Office of the Registrar

COURSE INVENTORY FORM

Check One ☐ Create New Course ☐ Temporary Course Offering

1.	Has this course previously been offered on a temporary basis? ☐ Yes ☒ No ☐ If yes, indicate the term offered ☐ ☐
2.	Subject Course Course Area Number Title (as it should appear on the transcript; maximum of 30 letters & spaces) CHNF 430 Chinese Culture
3.	Term for Implementation (e.g., Spring 2012=201210, Fall 2012=201230)
4.	Official Course Title CHINESE CULTURE
5.	Offering Unit (See Table of Code Values.) College IS Department HON
6.	Credit Hours Fixed Credit Hours: 3.00 Variable Credit Hours
7.	Repeat Limit (See instructions.) Total Maximum Hours (See instructions.) 3.00
8.	Grading (Check all that apply.) ☐ Standard Letter Grading ☐ Pass/Fail Only ☐ No Grade ☐ In Progress – IP (Course is intended to span more than one term.)
9.	Schedule Type (See Table of Schedule Types.)
10.	Corequisites (courses required to be taken concurrently with this course) Subject Area Course Number Subject Area Course Number Subject Area Course Number Subject Area Course Number
11.	Equivalent Courses (Include Commonwealth School courses and other equivalent courses.) Subject Area Course Number Subject Area Course Number Subject Area Course Number
12.	Prerequisites (See instructions.) Subject Area Course Number Subject Area Subj
13.	Course Attribute Other Developmental Course
14.	Course Restrictions
15.	Course Description (Indicate exactly as it should appear in the University Catalog. Include pertinent special information, e.g., course fees, pass/fail grading, field trips, transportation requirements, etc.) This advanced Chinese Flagship course is designed to further deepen students' immersion into Mandarin Chinese by introducing them the cultural background of the language. Taught entirely in Chinese, the course interweaves the learning in both Chinese language and Chinese culture by exploring the topics such as history, traditional philosophy, political thoughts, religion, arts and literature, medicine and science.
16. App	Department Head Temporary course: College Dean Graduate Dean Undergraduate Curriculum Committee Graduate Council Date University Senate Cip Banner Data Course Description Evaluate

University College Department of Honors College Proposal to Create a Temporary Course (Information Item)

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1. Identification of proposed course

- 1.1 Course prefix (subject area) and number: CHNF 430
- 1.2 Course title: Chinese Culture
- 1.3 Abbreviated course title: Chinese Culture
- 1.4 Credit hours: 3
- 1.5 Schedule type: L, S
- 1.6 Prerequisites/corequisites: CHNF 420
- 1.7 Course description:

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2. Rationale

- 2.1 Reason for offering this course on a temporary basis: This course is a continuation of CHNF 420, Contemporary China, that is offered in Fall 2011. Currently CHNF 420 is the only advance course in Chinese Flagship program. CHNF 430, Chinese Culture, is a needed addition to the Flagship curriculum. The hope is this course will move from temporary to permanent course next year. Chinese Flagship Program needs sustained course works at the advanced level; currently there is only one 400 level course, so this CHNF 430 is needed to build the curriculum.
- 2.2 Relationship of the proposed course to courses offered in other academic units: Although Chinese is also taught in the Modern Languages Department and they have a course titled Intro to Chinese Culture, that course is taught in English. The proposed course is taught entirely in Chinese and all Flagship courses are taught in accelerated rate. This course is distinctively a Flagship course.

3. Description of proposed course

- 3.1 Course content outline
 Students learn about a broad variety aspects of traditional Chinese culture, including language, philosophical and political thoughts, religious beliefs, government institutions and artistic pursuits.
- 3.2 Tentative text(s) Han Tang Qi Xiang

4. Second offering of a temporary course (if applicable)

4.1 Reason for offering this course a second time on a temporary basis:

- 4.2 Term course was first offered:
- 4.3 Enrollment in first offering:
- 5. Term of Implementation: Spring 2012
- 6. Dates of review/approvals:

27-9-11 Department/Division:

Curriculum Committee

9/27/11 Dean

UCC Chair

Provost:

Attachment: Course Inventory Form