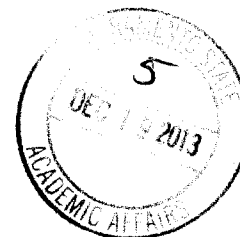




SACRAMENTO STATE

Program Proposal Form B



Academic Group (College): SSIS	Date of Submission to College Dean: December 2, 2013
Academic Organization (Department): Family and Consumer Sciences	Requested Effective: Fall <u>X</u> , Spring __, 20 <u>14</u> .
Department Chair: Seunghee Wie	Contact if not Department Chair: Wendy Buchan

Title of the Program (Please be specific; indicate minor, undergraduate or graduate degree, etc.):
Family and Consumer Sciences_ BA in Consumer Studies Concentration

Type of Program Proposal:

 x Modification in Existing Program:
 Substantive Change
 Non-Substantive Change
 X Deletion of Existing Program

 New Programs
 Initiation (Projection) of New Program on to Master Plan
 New Degree Programs
 Regular Process
 Fast Track Process
 Pilot Process
 New Minor, Concentration, Option, Specialization, Emphasis
 New Certificate Program

PLEASE NOTE: Form B is to be used only as a Cover Form. Additional information is requested for each of the above as noted in the corresponding procedure in the Policies and Procedures for Initiation, Modification, Review and Approval of Courses and Academic Programs found at <http://www.csus.edu/umannual/acad.htm>

Briefly describe the program proposal (new or change) and provide a justification.
We are requesting to delete this concentration. The Bachelor of Arts Degree Concentration in Consumer Studies was suspended years ago after we lost all faculty with expertise in this concentration area without approval to hire new faculty, as well as lack of demand to continue offering this degree concentration. The Consumer Studies courses for the program are still being used by other concentrations, so only the "Consumer Studies" program/concentration, not the classes under that program, is being requested for deletion. As it has not been offered for years with no plans to offer it again in the future we would like to delete this concentration to avoid showing an unoffered degree in the catalog.

Approvals:

Department Chair: Seunghee Wie Date: 12/5/13

College Dean: Deanne Hays Date: 12/9/13

University Committee: Kase Chalmer Date: 3/14/14

Associate Vice President and Dean for Academic Affairs: [Signature] Date: 3/18/14

**Family and Consumer Sciences
Consumer Studies Concentration**

Proposed Catalog	Current Catalog
	<p>Requirements - Bachelor of Arts Degree – Concentration - Consumer Studies Units required for Major: 51</p> <p>The concentration prepares students for careers in consumer protection, advocacy, mediation, and family financial management and counseling. The program emphasizes the processes governing family financial management, consumer rights, law, protection, and redress. Students interested in becoming credentialed as an Accredited Financial Counselor (AFC) awarded by the Association for Financial Counseling and Planning Education (AFCPE) should contact a Consumer Studies Advisor about requirements.</p> <p>A. Required Core Courses (24 units) (3) ECON 1B Introduction to Microeconomic Analysis (3) FACS 10 Nutrition and Wellness (3) FACS 50 The Family and Social Issues (3) FACS 140 Family Resource Management (GWAR certification before Fall 09; or WPJ score of 80+; or 3-unit placement in ENGL 109M/W; or 4-unit placement in ENGL 109M/W and co-enrollment in ENGL 109X; or WPJ score 70/71 and co-enrollment in ENGL 109X) (3) FACS 141 Family Finance (3) FACS 160 Communication and Education in Family and Consumer Sciences (6 FACS units and completion of Area A GE requirements) (3) FACS 168 Senior Seminar (21 FACS units) (3) SOC 8 Sense and Nonsense in Social Issues and Research OR STAT 1 Introduction to Statistics (MATH 9 or three years of high school mathematics which includes two years of algebra and one year of geometry; completion of ELM requirement and the Intermediate Algebra Diagnostic Test)</p> <p>B. Required Upper Division Courses (27 units) (3) COMS 119 Conflict Resolution through Communication OR HROB 155 Conflict Management and Negotiation (3) FACS 128 Consumer Technologies and Environments (3) FACS 142 Consumer Issues (3) FACS 143 Consumer Policy (GOVT 1, GOVT 150 or instructor permission) (3) FACS 147 Financial and Legal Aspects of Aging (FACS 141 or instructor permission) (3) FACS 149 Family Financial Counseling (FACS 141 and senior status) (3) FACS 195C Internship (Upper division status; instructor permission obtained in preceding semester; 2.5 GPA or above)</p>

(3) MGMT 101 Legal Environment of Business (Business pre-major, Business major, a business minor, a Construction Mgmt major, a Mech Engr Tech major, or a Music Mgmt major)

(3) Select one from the following:

FACS 137 Clothing, Society, and Culture

FACS 159 Adulthood and Aging in Human Development (A human development course or instructor permission)

FACS 162 Family Support Services (A minimum of 12 units in FACS upper division family area courses)