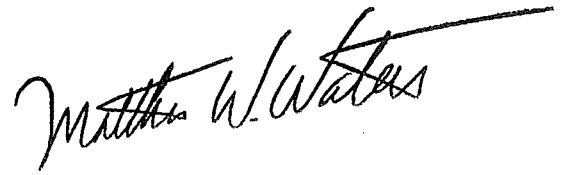


TO: College of Arts and Sciences
FROM: Matt Waters, Chair of Department of Languages
DATE: 1/16/20
RE: Major Program Change



We request implementation of the following program change with the next possible *Catalog*.

Name of Program — German, Major -Liberal Arts

Program Code — 280-201

Date of Department/Program Approval — 1/16/20

From Current Catalog Web Page:

<https://catalog.uwec.edu/undergraduate/arts-sciences/languages/german-major-liberal-ba-bs/>

To:

A minimum of 36 semester credits in German beyond GERM 102, or 28 semester credits beyond GERM 202.

This emphasis requires:

GERM 313	Grammar Review and Composition	3
GERM 314	Oral Proficiency	3
GERM 315	German for Professional Communication I	3
GERM 325	The German Sound System	3
GERM 363	Modern Germany: Literature, History, Culture	3

Students may earn their remaining credits from any other German upper division courses but must take a minimum of six credits at the 400 level.

Rationale:

Rephrasing this description will (1) make it clearer to students and advisers that any GERM upper division elective counts toward the program, (2) make it easier to add courses in the future that will count toward the program without having to submit a change request memo to have individual courses count, (3) avoid petitioning to have courses taken abroad count toward the program. (4) The list of specific required courses outside the department dates back to a time when the German curriculum was based on literature survey courses at the 300 and 400-level and did not offer integrated civilization/culture courses. Please remove from requirements.