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Memorandum

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TO: Dr. Sarah Fishman, Associate Dean, CLASS
FROM: Dr. Beth Olson, Director, Valenti School of Communication, ext. 3-2881
DATE: Sept. 14, 2011
RE: Proposal for changes in the Health Communication Minor of the VSoC

Background:

When the Valenti School Undergraduate Committee submitted revisions to the requirements for the Health Communication minor last year, the committee inadvertently left out the requirements of COMM 1301 Media and Society and COMM 1302 Introduction to Communication Theory. Since those courses are required of students seeking to minor in other Communication concentrations, the consensus is they should be restored to the Health Communication minor

Action:

1. Add COMM 1301 and COMM 1302 to the list of required courses
2. Reduce the number of additional hours from 15 (five courses) to nine (three courses)

Thank you.

If approved, the catalog language would read:

Minor in Health Communication

Students seeking a minor in health communication must meet the following requirements:

1. A minimum of 18 semester hours.
2. Required foundation courses: COMM 1301, COMM 1302, COMM 3300 (formerly 4333): Health Communication.
3. Select 9 hours from: COMM 3301, 3302, 3303, 3304, 3305, 3340, 3375, or 4335.

Approved by CLASS
Undergraduate Studies Committee


Dr. Sarah Fishman

9/19/11
Date

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