



LAKEHEAD UNIVERSITY

FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES AND HUMANITIES

PHILOSOPHY

CHANGE REQUEST REPORT

Change Request Tracking Number: 2017-SOC-6269

Title of Change Request: Courses-New and Discontinuation-UG-Philosophy-
Retitling and Changing Year Level

Status of Change Request: In Workflow

Change Request can be split

CHANGE REQUEST CONTENTS

#	Type	Title
1.	New Course	Film and Contemporary Philosophy
2.	Discontinued Course	Film and Contemporary Philosophy
3.	New Version of a Course	Kant and Nineteenth Century

CHANGE REQUEST HISTORY

Workflow Stage	Action Type	Action Taken By	Change Made	Action Rationale	Date
Initiator	Approved	Richard Maundrell	Yes	Submitted to workflow	10/12/2017, 10:28 AM
Submission Review (Academic & Curriculum Development Coordinator)	Approved	Submission Review	Yes	Okay to move forward in the workflow	10/16/2017, 09:41 AM

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

None.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS AUDIT TRAIL

None.

CHANGE REQUEST COMMENTS

None.

1.	New Course	Film and Contemporary Philosophy
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Justification

Due to disappointing enrollment, we are moving 3330 to the second year level.

COURSE DETAILS**NEW COURSE FORM** - The following is information that will be displayed in the University Calendar

What is the new Course Code? (provided by Academic & Curriculum Development Coordinator):	Philosophy 2330 The code is the 'subject' plus the course number (e.g. "Biology 1110").
Title of New Course:	Film and Contemporary Philosophy
Course Description:	An introduction to 20th century European philosophy through a

	critical examination of subjectivity and contemporary culture as reflected in film.
Credit Weight of this Course:	0.5 Example 0.25, 0.5, 1.0, 1.5 etc
Offering (Hours of instruction):	3-1; or 3-1 Example 3-0
List any special notes or restrictions for this course here:	Students who have completed Philosophy 3330 will not be allowed to count this course as a credit. Will appear in the Calendar. For example: A course fee for field activities may be required.
What is the Grade Scheme?:	Other
Is this a Special Topics course?:	
Is this course cross listed with another? If so, enter the other course code here:	
Course Classification(s):	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Type A: Humanities

The following is information for Committee Review

Faculty or Institution Unit:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lakehead University
Calendar Start Term. When this change should be displayed in the Calendar:	2018-19
Information for Timetable: When will this be first offered?:	
Calendar End Term. When is the last calendar year this should be displayed?:	No Specified End Date Use No Specified End date unless you are removing it from the calendar.
Academic Level:	Undergraduate
Is this a required course, or an elective?:	Elective
What is the pedagogical rationale for this request? Why are you submitting this request?:	This course will replace PHIL 3330. We will essentially be moving 3330 to second year due to enrollment concerns. For example, is this change required for accreditation?
Learning Outcomes:	An enhanced understanding of 20th century thought through as reflected in the art of cinema.

The following is information for Senate Budget Committee Consideration

	NOTE: Complete each section and provide full explanations for both "yes" and "no" answers. This will not be displayed in the
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both yes and no answers. This will not be displayed in the calendar but will be used by the Senate Budget Committee when considering approval of this proposal. The creator of this proposal may be asked to attend a committee meeting to discuss this proposal. Contact the Chair of the Senate Budget Committee if you wish to discuss any of the questions below.

Will this request impact student enrolment in another program within the same faculty/unit?:	No
Will this request impact student enrolment in another program in a different faculty/unit?:	No
Will additional resources be required (space, staff, equipment, etc)?:	No. This course will be taught in rotation with our other second year courses.
How will this impact existing teaching loads within this faculty/unit?:	There will be no impact. This course will be taught occasionally (i.e. every second or third year, depending upon demand).
What is the impact on the demand for teaching support services (library, computers, staff, etc) ?	Nil
Will this course require outside support? If yes, please outline the amount and timing of the funding:	No

2.	Discontinued Course	Film and Contemporary Philosophy
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Justification
 Not actually discontinued, but moving to second year.

COURSE DETAILS

REMOVE A COURSE FROM CALENDAR FORM - The following is information that is displayed in the University Calendar

	You may remove this course from the University Calendar, it will sit dormant in Curriculum Navigator and is available to be put back into the calendar anytime.
Course Code:	Philosophy 3330 The code is the 'subject' plus the course number (e.g. "Biology 1110").
Title of Course:	Film and Contemporary Philosophy

Course Description:	An introduction to 20th century European philosophy through a critical examination of subjectivity and contemporary culture as reflected in film.
Credit Weight of this Course:	0.5 Example 0.25, 0.5, 1.0, 1.5 etc
Offering (Hours of instruction):	3-1; or 3-1 Example 3-0
List any prerequisites for this course here:	
List any corequisites for this course here:	
List any special notes or restrictions for this course here:	Additional course lab is required. Will appear in the Calendar. For example: A course fee for field activities may be required.
What is the Grade Scheme?:	
Is this a Special Topics course?:	
Is this course cross listed with another? If so, enter the other course code here:	

The following is information for Committee Review

Faculty or Institution Unit:	• Lakehead University
Calendar Start Term. :	2017-18
Calendar End Term. When is the last calendar year this should be displayed?:	2017-18 Use No Specified End date unless you are removing it from the calendar.
Academic Level:	Undergraduate
Is this a required course, or an elective?:	
Pedagogical rationale for this proposal. Why are you submitting this request?:	Disappointing enrollment. We will be moving this course back to second year where it was originally located.

The following is information for Senate Budget Committee Consideration:

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Will this program impact	

student enrolment in another program within the same faculty/unit?:	No
Will this program impact student enrolment in another program in a different faculty/unit?:	No
Will additional resources be required (space, staff, equipment, etc.)?:	No
How will this impact existing teaching loads within this faculty/unit?:	None
What is the impact on the demand for teaching support services (library, computers, staff, etc.)?:	No
Will this require outside support? If yes, please outline the amount and timing of the funding:	None

3.	New Version of a Course	Kant and Nineteenth Century
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Justification

New title to more accurately capture the subject matter of the course.

COURSE DETAILS

MODIFY COURSE FORM - The following is information that will be displayed in the University Calendar

Course Code:	Philosophy 3615 The code is the 'subject' plus the course number (e.g. "Biology 1110").
Title of Course:	Late Modern Philosophy Kant and Nineteenth Century
Course Description:	An examination of 19th century philosophical developments as proceeding from and in opposition to Kant. Movements and figures studied include German idealism (Fichte, Schelling, Hegel, Schopenhauer), neo-Kantianism (Feuerbach), early positivism (Comte), Marxism, early pragmatism (Pierce), Utilitarianism (Bentham, Mill), early existentialism (Kierkegaard, Nietzsche), and Transcendentalism (Emerson, Thoreau).
Credit Weight of this Course:	0.5 Example 0.25, 0.5, 1.0, 1.5 etc
Offering (Hours of	3-0; or 3-0 Example 3-0

instruction):	
List any prerequisites for this course here:	One half-course in Philosophy 2614.
List any corequisites for this course here:	
List any special notes or restrictions for this course here:	Students who have previous credit in Philosophy 2615 may not take Philosophy 3615 for credit. Will appear in the Calendar. For example: A course fee for field activities may be required.
What is the Grade Scheme?:	
Is this a Special Topics course?:	
Is this course cross listed with another? If so, enter the other course code here:	
Course Classification(s):	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Type A: Humanities

The following is information for Committee Review

Faculty or Institution Unit:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lakehead University • Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities
Calendar Start Term. When this change should be displayed in the Calendar:	2017 2018-1819
Calendar End Term. When is the last calendar year this should be displayed?:	No Specified End Date Use No Specified End date unless you are removing it from the calendar.
Academic Level:	Undergraduate
Is this a required course, or an elective?:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elective
What is the pedagogical rationale for this request? Why are you submitting this request?:	This course replaces PHIL 2615, which is also titled As a title, "Kant and the Nineteenth Century" is more is more informative than "Late Modern Philosophy." Both 2614 (Early Modern Philosophy) and 2615 were formerly complementary halves of a full-credit course. The institutional move away from full courses prompted the creation of two half-credit courses in its place. Since these are core history of philosophy courses, it will work better pedagogically to space the two courses apart by year level. A prerequisite is being added (2614) because students will benefit from having studied the early modern period before proceeding to Kant. For example, is this change required for accreditation?
Learning Outcomes:	Students will acquire an understanding of the evolution of Enlightenment ideas in the 19th Century.

Associated Changes - List all other requests that are associate with this change (enter request number or title):

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Will this request impact student enrolment in another program within the same faculty/unit?: No

Will this request impact student enrolment in another program in a different faculty/unit?: No

Will additional resources be required (space, staff, equipment, etc)? : No

How will this impact existing teaching loads within this faculty/unit?: No change.

What is the impact on the demand for teaching support services (library, computers, staff, etc)? : No

Will this course require outside support? If yes, please outline the amount and timing of the funding: No

