New York City College of Technology, CUNY

CURRICULUM MODIFICATION PROPOSAL FORM

This form is used for all curriculum modification proposals. See the [Proposal Classification Chart](http://openlab.citytech.cuny.edu/collegecouncil/files/2014/08/2013-10-09-Proposal_Classification_Chart.pdf) for information about what types of modifications are major or minor. Completed proposals should be emailed to the Curriculum Committee chair.

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| **Title of Proposal** | **Change of Course Code and pre-requisite for ANTH 2000-Medical Anthropology** |
| **Date** | 2/24/21 |
| **Major or Minor** | Minor |
| **Proposer’s Name** | Peter Parides |
| **Department** | Social Science |
| **Date of Departmental Meeting in which proposal was approved** | March 4, 2021 |
| **Department Chair Name** | Peter Parides |
| **Department Chair Signature and Date** |  |
| **Academic Dean Name** | Justin Vazquez-Poritz |
| **Academic Dean Signature and Date** | 4/2/21 |
| **Brief Description of Proposal**  (Describe the modifications contained within this proposal in a succinct summary. More detailed content will be provided in the proposal body. | Change course code from ANTH 2000 to ANTH 1104. Change pre-requisite from “ENG 1101 and any anthropology course” to “Eligibility for ENG 1101”. |
| **Brief Rationale for Proposal**  (Provide a concise summary of why this proposed change is important to the department. More detailed content will be provided in the proposal body). | ANTH 2000 was initially conceived as an upper-level liberal arts course that would prove attractive to students in health care programs, but it has failed to attract sufficient interest. By re-designing it as an introductory level course we think it will be more accessible to students in health care programs. |
| **Proposal History**  (Please provide history of this proposal: is this a resubmission? An updated version? This may most easily be expressed as a list). | Initial submission. |

Please include all appropriate documentation as indicated in the Curriculum Modification Checklist.

For each new course, please also complete the New Course Proposal and submit in this document.

Please submit this document as a single .doc or .rtf format. If some documents are unable to be converted to .doc, then please provide all documents archived into a single .zip file.

**ALL PROPOSAL CHECK LIST**

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| Completed CURRICULUM MODIFICATION FORM including: |  |
| * Brief description of proposal | X |
| * Rationale for proposal | X |
| * Date of department meeting approving the modification | X |
| * Chair’s Signature | X |
| * Dean’s Signature | X |
| Evidence of consultation with affected departments  List of the programs that use this course as required or elective, and courses that use this as a prerequisite. | N/A |
| Documentation of Advisory Commission views (if applicable). | N/A |
| Completed [Chancellor’s Report Form](http://openlab.citytech.cuny.edu/collegecouncil/files/2014/08/2013-10-09-Chancellor_Report_Quick_Reference_Guide1.doc). | X |

**EXISTING PROGRAM MODIFICATION PROPOSALS**

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| Documentation indicating core curriculum requirements have been met for new programs/options or program changes. | N/A |
| Detailed rationale for each modification (this includes minor modifications) | N/A |

**AV: 1 Changes to be offered in the Social Science Department**

**ANTH 2000-Medical Anthropology**

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| **CUNYFirst Course ID** |  |  |  |
| **FROM** |  | **TO** |  |
| **Department(s)** |  | **Department(s)** |  |
| **Course** | ~~ANTH 2000~~ | **Course** | ANTH 1104 |
| **Pre or co requisite** | ~~ENG 1101 and any anthropology course~~ | **Prerequisite** | Eligibility for ENG 1101 |
| **Hours** |  | **Hours** |  |
| **Credits** |  | **Credits** |  |
| **Description** |  | **Description** |  |
| **Requirement Designation** |  | **Requirement Designation** |  |
| **Liberal Arts** | **[ ] Yes [ ] No** | **Liberal Arts** | **[ ] Yes [ ] No** |
| **Course Attribute (e.g. Writing Intensive, Honors, etc** |  | **Course Attribute (e.g. Writing Intensive, Honors, etc** |  |
| **Course Applicability** | **[ ] Major**  **[ ] Gen Ed Required**  **[ ] English Composition**  **[ ] Mathematics**  **[ ] Science**  **[ ] Gen Ed - Flexible**  **[ ] World Cultures**  **[ ] US Experience in its Diversity**  **[ ] Creative Expression**  **[ ] Individual and Society**  **[ ] Scientific World**  **[ ] Gen Ed - College Option**  **College Option Detail\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** | **Course Applicability** | **[ ] Major**  **[ ] Gen Ed Required**  **[ ] English Composition**  **[ ] Mathematics**  **[ ] Science**  **[ ] Gen Ed - Flexible**  **[ ] World Cultures**  **[ ] US Experience in its Diversity**  **[ ] Creative Expression**  **[ ] Individual and Society**  **[ ] Scientific World**  **[ ] Gen Ed - College Option**  **College Option Detail\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** |
| **Effective Term** |  |  | Fall 2021 |

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