

# CURRICULUM PROPOSAL

## APPROVAL PAGE

Proposal Title: Course Catalogue Name and Description Changes

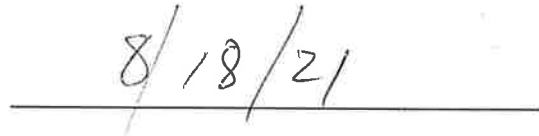
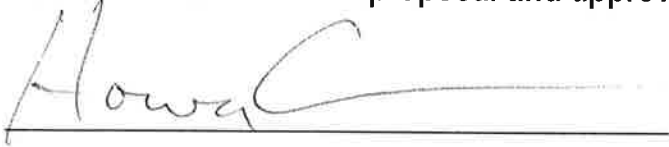
College: Liberal Arts

Department: Sociology and Anthropology

DEPARTMENT CHAIR- Howard Campbell

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I have read the enclosed proposal and approve this proposal on behalf of the department.



Signature

Date

COLLEGE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE CHAIR – Crystal Herman

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I have read the enclosed documents and approve the proposal on behalf of the college curriculum committee.

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Signature

Date

COLLEGE DEAN – Denis O'Hearn

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I have read the enclosed documents and approve the proposal on behalf of the college. I certify that the necessary funds will be allocated by the college in support of this proposal.

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Signature

Date

**From:** [Ohearn, Denis A](#)  
**To:** [Herman, Crystal](#)  
**Cc:** [Rivera, Julie A](#)  
**Subject:** Re: LACC  
**Date:** Thursday, September 2, 2021 2:34:11 PM

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Yes, I approve them all.

Denis



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**From:** Herman, Crystal  
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**To:** Ohearn, Denis A  
**Cc:** Rivera, Julie A  
**Subject:** LACC

Denis,

Attached are the proposals that were passed at the last LACC meeting. Please reply "Yes" to this email to approve these proposals.

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## UNDERGRADUATE CURRICULUM CHANGE MEMO

Date: August 17, 2021

From: Carina Heckert, Department of Sociology and Anthropology

Through: Howard Campbell, Chair of Sociology and Anthropology

Through: Denis O'Hearn, Dean of College of Liberal Arts

To: Crystal Herman, Chair, Undergraduate Curriculum Committee

Proposal Title: ANTH 4365 Museum Fundamentals  
Course Name, Contact Hours, and Description Changes

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The nature of the change is a revised course name and catalogue description that better aligns with the shift in emphasis and its current role within the Museum Studies curriculum. The fundamentals of museum theory and practice are now addressed in ART 3308 Introduction to Museum Studies. Below are the proposed changes.

Proposed Name Change to Material Culture and Museums

Change in Contact Hours from 2-8 to 3

Proposed Catalogue Description

**ANTH 4365 Material Culture and Museums (3)** Explores theories of material culture and how they relate to the display and interpretation of objects in museums. The course combines readings, class discussions and a semester project in which students combine theory and practice.

