

**L&S Annual Report on Program Review – Addendum to Annotated Summary of Reviews**  
July XX, 2013

This document expands upon notes provided in the attached document, **UW-Madison Program Reviews: Summary of Reviews Reported in the Past 10 years – July 1, 2013** (L&S only).

L&S documentation concerning program reviews has been updated and added to the L&S Administrative Gateway. This documentation includes the current L&S program review guidelines, including the guidelines for review of certificate programs. The latter have been revised to align with current UAPC guidelines regarding certificate program review. Please see:

- Academic Program Review - An Overview - <https://kb.wisc.edu/lis/page.php?id=24811>
- L&S Guidelines for Program Review - <https://kb.wisc.edu/lis/page.php?id=24812>
- L&S Policy on Review of Certificate Programs - <https://kb.wisc.edu/lis/page.php?id=24813>
- L&S Academic Program Review - Frequently Asked Questions  
<https://kb.wisc.edu/lis/page.php?id=24814>
- L&S Academic Program Review – Resources - <https://kb.wisc.edu/lis/page.php?id=24892>

**L&S Academic Program reviews completed in 2012-13:**

- Archaeology (CRT)
- Biology (joint baccalaureate major with CALS)
- Computer Sciences (CRT)
- Mass Communication (joint doctoral program with CALS)
- Spanish & Portuguese
- Spanish for Business (CRT)
- Specialist – Library and Information Studies (CRT)

**L&S Academic Programs currently engaged in Review, making satisfactory progress:**

- Artist Certificate in Music – materials received, APC discussion Fall 2013
- Botany – self-study received, committee review and APC discussion Fall 2013
- Communication Arts – self-study due Summer 2013; committee review and APC discussion 2013-2014
- Celtic Studies (CRT) – APC discussion Spring 2013; requested follow-up report due Fall 2013
- French & Italian – review convened Fall 2012, deadline extended
- Geography (includes Cartography and GIS) – self-study due Summer 2013; committee review and APC discussion 2013-2014
- Hebrew & Semitic Studies – Self-study received; committee review and APC discussion 2013-2014
- Integrated Liberal Studies (CRT) –convened 2012-13;
- International Studies – self-study due Summer 2013; committee review and APC discussion 2013-2014

- Medieval Studies - APC discussion Spring 2013; requested follow-up report due Fall 2013
- Middle East Studies - APC discussion Spring 2013; requested follow-up report due Fall 2013
- Physics (including Physics CRT) – self-study received, committee review and APC discussion 2013-2014
- Sociology – proposed changes to undergraduate program received, committee review and L&S CC discussion Fall 2013; graduate program self-study due January 2014; committee review and APC discussion Spring 2014
- Zoology – self-study received, committee review and APC discussion Fall 2013

**Notes:**

- Several L&S certificate programs are associated with Title VI Area Studies Centers. In recent years, these centers were called upon to respond to significant budget reductions, while at the same time responding to significant changes in the support provided by the Division of International Studies. In light of these changes, the following programs will be asked to undertake their reviews in Fall 2014:
  - African Studies (CRT)
  - East Asian Studies (CRT)
  - European Studies, Grad (CRT)
  - European Studies, Undergrad (CRT)
  - Global Cultures (CRT)
  - REECA Studies (CRT)

We will also seek updates from three other area studies certificate programs that have been recently reviewed, South Asian Studies, Southeast Asian Studies, and Southeast Asian Studies, Grad.
- A number of L&S certificate programs are associated with Ethnic Studies Programs. The results of the review of the University General Education Ethnic Studies Requirement will be released in Fall 2013; it is expected that these results will inform self-studies to be conducted by the faculty who administer certificates in American Indian Studies, Asian American Studies, and Chicano/Latino Studies. These programs will be asked to engage in review in Fall 2013.
- The Department of Comparative Literature and the Folklore Program were granted permission for administrative restructuring. The faculties have been discussing curricular changes for both programs; we will ask that any proposal to create a new academic offering related to Folklore include a review of the Folklore Certificate, since these matters are interrelated.
- The majors in Journalism and Mass Communication (Master's) and in Journalism (BA/BS) will be reviewed after the recommendations of the review of the joint PhD program in Mass Communication have been implemented. We anticipate that this will result in review of other JMC programs in 2013-14.

## Future Reviews (as estimated in Fall 2012...)

2013-14

### Certificate Program Reviews

- Area Studies CRTs?
- Ethnic Studies CRTs?
- Jewish Studies (CRT)
- Mathematics (CRT)
- TESOL (CRT)

### Major Program Reviews

- Art History (with Material Cultures CRT)
- Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences
- Chemistry
- History
- History and History of Science, Medicine, and Technology
- History of Science, Medicine, and Technology
- Journalism
- Philosophy
- Slavic Lang & Lit, Polish, Russian
- Psychology

### Substantive Organizational Reviews (academic program and more)

- ILS / continued
- Religious Studies (CRT) – will include larger questions

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- German (with German CRT)
- Integrated Studies in Science, Engineering, and Society (CRT)

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