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**2.Proposed Change**

The proposed changes are to amend the number of hours required for the Leadership Studies Minor and to add more course options that emphasize leadership development and experiential learning.

**3.Effective Date**

7/1/2015

**4.Justification**

The rationale for the proposed amendments to the existing Leadership Studies Minor aims to extend access to leadership education to more undergraduate students as Arkansas State University. The revision to the hour requirement and curriculum will allow students to focus on theories, concepts, skills, and practices of leadership in organizational and experiential settings. The primary goal of the minor is to educate and prepare students to lead lives of leadership and service. The proposed changes and experiences students will gain align with the university’s mission of educating leaders, enhancing intellectual growth, and enriching lives.

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MINORS OFFERED

Arkansas State University offers 61 minors with requirements varying from 18-24 semester hours.

Specific requirements for each minor are stated in the respective college sections of this bulletin. The

minors offered are listed below in alphabetical order. Refer to the index for the appropriate page references of each minor offered.

**Minor Req. Hours**

International Studies 18 hours

Leadership Studies **22-23 hours 18 hours**

Logistics 18 hours

Management 18 hours

Marine Science 18 hours

Marketing 18 hours

Mathematics 21 hours

Medieval Studies 18 hours

Military Science and Leadership 20-21 hours

Modern European Studies 18 hours

Multimedia Journalism 19 hours

Music 22 hours

Philosophy 18 hours

Physics 18 hours

Plant Science 18 hours

Political Science 18 hours

Psychology 21 hours

Religious Studies 18 hours

Renewable Energy Technology 18 hours

Sociology 18 hours

Spanish 18 hours

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Minor in Leadership Studies

**The Minor in Leadership Studies is designed for undergraduate students of all majors at the University. This minor is intended to enhance the major with studies and practice in leadership education and development. The goal is to educate and prepare students to lead lives of leadership and service. The curriculum focuses on expanding students’ knowledge, skills, and understanding of specific leadership theories, concepts, models, and current leadership issues & challenges in in the 21st century. Students are given opportunities to develop their own philosophies and leadership styles through various mediums both in-and outside the classroom. Emphasis is placed on self-awareness, effective communication, research, collaboration, diversity, integration, and practical leadership applications through experiential learning.**

Required Courses:

Any student who completes the necessary courses may declare this minor and have it appear on the transcript. Each Department which offers a course included in the minor will determine for its own majors whether courses taken for their minor can also count toward their major. **Students must earn a 2.75 or above cumulative G.P.A in all minor coursework.**

**Leadership Foundations: Sem. hrs.**

**UC 1103: Introduction to Leadership Development 3**

**Leadership Application:**

**IDS 2023: Introduction to Service Learning 3**

**IDS 3023: Advanced Service Learning 3**

**Leadership Concepts:**

***Select one from the following:***

BCOM 3573, Managerial Communication

MGMT 3153, Organizational Behavior

MGMT 3613, Leadership

PSY 3303, Motivation

PSY 4743, Organizational Psychology

**SOC 3273, Social Stratification**

**SOC 3353, Minority Groups**

**SOC 3003, Sociology of Gender**

**SOC 3293, Social Behavior**

UC 480V, Special Problems in Leadership Development 3

***Select one from the following:***

COMS 3203, Business and Professional Communication

COMS 2243, Principles of Argumentation

COMS 3243, Principles of Persuasion

COMS 4203, Small Group Communication

COMS 4243, Interpersonal Communication

COMS 4253, Intercultural Communication

PR 4603, Crisis Communication **3**

**Capstone Experiences:**

**UC 3013: Seminar in Leadership Development 3**

Total Required Hours:

 **18**

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