PURDUE UNIVERSITY
REQUEST FOR ADDITION, EXPIRATION,
OR REVISION OF AN UNDERGRADUATE COURSE
(16000-40000 LEVEL)

DEPARTMENT Consumer & Families Sciences EFFECTIVE SESSION Fall 2009

INSTRUCTIONS: Please check the items below which describe the purpose of this request.

☐ 1. New course with supporting documents
☐ 2. Add existing course offered at another campus
☐ 3. Expiration of a course
☐ 4. Change in course number
☐ 5. Change in course title
☐ 6. Change in course credit/type
☐ 7. Change in course attributes (department head signature only)
☐ 8. Change in instructional hours
☐ 9. Change in course description
☐ 10. Change in course requisites
☐ 11. Change in semesters offered (department head signature only)
☐ 12. Transfer from one department to another

PROPOSED:
Subject Abbreviation FNN
Course Number 204
Long Title Food, History & Culture
Short Title Food, Hist & Culture

EXISTING:
Subject Abbreviation
Course Number

TERMS OFFERED
Check All That Apply:
☐ Summer
☐ Fall
☐ Spring

CAMPUS(ES) INVOLVED
☐ Calumet
☐ Cont Ed
☐ Ft. Wayne
☐ Indianapolis
☐ N. Central
☐ Tech State/Ind
☐ W. Lafayette

CREDIT TYPE
1. Fixed Credit Cr. Hrs. 3
2. Variable Credit Range
   Minimum Cr. Hrs. (Enter one)
   To Cr
   Maximum Cr. Hrs.
3. Equivalent Credit: Yes

Course Attributes: Check All That Apply
☐ 6 Registration Approval Type
☐ 7 Instructor
☐ 8 Department
☐ 9 Honors
☐ 9 Variable Title
☐ 10 Full Time Privilege
☐ 10 Off Campus Experience

Schedule Type
Lecture
Recitation
Presentation
Lab
Lab Prep
Studio
Distance
Online
Experiential
Research
Ind. Study
Prac/Observe

Minutes Per Week 75
Meetings Per Week

Weeks Offered
2

% of Credit Allocated

Cross-Listed Courses

COURSE DESCRIPTION (INCLUDE REQUISITES/RESTRICTIONS):
Food, History & Culture is designed to examine the fundamental tenets that govern human behavior around food choices and foodways. Symbolic value and meaning of food will be looked at. The relationship of food cultures to consumer behavior will be scrutinized. Study in this course will explore the historical development of the current food cultures in Europe, Asia, Africa, the Middle East and the Americas. Study in this course will also explore the impact of foodways and food choices on nutritional status and health.

Calumet Department Head Date

Calumet School Dean Date

Ft. Wayne Department Head Date

Ft. Wayne School Dean Date

Indianapolis Department Head Date

Indianapolis School Dean Date

North Central Department Head Date

North Central Chancellor Date

West Lafayette Department Head Date

West Lafayette College/School Dean Date

Walter Zaman

Date

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR
FNN NEW (200 level) Food, History & Culture

Credits: 3

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Course objectives:

Upon completion of this course, the student will be able to:
Analyze and describe systems of belief that have influenced and continue to influence food choices and foodways.
Identify foods and foodways which have symbolic meaning and/or value.
Explore and describe the current and past foodways of diverse cultures in various population groups in Europe, Asia, Africa, the Middle East, and the Americas.
Understand and appreciate the complexities influencing food choices and behaviors, taking into account social, psychological, historical, political, technological, and economic factors.
Describe the relationship and impact of foodways on consumer behavior.
Identify and describe the effect of foodways and food choices on nutritional status and health.