University of Wisconsin-Whitewater
Curriculum Proposal Form #4

Change in or Deletion of an Existing Course

Type of Action (check all that apply)

- ☐ Course Deletion
- ☐ Course Revision
- ☒ Description Change*
- ☐ Title Change
- ☐ Number Change
- ☐ Contact Hour Change and or Credit Change
- ☐ Grade Basis
- ☐ Add Cross-listing
- ☒ Requisite Change
- ☐ Repeatability Change
- ☐ Diversity Option
- ☐ General Education Option area: Select one: ***
- ☐ Computer Requirement
- ☐ Writing Requirement
- ☐ Other:

* *Use Form 5, if only a Description Change*

*** Note: For the Gen Ed option, the proposal should address how this course relates to specific core courses, meets the goals of General Education in providing breadth, and incorporates scholarship in the appropriate field relating to women and gender.

Effective Term: 2097 (Fall 2009)

Current/Old Course Number: Speech 789 **Cross-listing**: Journalism 789

New Course Number: **Speech 789** **Cross-listing**: **Journalism 789**

Current/Old Course Title: Applied Communication Project Credits

New Course Title: **Applied Communication Project Credits**

25-Character Abbreviation *(if new title)*:

Sponsor(s): Susan Wildermuth

Department(s): Communication

College(s): Arts and Communications

List all programs that are affected by this change:
MS Degree in Communication

If programs are listed above, will this change affect the Catalog and Advising Reports for those programs? If so, have Form 2's been submitted for each of those programs?
(Form 2 is necessary to provide updates to the Catalog and Advising Reports)

☐ NA ☒ Yes ☐ They will be submitted in the future

Proposal Information: (Procedures can be found at http://acadaff.uww.edu/Handbook/Procedures-Form4.htm)

Detailed explanation of changes

FROM:
Speech 789
Applied Communication Project Credits (ACP) units allow a student to work with his/her project director and committee in further developing and completing the ACP, a capstone experience option emphasizing the application of communication theory and principles to solve a communication problem or meet a specific need relating to corporate communication or mass communication issues.
Prereq: The completion of an ACP proposal form (forms available at http://academics.uww.edu/commgrads/forms.html topic. or form the graduate program coordinator), and completion of 18 graduate units including Speech 701, Speech 722, and Speech 785.

To (to be listed in catalog and on AR)

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Note, Speech/Journlsm 799 Thesis Credits and Speech/Journlsm 789 ACP credits may not be taken concurrently with Speech/Journlsm 798 Independent Study credits.

I. **Justification for action**

We would like to clarify the way that the pre-requisites for the thesis credits are listed in the AR and the course catalogue so that they match. In addition, we want to clearly publish the departmental policy of not allowing students to take independent study credits at the same time as thesis or ACP credits in order to ensure that the distribution of coursework directed toward their capstone is balanced over their time in the program.

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II. **Syllabus/outline** (if course Revision)