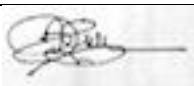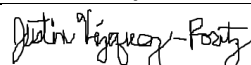New York City College of Technology, CUNY

CURRICULUM MODIFICATION PROPOSAL FORM

This form is used for all curriculum modification proposals. See the Proposal Classification Chart for information about what types of modifications are major or minor. Completed proposals should be emailed to the Curriculum Committee chair.

Title of Proposal	**Modification of Course Title and Prerequisite for ARTH 1110**
Date	**11/28/2022**
Major or Minor	**Minor**
Proposer's Name	**Zhijian Qian**
Department	**Humanities**
Date of Departmental Meeting in which proposal was approved	**12/1/2022**
Department Chair Name	**Ann Delilkan**
Department Chair Signature and Date	**1-24-2023**
Academic Dean Name	Justin Vazquez-Poritz
Academic Dean Signature and Date	**1/24/23**
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.	**The proposal includes two changes:** 1. A change of course title from "Islamic Art" to "Islamic Art and Architecture". 2. A change of prerequisite from "CUNY Proficiency in Reading and Writing" to "Completion of ENG 1101CO or ENG 1101ML or eligibility for ENG1101"
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).	1. To reflect the course description in the catalogue and the large components of architecture indicated in the course outline. With the title change, this course can appeal to a wider section of the student body, especially to students who major or are interested in architecture and urban culture. 2. To remove outdated prerequisite and replace with the current one.
Proposal History (Please provide history of this proposal: is this a resubmission? An updated version? This may most easily be expressed as a list).	This is the first submission of this proposal.

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.

ALL PROPOSAL CHECK LIST

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.	x
Documentation of Advisory Commission views (if applicable).	
Completed Chancellor's Report Form.	x

EXISTING PROGRAM MODIFICATION PROPOSALS

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

CHANCELLOR'S REPORT FORM

Section AV: Changes in Existing Courses

AV.1.   HUMANITIES

Existing Course Number and Course Title

ARTH1110 Islamic Art

From:		To:	
Course Number	ARTH1110	**Course Number**	ARTH1110
Course Title	~~Islamic Art~~	Course Title	**Islamic Art and Architecture**
Description	A historical survey of the art and architecture of the Islamic world from the 7th to the 17th century. Covers both Eastern and Western Islamic regions.	**Description**	A historical survey of the art and architecture of the Islamic world from the 7th to the 17th century. Covers both Eastern and Western Islamic regions.
Credits	3 credits	**Credits**	3 Credits
Lab Hours		**Lab Hours**	
Prerequisite:	~~CUNY Proficiency in Reading and Writing~~	**Prerequisite**:	Eligibility for ENG1101
Corequisite:		**Corequisite:**	
Pre/Corequisite:		**Pre/Corequisite:**	

Rationale: 1. To reflect the course description in the catalogue and the large components of architecture indicated in the course outline. With the title change, this course can appeal to a wider section of the student body, especially to students who major or are interested in architecture and urban culture. 2. To remove outdated prerequisite and replace with the current one.

Evidence of consultation with affected departments

Re: Requesting your feedback and support on the title change... - Zhijian Qian 1/23/23, 4:38 PM

Re: Requesting your feedback and support on the title change of Islamic Art to Islamic Art and Architecture

Zhijian Qian

Mon 1/23/2023 4:04 PM Sent Items

To:Sanjive Vaidya <SVaidya@citytech.cuny.edu>; Ann Delilkan <ADelilkan@citytech.cuny.edu>; Cc:Sharon Boyd <SBoyd@citytech.cuny.edu>;

Dear Prof. Vaidya,

Thank you very much for your support.
We'll certainly be happy to share any future posts with your department.

Very best, Zhijian

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From: Sanjive Vaidya
Sent: Monday, January 23, 2023 2:55:36 PM
To: Ann Delilkan; Zhijian Qian
Cc: Sharon Boyd
Subject: RE: Requesting your feedback and support on the title change of Islamic Art to Islamic Art and Architecture

Hi Ann and Zhijian,

Thank you for the opportunity to support your effort on this change. It will increase the impact and appeal to our students. Many are keenly interested in taking courses on Islamic culture and society and I think this is a clear answer to that intention. Once this is approved I hope we can share graphics

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and social media posts to announce this to our students. Please let me know if you require any additional information from me.

Sincerely,

Sanjive S. Vaidya

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From: Ann Delilkan
Sent: Saturday, January 21, 2023 7:38 AM
To: Zhijian Qian <ZQian@citytech.cuny.edu>; Sanjive Vaidya <SVaidya@citytech.cuny.edu>
Cc: Sharon Boyd <SBoyd@citytech.cuny.edu>
Subject: Fw: Requesting your feedback and support on the title change of Islamic Art to Islamic Art and Architecture

(Thanks, Zhijian.)
Dear Sanjive,
Happy New Year!
I wonder if you'd be willing to support the attached Minor Modification, to change the title of Islamic Art to 'Islamic Art and Architecture'.

Please advise. Many thanks, Ann

Ann Delilkan, Ph.D.
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Tel: (718) 260-5018

From: Zhijian Qian
Sent: Tuesday, January 17, 2023 9:21:49 PM
To: Sanjive Vaidya
Cc: Ann Delilkan; Sharon Boyd
Subject: Requesting your feedback and support on the title change of Islamic Art to Islamic Art and Architecture

Dear Prof. Vaidya,
I hope you have enjoyed your winter break.
I'm writing to you for your feedback and support on our proposed minor mod of ARTH1110 Islamic Art.

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We would like to change the title to "Islamic Art and Architecture" to better reflect the large components of architecture in this course. We hope this change would attract many students from your department.

Your support and feedback would be truly appreciated.

Very best, Zhijian

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