To: Rebecca Harvey, Chair of ASCC

From: Richard Fletcher, Chair of ASCC Arts and Humanities Panel

November 11, 2013

Dear Rebecca,

At our meeting on Tuesday, October 29, the Arts and Humanities Panel reviewed revisions to both the Italian Minor and Major.

**Minor**

1. Students must take It 2102, or a 3000-level course, and at least one 400 level course or above (taught in the Italian language on the OSU campus - i.e. not study abroad)

2. Up to 3 credits of 2193/2194 or 5193 and up to 6 credits of 5194 may be counted toward the minor provided that they are taught in the Italian language.

3. The removal of the UG thesis (4999[H]).

**Major**

1. Students must take It 2102, or a 3000-level course, and at least two 400 level courses or above (taught in the Italian language on the OSU campus - i.e. not study abroad).

2. Up to 3 credits of 2193 or 5193 and up to 6 credits of 2194 or 5194 may be counted toward the major provided that they are taught in the Italian language.

3. Up to 3 credits of 4998 (or 4998H) or up to 9 credits of 4999 (or 4999H) may be counted toward the major.

4. Students may count one course taught in the English language (2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 5051, and any course at the 7000- and 8000-level) toward the major.

The panel voted unanimously to approve these proposed changes to both the Italian Minor and the Italian Major.

Yours faithfully,

Richard Fletcher

ASCC Arts and Humanities Panel Chair
To Whom it May Concern:

The Italian program in the Department of French and Italian would like to submit the following changes to the Italian minor:

**Change:**
Italian minors must take It 2102 and at least one 3000-level course on the OSU campus.
**To:**
Italian minors must take at least one 3000-level course or It 2102 and at least one 4000-level or above courses TAUGHT IN ITALIAN on the OSU campus.
**Reason:**
Students who study abroad return to OSU with linguistic competency beyond 2102, so we would like the option of awarding credit for 2102 as part of their study abroad equivalency credits. We would like to raise the requirement of one 3000-level course to one 4000-level course in order to add more rigor to the minor.

**Change:**
Up to 3 credits of 2193 or 5193 and up to 6 credits of 5195 may be counted toward the minor provided that they are taught in the Italian language.
**To:**
Up to 3 credits of 2193/2194 or 5193 and up to 6 credits of 5194 may be counted toward the minor provided that they are taught in the Italian language.
**Reason:**
We would like to include group studies courses as part of the minor as long as they are taught in Italian. The change from 5195 to 5194 is to correct a clerical error; we do not have a course number 5195.

**Change:**
Remove the option for UG thesis (4999[H]) from the minor.
**Reason:**
The minor is worth 12 credits. Students do not have enough time to develop their language skills, understanding of Italian literature, culture and history as well as develop and write a research thesis. We do permit them to take 1-3 credits of UG research (4998[H]).

I have attached the revised description of the minor as well as the minor form.

Sincerely,

Janice M. Aski
Students interested in a minor in Italian are asked to contact Jodi Obert in the Department of French and Italian (obert.1@osu.edu) who will assign them a minor advisor. Students should also file the Minor form with their college office.

The minor in Italian consists of 12 hours of course work beyond 1103 or 5101. Courses taught in the English language do not count toward the minor. All courses are three credits unless otherwise indicated.

Italian minors must take Italian 2102 or a 3000-level course and at least one 4200-level or above course taught in Italian on the OSU campus.

Up to 9 credits of 3798.01, 3798.02, or 5797 may be counted toward the minor. However, all minors must take 2102 or one 3000-level course and at least one 4200-level or above course taught in Italian on campus.

Up to 3 credits of 2193, 2194, or 5193 and up to 6 credits of 5194 may be counted toward the minor provided that they are taught in the Italian language.

If you complete the minor following these guidelines, you need only file your Minor Program Form with the college office. Any variation from the program described here needs the approval of the appropriate advisor in the Department of French and Italian or one of the advisors in Hagerty Hall, Room 355.

Prerequisites (not credited toward the undergraduate major or minor)
- Italian 1103 or 5101

Required course:
- Italian 2102

Electives (9 hours of courses; includes at least one 4000-level or above course taught in Italian on campus):
- Italian 2193, 2194, 3102, 3103, 3220, 3221, 3222, 3223, 3224, 3225, 3330, 3331, 3332, 3798.01, 3798.02, 4223, 4224, 4225, 4330, 4331, 4998, 4999, 4999H, 5193, 5194, 5797.

After studying abroad students often return with advanced languages skills. Students must receive the permission of the instructor to take the following courses:
- Italian 8221, 8222, 8223, 8224, 8241, 8231, 8232, 8233, 8234, 8235, 8242, 8243, 8244, 8245, 8246, 8331, 8332, 8334.
Department of French & Italian: Italian Minor

Name (last, first, middle): ___________________________ e-mail: ____________ Minor: Italian

Expected Date of Graduation: ________________

Local Address: ____________________________________________________________________________ Phone: ____________

College of Enrollment  Choose an item.

Major:

Have you filed a degree application in the College Office? Yes ☐ No ☐

Please note:
1. The minor consists of 12 credit hours. No more than 6 hours of credit by examination (EM) and/or transfer credit can be applied to the minor.
2. Courses taught in the English language do not count toward the minor.
3. Italian minors must take at least one 3000-level course or It 2102 and at least one 4000-level or above courses TAUGHT IN ITALIAN on the OSU campus.
4. Up to 9 credits of 3798.01, 3798.02, or 5797 may be counted toward the minor. However, all minors must take 2102 or one 3000-level course and at least one 4000-level or above course taught in Italian on campus.
5. Up to 3 credits of 2193/2194 or 5193 and up to 6 credits of 5194 may be counted toward the minor provided that they are taught in the Italian language.
6. Up to 3 credits of 4998 (or 4998H) or 4999 (4999H) may be counted toward the minor provided that the research or thesis is in the Italian language.
7. A minimum grade of C- is required in any course for it to count toward the major or minor.

Prerequisites (12 credits):

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Part A: Required Courses (3 credits):

Italian 2102 (Contemporary Italian Society)

Part B: Electives (9 credits):

Choose a Course

Choose a Course

4000-level and above in Italian

Check whether this is: Original ☐ Revision ☐ Total of A and B: ________

Name of College Adviser: Andy Spencer  Phone: ____________

Signature of College Adviser: ___________________________ Date: ____________

One copy each: Faculty Adviser, Student, College Office – 355 Hagerty Hall