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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.

1. Course Proposals (check all that apply)

New Course Course Prefix Change Course Deletion
 Course Revision Course Number and/or Title Change Catalog Description Change

ENGL 430 – Major British Author

Current Course prefix, number and full title *Proposed course prefix, number and full title, if changing*

2. Additional Course Designations: check if appropriate

This course is also proposed as a Liberal Studies Course. Other: (e.g., Women’s Studies, Pan-African)
 This course is also proposed as an Honors College Course.

3. Program Proposals

New Degree Program Program Title Change Program Revision
 New Minor Program New Track Other

Current program name *Proposed program name, if changing*

4. Approvals		Date
Department Curriculum Committee Chair(s)		09/17/08
Department Chair(s)		9/17/08
College Curriculum Committee Chair		10/16/08
College Dean		10/21/08
Director of Liberal Studies *		
Director of Honors College *		
Provost *		
Additional signatures as appropriate: (include title)		
UWUCC Co-Chairs		11/13/08

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PART II: Description of Curricular Change

1. Proposed Catalog Description

ENGL 430 Major British Author **3c-01-3cr**

Prerequisites: ENGL 122, 202, and one of 210-213 or 226

Examines major works of a single major author, including biographical, literary, and cultural contexts. Places the author within both intellectual/cultural history and literary developments. Major author studied in a particular semester to be announced in advance.

2. Current Catalog Description

ENGL 430 Major British Author **3c-01-3cr**

Prerequisites: ENGL 202, 210, 211, 212, 213

Examines major works of a single major author, including biographical, literary, and cultural contexts. Places the author within both intellectual/cultural history and literary developments. Major author studied in a particular semester to be announced in advance.

3. Rationale

Prerequisite change from ENGL 202, 210-213
to ENGL 122, 202, and one of 210-213 or 226

This is a change in pre-requisites only. Originally our curriculum was designed to force students to take all of our survey courses, in order, before moving on to upper-division courses. The realities of registration make this very difficult for students to do and still graduate in a timely manner. In addition, our program revision requires only two of the current survey courses. Limiting the prerequisites for this course to our introductory majors' course (122), Research Writing (ENGL 202), and to one of our survey courses will also allow our majors more flexibility.

PART III: Letters of Support or Acknowledgement

No other department will be affected by this prerequisite change.