



UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY

COLLEGE OF DESIGN

August 31, 2006

Dr. Jeannine Blackwell, Dean
The Graduate School
Chair, Graduate Council
101 Gillis Building
CAMPU 0033

Dear Dean Blackwell:

On behalf of the Department of Historic Preservation, I am transmitting curriculum revisions for the graduate program in Historic Preservation for approval by the Graduate Council for implementation beginning in the Fall Semester 2007.

The proposed changes were approved by the faculty of the Department of Historic Preservation in April 2006 and by the faculty of the College of Design in May 2006. They have also been approved by the Dean of the College of Design.

The curriculum revisions are primarily minor in nature. First, the Department of Historic Preservation proposes reordering the sequence of current required courses, dropping the requirement of HP 723 which is now incorporated into HP 610. Second, the Department proposes minor changes in course descriptions for existing courses for clarity and editorial corrections. Third, the Department proposes the addition of two new courses. I refer you to the letter, dated 21 April 2006, from Bryan Orthel, Chair of the Department of Historic Preservation Curriculum Committee which articulates these changes and revisions in detail. This letter is contained in the document submitted herewith.

The Department of Historic Preservation and the College of Design would like to implement the revised curriculum and course changes beginning in the Fall Semester, 2007. Your assistance in expediting this proposal will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,



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UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY REQUEST FOR CHANGE IN MASTERS DEGREE PROGRAM

Program: Master of Historic Preservation

Department/Division: Historic Preservation



College: Design Bulletin pp _____

Degree Title (Old): Master of Historic Preservation Major (New): N/A

CIP Code: _____ HEGIS Code: _____

Accrediting Agency (if applicable): N/A

I. CHANGE(S) IN PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

	<u>Current</u>	<u>Proposed</u>
1. Number of transfer credits allowed (Graduate School limit: 9 hours or 25% of coursework)	Consistent with Graduate School guidelines	Unchanged
2. Residence requirement (if applicable)	Consistent with Graduate School guidelines	Unchanged
3. Language(s) and/or skill(s) required	None	None
4. Termination criteria	Completion of 48 credit hours as outlined below	Unchanged
5. Plan A requirements*	N/A	
6. Plan B requirements*	Completion of HP 798 and 799	Unchanged
7. Distribution of course levels required (At least one half must be at 600+ level & two thirds must be in organized courses)	Consistent with Graduate School guidelines	Unchanged
8. Required courses (if applicable)	 HP 601, HP 602, HP 610, HP 611, HP 612, HP 613, HP 614, HP 616, HP 723, HP 798, HP 799, GEO 490G, plus 9 credits of elective courses 	HP 601, HP 602, HP 610, HP 611, HP 612, HP 613, HP 614, HP 616, HP 798, HP 799, GEO 490G, plus 12 credits of elective courses
9. Required distribution of courses within program (if applicable)		N/A
10. Final examination requirements	Plan B oral examination to complete HP 799	Unchanged

* If there is only one plan for the degree, plans involving a thesis (or the equivalent in studio work, etc.) should be discussed under Plan A and those not involving a thesis should be discussed under Plan B.

NOTE: To the extent that proposed changes in 5, 6 or 8 above involve the addition of courses in other programs, please submit correspondence from the other program(s) pertaining to the availability of such courses to your students.

11. Any other requirements not covered above

II. RATIONALE FOR CHANGE(S)

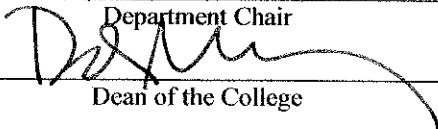
If the rationale involves accreditation requirements, please include specific references to those requirements.

The curriculum changes outlined above is a minor adjustment to the required course list with the intention of increasing the number of elective credits students will complete. The current curriculum includes nine credits of elective credit; the proposed curriculum will include twelve credits of elective credit. Students will be able to direct one quarter of their graduate level courses towards course topics related to specific academic interests.

Signatures of Approval:



Department Chair



Dean of the College

9.21.06

Date

08/29/06

Date

Date of Notice to the Faculty

*Undergraduate Council

Date

*University Studies

Date



*Graduate Council

11/17/06

Date

Academic Council for the Medical Center

Date

Senate Council

Date of Notice to University Senate

*If applicable, as provided by the Rules of the University Senate

ACTION OTHER THAN APPROVAL

21 April 2006

Dear Colleagues:

On behalf of the Department of Historic Preservation, I am submitting the enclosed curriculum revisions to you for consideration and approval. The Department faculty unanimously approved these revisions on 20 April 2006. The Department appreciates the timely considerations of this proposal to allow for full approval by the College Assembly in May 2006.

The proposed curriculum revisions take three forms. First, the Department proposes reordering the current required courses and dropping the requirement for HP 723: Kentucky Architecture and Cultural Landscapes. Second, the Committee has reviewed course descriptions for clarity and editorial corrections. Third, the Committee recommends the addition of two new course numbers. Each revision is outlined in detail below.

The first part of the curriculum revisions proposes reordering the sequence of the required courses and substituting one free elective course for a current required course. The revised course sequence addresses concerns about degree completion time. The changes to the required course sequence do not require the approval of the University, but are outlined here as the context for the other changes. In this regard, the Department recommends:

1. Moving HP 798: Masters Project I from the third semester to the second semester. The course will be renewed as the research methodologies seminar.
2. Moving GEO 490G: American Landscapes from the first semester to the third semester.
3. Moving HP 613: Historic Building Systems from the second semester to the first semester.

The Department's substitution of courses in the required sequence does require approval by the University. Specifically, the Department recommends:

4. Dropping HP 723: Kentucky Architecture and Cultural Landscapes. The course will be replaced by 3 credit hours of additional elective coursework.

The proposed curriculum will still require 48 credit hours of coursework. Students will complete 12 credit hours of elective courses, 33 hours of directed coursework, and 3 credits of self-directed project preparation. The increased number of elective credit hours will support individual student exploration and the future development of directed curriculum tracks.

PROPOSED CURRICULUM

Course	Title	Credits	Course	Title	Credits
Y1F			Y1S		
HP 601	Intro to HP	3	HP 602	Dynamics of HP	3
HP 612	Documentation I	3	HP 614	Documentation II	3
HP 610	American Arch I	3	HP 611	American Arch II	3
HP 613	Historic Structures	3	HP 798	Masters Project I	3
Y2F			Y2S		
GEO 490G	American Landscapes	3	HP 799	Masters Project II	3
HP 616	Pres Design Studio	6		Elective	3
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The second part of the curriculum revisions involves minor changes to existing course information. The attached course change forms include the proposed changes to course descriptions and prerequisite requirements. The changes are classified as editorial corrections of outdated information (i.e. course numbering and prerequisite uniformity) and editorial improvements to course descriptions to clarify course content.

The third part of the curriculum revisions adds two new course numbers to the Department's catalogue: HP 772: Seminar in Historic Preservation and HP 785: Independent Study in Historic Preservation. The course application forms are attached. The Department has been using a 500-level course number to fulfill these functions. The addition of these courses will bring the Department's course offerings in line with graduate level courses in the Schools of Architecture and Interior Design.

If questions arise as you review our proposal, please contact me. I can be reached at bdorth2@uky.edu or 257.7769.

Respectfully submitted,

Bryan D. Orthel, Chair
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12 April 2006

Dear Colleagues:

On behalf of the Department of Historic Preservation Curriculum Committee, I am submitting the enclosed curriculum revisions to you for consideration and approval. If approved by the Department faculty, the proposal will be heard by the College of Design before the end of the academic year.

During the past two years, the Curriculum Committee has considered the direction of the Master of Historic Preservation degree. I want to thank the current and past members of the Committee for their individual time committed to this process. I also thank the faculty who spent time discussing specific courses with the Committee.

The proposed curriculum revisions take three forms. First, the Committee proposes reordering the current required courses and dropping the requirement for HP 723: Kentucky Architecture and Cultural Landscapes. Second, the Committee has reviewed and edited course descriptions for clarity and editorial corrections. Third, the Committee recommends the addition of two new course numbers.

The revised course sequence addresses concerns about degree completion time and the number of elective courses. The Committee recommends:

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