

Subject: FW: UCC's review of MLAN 699

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OK, thanks! In the interest of efficiency, any small changes that UCC deems necessary, we are amenable too. We trust your discretion.

I hope everyone has a wonderful Thanksgiving week!

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Dear Sue,

Thank you to UCC for its careful consideration of our proposed course. Here are our responses. As always, we are happy to answer any further questions you might have.

1. Typically 699 is associated with continuation of thesis. There is a recommendation to change the number to something else to avoid confusion.

Can we change the course number to 696 please? SPAN 696 is directed study at the grad level. 696 will keep our numbers consistent.

2. The title seems confusing. UCC suggests: Directed Independent Study

That sounds great, thank you. Do we need to say 'in a language other than Spanish', since we already have one specifically for Spanish? If so, we approve that change. If UCC thinks it is unnecessary, we are OK with that too.

3. UCC suggests deletion of the second sentence in the course description as this type of content is typically not included in catalog description.

If UCC is ok with that change, so are we.

4. Line # 12 had to be answered since the course is graded NP

OK, that was a change that CAPC made, I think. How about 'some projects may take longer to complete than one semester'. But we would be happy with normal grading too, I'm not sure why the change was made.

5. Consent can only be coded for one 'party' in PeopleSoft, so please specify if you would like instructor or department

Instructor.

6. The 'prerequisite' box will be changed to 'no' as undergraduates cannot register for 600-level courses

OK

7. UCC is now requiring CLOs for all C forms, including independent study. We will check 'course outline' on the C form and await the CLOs. You need only to develop a few general outcomes that someone completing this course would come away with.

Are the following sufficient?

1. Students can develop and delimit a research question and conduct a systematic investigation of the question.
2. Students can evaluate their findings.
3. Students can identify the significant literary and cultural productions of several French and Francophone communities in the past and present.
4. Students can situate works within their historical, cultural and discursive context.