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To: California Community Colleges Articulation
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From: Heidi McHugh Pendleton *H.M.H.P.*
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Re: Information regarding the Discontinuation of the BS
degree in Occupational Therapy at San Jose State
University and Advising Information for Students
interested in becoming an Occupational Therapist

The Department of Occupational Therapy is discontinuing the BS degree (also known as the Pattern I BS/MS Program) in Occupational Therapy. As of 2007 a Masters degree is required to enter the profession of Occupational Therapy. Potential OT students who are interested in the Master's Degree Program in OT at San Jose State University will need to complete a Baccalaureate degree in another field while simultaneously completing the 9 pre-requisite courses – listed below. No specific undergraduate degree is required; however, several majors provide a rich foundation and are very compatible with the practice of Occupational Therapy. These majors include: psychology, cultural anthropology, sociology, kinesiology, child and /or human development, health science, education, biology and gerontology – to name a few. We appreciate all of your efforts in advising potential occupational therapy students to enter this exciting and challenging profession. Please contact the Department Chair (after August 20, 2012: Dr. Pamela Richardson 408 924-3072) or the Undergraduate Advisor: Gigi Smith at 408 924-3081 if you have any questions. Pre-requisites for the program are on the next page.

The following courses may be completed at any community college, four year college or university at either the graduate or undergraduate level. **All of the prerequisite courses must be completed with a "B" or better.** At least 4 of the 8 courses must be complete in order to apply to our program.

Course	Semester Units	(Quarter)
<p>Human Anatomy with a Lab* Needs to have a human cadaver associated with the course. If your human anatomy course did not have a lab or a lab with a human cadaver associated with it, consider locating a lab in your area and taking just the 1-unit lab. If you are having difficulty finding a Human Anatomy Lab that has a Human Cadaver Associated with the course consider asking the Human Antomy Professors in your area for suggestions as to how you might gain the 6+ hours of human cadaver experience/observation. Stanford University offers a 6-hour cadaver tutorial that is open to you. You can contact their department here: http://anatomy.stanford.edu/</p>	3	4
<p>Human Physiology with a Lab If human anatomy and physiology are offered in a combined course, they must go over a two semester period with each semester having a lab.</p>	3	4
<p>Neuroanatomy or Basic Foundations in Neuroscience for Occupational Therapists Most of our incoming class will take one of these courses online in the Summer before the program begins in August. That way the students know whether or not they've been accepted into the program before enrolling in one of the courses. Registration for Summer online courses begins in May of each year. Please consult our department website during the Spring Semester for detailed information about these courses.</p>	3-4	4
General Psychology	3	4
Abnormal Psychology	3	4
Sociology or Cultural Anthropology (General)	3	4
<p>Statistics* A general statistics course that covers correlations and analysis of variance (ANOVA)</p>	3	4
<p>A Skills Course May be taken through adult education. The purpose of the course is to have students work with an artistic medium. Acceptable courses include: Ceramics, painting, drawing, sculpting, weaving, or wood working. Previous work may be accepted as fulfilling this requirement, at the discretion of the graduate coordinator.</p>	3	4
The courses with this symbol (*) next to the title must be completed within 7 years prior to enrollment. All other		

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courses do not have a time requirement.		

Thank you,



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DATE: September 6, 2012
TO: California Community College Colleagues
CC: Terri Eden, Articulation Officer, San Jose State University
FROM: Chris Jochim, Chair, Humanities Department
RE: Changes in SJSU's Humanities BA Degree Program

In order to improve the Humanities BA Program and incorporate two previously separate BA programs (Liberal Arts Emphasis of Liberal Studies BA and Religious Studies BA), we developed a major with substantial shared coursework for students in all six concentrations, including common introductory and capstone courses (Hum 101 and Hum 190). We spent considerable time discussing the elements of theory, method, study skills, and ideas all students will need in various areas of interdisciplinary and comparative studies. We revised courses as well as created new ones to assure students will have more common experiences, more contact with each other, and an enhanced sense of community. At the same time, we allowed for substantial specialization (18 or more units) for students in each concentration.

In addition to Concentrations in Liberal Arts and Religious Studies, the major includes four area studies Concentrations, three of which were "Emphases" in the old Humanities BA Program. These are the concentrations in American Studies, Asian Studies, European Studies, and Middle East Studies.

The largest number of affected transfer students will be those entering the Liberal Arts Concentration of the Humanities BA. Previously, they entered the Liberal Arts emphasis of the Liberal Studies major. Under that model, Liberal Arts students took basically the same curriculum as Liberal Studies Teacher Preparation majors, without courses specifically geared toward elementary education. In the future, they will benefit from more of department's own interdisciplinary courses and will take fewer total units in the major (45 instead of 76), with fewer courses outside the department. This model will benefit these Humanities/Liberal Arts students more fully by serving their particular needs and interests.

AAS AAS ARTH CHE CMPE COMM COMM CS CS CS ENGR GEOL HIST HRTM HRTM HRTM KIN MAS MATH NUFS TECH TECH TECH	33A 33B 15 99 25 80 91J 23 25 40 5 5 50 10 94 97B 69 74 10 1A 66 98 99	The course shown on the left will no longer be available for articulation request because they are GE or elective credit only and not required by any major program at SJSU. Also the articulation agreements for the following cross-listed courses will now only show articulated to the home course or on courses required by any major program: AAS 20, AAS 25; AFAM 25; ASIA 19, 70B, 70C; BUS 1; CS 50; DANC 44, 45A, 46A, 46B, 48A, 48B; DSIT 80; GERO 15, 99; HRTM 15, 20, 22; HUM 70A, 70B, 90, 99; JWSS 10A, 10B, 15A, 15B, 90; KIN 40A, 40B, 41A, 41B, 42A, 42B, 49A, 49B, 67; MDES 70A, 90; ME 40; METR 1B; NUFS 23; PHYS 35; POLS 15A, 15B; RELS 10A, 10B, 15A, 15B; SOCS 15; UNVS 57.		X			GE/elective only not available for articulation request Only the cross-listed courses with the prefix required by any major program will be available for articulation request.	

PROGRAM CHANGES	N E W	D E L	R E V	COMMENTS/DISCIPLINE CODE/ PRE-REQUISITE CHANGE	EFFECTIVE DATE
BS Engineering-General Engineering, Conc in Bioengineering		X		No longer available	F 2012
BA History (Social Science Single Subject Teacher)		X		No longer available	F 2012
BA Humanities		X		No longer available	F 2012
BA, Liberal Studies (Liberal Arts)		X		No longer available	F 2012
BS, Occupational Therapy		X		No longer available for admission – to be terminated (see attached memo)	End of F 2012
BA Religious Studies		X		No longer available	

BA - Liberal Studies, Concentration in Cross-Cultural Studies in Mexican and American Education			X	Temporarily on hold - not accepting applications due to a US State Dept travel warning for Mexico, which prevents students from completing a year in the CSU IP study abroad program in Mexico (a program requirement).	F 2012
BA, Humanities, concentration in American Studies	X				F 2012
BA, Humanities, concentration in Asian Studies	X				F 2012
BA, Humanities, concentration in European Studies	X				F 2012
BA, Humanities, concentration in Liberal Arts	X				F 2012
BA, Humanities, concentration in Middle East Studies	X				F 2012
BA, Humanities, concentration in Religious Studies	X				F 2012