UWUCC USE Only No. UWUCC Action-Date: Senate Action Date: LSC Use Only No: LSC Action-Date: app 11/9/10 10-33h. Curriculum Proposal Cover Sheet - University-Wide Undergraduate Curriculum Committee **Email Address** Contact Person Bob Begg / John Benhart hobbegg@iun.edu Phone Proposing Department/Unit 724-357-2250 Geography and Regional Planning Check all appropriate lines and complete information as requested. Use a separate cover sheet for each course proposal and for each program proposal. 1. Course Proposals (check all that apply) Course Deletion Course Prefix Change New Course X Course Number and/or/Title Change Catalog Description Change Course Revision RGPL 453 Planning Design Studio I RGPL 453 Planning Design I Proposed course prefix, number and full title, if changing Current Course prefix, number and full title 2. Additional Course Designations: check if appropriate This course is also proposed as a Liberal Studies Other: (e.g., Women's Studies, Pan-African) Course. This course is also proposed as an Honors College Course. Catalog Description Change Program Revision 3. Program Proposals Other Program Title Change __New Degree Program New Track New Minor Program Proposed program name, if changing Current program name Date 4. Approvals Department Curriculum Committee Chair(s) Department Chair(s) College Curriculum Committee Chair College Dean Director of Liberal Studies Director of Honors College * Provost * Additional signatures as appropriate: (include title) 1 Sechuis UWUCC Co-Chairs

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Part II. Description of Curricular Change

1. Catalog Description

RGPL 453 Planning Design Studio I

3 class hours 0 lab hours 3 credits (3c-01-3cr)

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2. Listing of Proposed Changes

The title of this course is the only thing being changed.

3. Rationale for Changes

The rationale for changing the title of the course from Planning Design I to Planning Design Studio I is based on advice from our external accreditation consultant for the Regional Planning program. She observed that students were being exposed to "studio" activities (collaborative techniques to solve design problems) in the course, but that the course name did not indicate that the course was a studio. Such a designation is important for our accreditation efforts.