



SACRAMENTO STATE

Program Proposal Form B



Academic Group (College): Education	Date of Submission to College Dean: 4/15/09
Academic Organization (Department): EDS	Requested Effective: Fall <u>X</u> , Spring __, 20 <u>09</u> .
Department Chair: B. Bass de Martinez	Contact if not Department Chair: Donald Grushkin

Title of the Program (Please be specific; indicate minor, undergraduate or graduate degree, etc.):
Bachelor of Arts: American Sign Language and Deaf Studies

Type of Program Proposal:

- Modification in Existing Program:**
 Substantive Change
 Non-Substantive Change
 Deletion of Existing Program

- New Programs**
 Initiation (Projection) of New Program on to Master Plan
 New Degree Programs
 Regular Process
 Fast Track Process
 Pilot Process
 New Minor, Concentration, Option, Specialization, Emphasis
 New Certificate Program

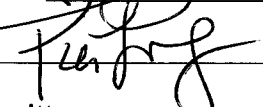
PLEASE NOTE: Form B is to be used only as a Cover Form. Additional information is requested for each of the above as noted in the corresponding procedure in the Policies and Procedures for Initiation, Modification, Review and Approval of Courses and Academic Programs found at <http://www.csus.edu/umannual/acad.htm>

Briefly describe the program proposal (new or change) and provide a justification.

Most of the changes involve corrections to the course catalog listing of prerequisites for a number of the Deaf Studies courses (EDS 155, 160, 161, 162, 163 & 165), name changes (EDS 161), renumbering to reflect Lower Division status (EDS 151, 152, 152, 156, 157, 160) and an increase of units for EDS 157, 165 & 166. The unit increase for EDS 165 & 166 was done to allow for faculty flexibility in scheduling and provide options for students in fulfilling the unit requirements for graduation. EDS 157 (ASL Classifiers) was increased to 2 units after faculty feedback indicated 1 unit was insufficient time to satisfactorily cover this complex topic.

Approvals:

Department Chair:  Date: 4/15/09

College Dean:  Date: 7/9/09

University Committee: _____ Date: _____

Associate Vice President and Dean for Academic Affairs: _____ Date: _____

BA: ASL and Deaf Studies
Proposed Changes 2009-10

Current Program
(Items to be changed in Boldface)

EDS 151: American Sign Language 1 (3 Units)
EDS 152: American Sign Language 2 (3 Units)
EDS 153: American Sign Language 3 (4 Units)
EDS 154: American Sign Language 4 (4 Units)
EDS 155: American Sign Language 5 (4 Units)
(Prerequisites: EDS 154; **“Recommended to be taken simultaneously with EDS 160-162”**)
EDS 156: ASL Fingerspelling & Numbers (1 Unit)
EDS 157: ASL Classifiers (1 Unit)
EDS 160: Introduction to Deaf Studies (3 Units)
(Pre/Co-requisites: EDS 155, EDS 160-162 **“as appropriate”**)
EDS 161: **Deaf History & Education** (3 Units)
(Pre/Co-requisites: EDS 155, EDS 160-162 **“as appropriate”**)
EDS 162: Deaf Culture & Community (3 Units)
(Pre/Corequisites: EDS 155, EDS 160-162 **“as appropriate”**)
EDS 163: ASL Literature (3 Units)
(Corequisites: EDS 154, EDS 160-162)
EDS 164: ASL Structure & Usage (3 Units)
EDS 165: Current Issues in the Deaf-World (2 Units) (Prerequisites: EDS 154)
EDS 166: Experiences in the Deaf Community (2 – 5 Units)

Total: 39 – 42 Units

Proposed Program
(Proposed changes in Boldface)

EDS 51: American Sign Language 1 (3 Units)
EDS 52: American Sign Language 2 (3 Units)
EDS 53: American Sign Language 3 (4 Units)
EDS 154: American Sign Language 4 (4 Units)
EDS 155: American Sign Language 5 (4 Units)
(Prerequisites: EDS 154; **Corequisite: May be taken simultaneously with EDS 163**)
EDS 56: ASL Fingerspelling & Numbers (1 Unit)
EDS 57: ASL Classifiers (2 Units)
EDS 60: Introduction to Deaf Studies (3 Units)
(PreRequisites: None)
[Also submitted for inclusion in G.E. options; Area D2]
EDS 161: **Deaf History** (3 Units) (Prerequisite: EDS 60)
EDS 162: Deaf Culture & Community (3 Units)
(Prerequisite: EDS 60)
EDS 163: ASL Literature (3 Units)
(Prerequisite: EDS 154, EDS 60, EDS 161, EDS 162, EDS 164; Corequisite: May be taken simultaneously with EDS 155)
EDS 164: ASL Structure & Usage (3 Units)
EDS 165: Current Issues in the Deaf-World (2 – 5 Units) (Prerequisites: EDS 154, EDS 60, EDS 161-162)
EDS 166: Experiences in the Deaf Community (3 – 5 Units)

Total: 41 – 48 Units