

New York City College of Technology  
Interdisciplinary Committee  
Change of Interdisciplinary Format Form for an Existing Course  
(or designated section of an existing ID course)

DATE: October 8, 2024

COURSE NUMBER AND TITLE: PYHS1002ID, "An Introduction to the Physics of Natural Disasters"

CREDIT HOURS: 4 class hours, 3 credits

CURRENT COURSE DESIGNATION:   College Option       Elective       Capstone       Other

DEPARTMENT HOUSED IN: Department of Physics

CATALOG DESCRIPTION: No Change

CURRENT STRUCTURE: No Change

NUMBER OF SECTIONS CURRENTLY OFFERED:       Fall semester \_\_1\_\_   Spring semester \_\_1\_\_

CHANGE OF INSTRUCTOR:                    Yes                    No

CHANGE IN INSTRUCTOR'S DEPARTMENT/DISCIPLINE:        Yes                    No

CHANGE IN GUEST LECTURER(S):        Yes                    No

Are one or more guest lecturers from a different discipline than originally proposed?

IF CO-TAUGHT, CURRENT CREDIT DISTRIBUTION:

PROPOSED CHANGE IN INTERDISCIPLINARY FORMAT:

**From:**   Guest lecturers \_\_ minimum 20% \_\_other %   Co-taught   Shared credits   Learning  
Community    In person or hybrid

**To:**   Guest lecturers\_\_ minimum 20% \_\_other %   Co-taught   Shared credits   Learning  
community    Fully online

PROPOSED BY:

If co taught: Names of those co-teaching

**Briefly explain reasoning for changing the format of the currently offered sections, or if new sections of the course are being offered for the first time, explain briefly the rationale for the change in format and attach your syllabus.**

Beginning in Fall 2024, PHYS1002ID course will be instructed by Dr. Yanna Chen, please find the contact information provided below.

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