Program Proposal
Form B

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Title of the Program (Please be specific; indicate minor, undergraduate or graduate degree, etc.):
Undergraduate Spanish major

Type of Program Proposal:

- X Modification in Existing Program:
  - X 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/umanual/acad.htm

Briefly describe the program proposal (new or change) and provide a justification.
The Spanish area faculty of the Department of Foreign Languages is concerned with what appears to be a slight increase in the number of students who have chosen Spanish as either their first or second major. A few of these students are, on the one hand, attempting to take too many units per semester in order to graduate, and, as a result, are accumulating too many average or below-average grades and are then eligible to graduate. The Spanish area faculty wishes to discourage this practice, and thus unanimously approved setting the following letter grade parameters for the Spanish major to be inserted in the online CSUS Catalog under the Spanish major requirements: All Spanish majors must earn a grade of C or better in all courses counted toward the major.

Approvals:

Department Chair: [Signature]
Date: 4/15/11

College Dean: [Signature]
Date: 4/22/11

University Committee: [Signature]
Date: [Signature]

Associate Vice President and Dean for Academic Affairs: [Signature]
Date: [Signature]

09/10/2008
CURRENT SPANISH MAJOR
Requirements - Bachelor of Arts Degree
Units required for the major: 42 plus a required minor
Minimum total units required for the BA: 120

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It is assumed that Spanish majors will have completed the equivalent of college level elementary and intermediate Spanish in high school, at a community college, or by completing SPAN 2B at Sacramento State, prior to beginning upper-division courses.

B. Required Upper Division Courses (36 units)
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(3) SPAN 100 Intro to the Study of Hispanic Lit
(3) SPAN 101 Adv Oral Practice and Vocab Development
Or
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(3) SPAN 103 Adv Spanish Grammar
(3) SPAN 106 Adv Spanish Composition
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(3) SPAN 113 Latin American Lit, Beginnings to Mod
(3) SPAN 114 Latin American Lit, Modernism to Present
(3) SPAN 152 The Civilization & Culture of Spain
(3) Select one of the following:
SPAN 153 Civilization & Culture of Mexico
SPAN 156 Hispanic Folklore

C. Electives (6 units)
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(3) SPAN 47 Intro Composition & Gram Review
(3) SPAN 115 Magical Realism
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