching Interpreting, Interpreting Studies: Research], the division seeks to address the need that interpreters and interpreter educators nationwide have for professional development. Each certificate package may be applied to the MA in Interpreting Studies, if students wish to pursue a degree.

Eligibility to participate in the graduate certificate programs will be admission to WOU's Graduate program and at least 5 years of interpreting experience.

Catalog description

Interpreting Studies: Teaching interpreting (15 credits)

INT 624 Teaching and Technology (1)

INT 640 Teaching Ethics and Professional Practice (3)

INT 650 Teaching Meaning Transfer (3)

INT 655 Assessment for Interpreter Educators (3)

INT 609 Practicum (2)

INT 675 Adult Education (3)

Students will need to demonstrate 5 years of interpreting experience to enter these courses and obtain this graduate certificate

Program Outcomes

Targeted Professions, required coursework and total credits

Certificate Programs at WOU must have a minimum of 12 upper-division undergraduate credit hours or 12 graduate credit hours. The curriculum must be designed such that the coursework purposefully targets a specific profession or professions. Programs that include a significant number of electives in broad content areas will not be approved. Certificate programs of different scopes and purposes that do not conform to the above requirements- such as those aligned to specific industry training or certification- may be approved.

This graduate certificate is designed for professionals engaged in educating interpreters.

Interpreting Studies: Teaching interpreting Certificate (15 credits)

- INT 624 Teaching and Technology (1)
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- INT 655 Assessment for Interpreter Educators (3)
- INT 610 Internship (3)
- INT 675 Adult Education (3)

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Faculty and facilities needed (For Dean review only)

No additional faculty or facilities will be needed.

Programs affected/consulted

MA in Interpreting Studies

How and when will the effectiveness of this program be determined? (For Dean Review only)

Program learning outcomes assessed in coursework and final practicum portfolio.

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Division chair decision:

✓ Yes by Amanda Smith (2018-10-03 16:27:17)

Comments:

Graduate Committee Decision:

✓ Yes by Melanie Landon-Hays (2018-10-16 16:29:19)

Comments:

Senate Decision:

Pending:

Sent to Greg Zobel (zobelg@wou.edu), on: 2018-10-16 16:29:19

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