FACULTY AGENDA ITEM

Date: 3/22/21

Submitted by: Miguel Gonzalez-Abellas

SUBJECT: Deletion of minor in German

Description: This is a proposal to delete the minor in German

Rationale: The program has been struggling for a while, with no more than 5 active majors at any given point in the last few years, and only one new major declaration in the last three years before we stopped taking new majors over a year ago. More than half the low enrollment classes in the department (3 or less students) have been in German in the last few years. Declining enrollments in German are a national trend and it is thus unlikely that the number of majors will increase significantly. Discontinuing the faculty line in German and the major and minor programs of study will conserve resources.

Financial Implications: None

Proposed Effective Date: *Fall 2021*

Request for Action: Approval through WUBOR

Approved by: *AAC on date*

            FAC on date

            Faculty Senate on date

Attachments   Yes ☑   No ☐

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES
NEW PROGRAM REVIEW FORM

	Chair's Signature	**Recommendation**	**Review Date**
Department	Miguel Gonzalez-Abellas	Approve	2020-02-26
Division	Jim Schnoebelen	Approve	2020-03-27
Dept. of Educ.	N/A		

(If relates to teacher certification program.)

Dean	Laura Stephenson	Approve	2021-01-12
Curriculum Committee	Rebecca Meador	Approve	2021-01-27
Accepted by CFC	Michaela Saunders	Approve	2021-02-09
CAS Faculty	Michaela Saunders	Approve	2021-03-04

Approved By:	**Faculty Senate** _____	**University Faculty** _____	**WU Board of Regents** _____

1. Title of Program.

   Deletion of the Minor in German (CIP: 16.05)

2. Rationale for offering this program.

   When the deletion of the major in German was proposed, we forgot to include the minor in German. Since we do not have a position in German, we will not be able to offer courses for the minor either. Therefore the Minor in German should be deleted as well.

3. Exact proposed catalog description.

   N/A

4. List any financial implications.

   No financial implications.

5. Are any other departments affected by this new program? No