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**Curriculum Proposal Cover Sheet - University-Wide Undergraduate Curriculum Committee**

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**Check all appropriate lines and complete information as requested. Use a separate cover sheet for each course proposal and for each program proposal.**

<b>1. Course Proposals (check all that apply)</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> New Course	<input type="checkbox"/> Course Prefix Change	<input type="checkbox"/> Course Deletion
<input type="checkbox"/> Course Revision	<input type="checkbox"/> Course Number and/or Title Change	<input type="checkbox"/> Catalog Description Change
<i>Current Course prefix, number and full title</i>	<i>Proposed course prefix, number and full title, if changing</i>	
<b>2. Additional Course Designations: check if appropriate</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> This course is also proposed as a Liberal Studies Course.	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: (e.g., Women's Studies, Pan-African)	
<input type="checkbox"/> This course is also proposed as an Honors College Course.		
<b>3. Program Proposals</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> New Degree Program	<input type="checkbox"/> Program Title Change	<input type="checkbox"/> Program Revision
<input type="checkbox"/> New Minor Program	<input type="checkbox"/> New Track	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (Minor Deletion)
Minor in Environmental Health Science		
<i>Current program name</i>	<i>Proposed program name, if changing</i>	
<b>4. Approvals</b>		
Department Curriculum Committee Chair(s)	<i>Sandra Jewell</i>	9/16/09
Department Chair(s)	<i>Alhus</i>	10/5/09
College Curriculum Committee Chair	<i>Anne Kado</i>	11/10/10
College Dean	<i>Marysant Yencich</i>	11/16/10
Director of Liberal Studies *		
Director of Honors College *		
Provost *	<i>Geoffrey (m)</i>	2/1/11
Additional signatures as appropriate: (include title)		
UWUCC Co-Chairs	<i>Gail Schuist</i>	2/8/11

\* where applicable



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## **Part II. Description of the Curriculum Change**

1. An exact statement of what is to be deleted.

The minor in Environmental Health is to be deleted.

2. Justification/Rationale

The B.S. in Environmental Health Science is being revised to a B.S. in Biology / Environmental Health Track. Therefore, students will minor in Biology rather than in Environmental Health.

3. Students currently enrolled in the Environmental Health minor are required to take ENVH 221 Environmental Health and Protection I, ENVH 222 Environmental Health and Protection II, ENVH 323 Introduction to Toxicology and Risk Assessment, and ENVH 460 Fundamentals of Environmental Epidemiology. As part of the Environmental Health Science program revision, ENVH 221 and ENVH 222 are being merged into BIOL 221, and all ENVH courses are being deleted while retaining their BIOL cross-listed counterparts. Environmental Health minors can take BIOL 221 and a controlled biology environmental health track elective in lieu of ENVH 221 and ENVH 222, and they can take BIOL 323 and BIOL 460 in lieu of ENVH 323 and ENVH 460.

## **Part III. Letters of Support or Acknowledgement**

The Departments of Chemistry, Geography and Regional Planning, Geoscience, Management, Political Science, and Safety Sciences have submitted letters of support for the B.S. in Biology / Environmental Health track proposal including deletion of the Environmental Health minor.