**Curriculum Change Proposal Form**

1) Unit proposing the change: **English Department**

2) Please check all appropriate items:

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³ Curriculum Committee receive & report to faculty
² 30 day faculty review required
³ LAE assessment plan with assessment committee review required prior to CC consideration
⁴ Full faculty approval required
⁵ Curriculum Committee for action, approval published to faculty

3. Proposed term of initial offering or implementation date: **Fall, 2014**

4. Please provide the following information here or attached:
   a. recommended level: **FR SO**
   b. credit hours: **3**
   c. title: **ENGL 124: Non-Western Literature**
   d. requirements it will satisfy: (major, minor, LAE, licensure): **LAE: C. Cultural Understanding/The Global Society/International Perspectives**
   e. prerequisites or other special conditions: **ENGL 121**
   f. description of change: **ENGL 124 would be added as an option under International Perspectives**
   g. proposed catalog description: **N/A**
   h. justification for change: **see attached**
   i. staffing considerations:
      1) can be taught by present staff  **X**
      2) will require additional staff  **___**
   j. anticipated frequency of offering:
      1) every semester  **___**
      2) once a year  **X**
      3) alternate years  **___**
   k. resources (facilities, equipment, supplies, library materials, etc.): **N/A**
Background and justification

English 124 has had limited presence in the curriculum, taken only as a non-major elective and as a requirement in Education [Middle Childhood and Adolescent/Young Adult]. The English Department believes that its global perspective can offer a valuable option in the LAE. At an English Department meeting on Monday, 28 January, 2013, we voted unanimously to put this idea forward for discussion.

Please note: the assessment plan for this course has been submitted to the Assessment Committee and has been revised according to that Committee’s suggestions.

ENGL 124: Non-Western Literature explores common themes found in literature. It examines their origins, their alterations, and the techniques of their expression, so that readers may see that human concerns are universal and diverse, and that humans are resourceful in imaginatively stating their concerns. [Recent semesters have included the study of Fahlooz (Egypt), Ramli (Iraq), Murakami (Japan), Pamuk (Turkey), Houng (Vietnam), and Hagedorn (Philippines).]
Arts and Humanities Division Discussion of the Proposal to Add English 124 to the International Perspectives Category of the LAE
April 9, 2013

The division heard a presentation from Jane Varley, the English Department Chair, regarding this proposal, basically reiterating the department discussion attached to the proposal form. Jane emphasized that the course already exists, this proposal would simply add it to the LAE.

One member of the division expressed support for the proposal, noting that this will give another option to students (and advisors) who would like a non-language course to meet the International Perspectives requirement. Another observed that advisors will need to remember the rule that no more than two courses in one department may be applied to the totality of the Cultural Understanding requirement, given that a number of those areas already include English courses.

There being no further discussion, the division unanimously approved the proposal.

Respectfully submitted,

[Signature]
Rick Nutt
Arts and Humanities Division Chair