

Table A1 - HNED4913H

Course Information:

Requested Changes:

Course ID Prefix:	HNED
Course ID Number:	4913
Course ID Suffix:	H
Change Type:	Add
Effective Catalog Year Semester:	Fall
Effective Catalog Year:	2010
College Alpha Code:	EDUC
Department Name:	Department of Education Dean
Department Alpha Code:	EDUD
Add a course:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Short Title:	Politics and Literature
Catalog Title:	Politics and Literature
Level:	Both Undergraduate and Graduate Credit
Description:	As common references to utopian schemes and Orwellian newspeak show, some of the most important works of politics are fictional. This course explores classic and contemporary works of political fiction, to better understand recent political history and such concepts as power, freedom, totalitarianism, discrimination and social class.
Prerequisite(s):	none
Corequisite(s):	none
Offering Schedule:	Regular
Offered Fall:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Offering Year:	Every Year
Cross-Listed Course:	none
Repeatability:	none
Credit Hours:	Fixed
Variable Credit Hours Min:	3

Variable Credit Hours Max:	3
Contact Hours:	03
Objectives and Content:	For the most part, the course will avoid Washington themes (e.g., Advise and Consent) and instead focus on more comparative and universal works. This course introduces students to such social scientific concepts as freedom, equity, social engineering, social class, power, alienation, colonialism, Marxism, capitalism, oppression, and utopia. Mainly, the course will focus on the individual v. society.
Justification:	The course serves two primary purposes. First, a knowledge of political literature helps students understand modern political discourse, such as terms like "Big Brother" and "Brave New World." Second, secondary Social Studies and English teachers need exposure to political fiction to better shape their own curricula.
Course Duplication:	none
Effective Date:	2010