New University Core
Effective Fall 2003

SECTION 1. FOUNDATIONAL REQUIREMENTS	**15-28 CREDITS**

ENG 110 – Composition	3 Credits (Can test out)
ENG 120 – Critical Writing	4 Credits
ENG 201 – Writing in the Disciplines	3 Credits
Computing Foundation Core*	
An exam is available for students who believe they can demonstrate	0-3 Credits
Equivalent knowledge.	
Math	3 Credits
Foundation Science Course**	3 Credits
COM 200 – Public Speaking	3 Credits
Second Language Proficiency	0-6 Credits

SECTION 2. AREAS OF KNOWLEDGE – NO MORE THAN TWO COURSES MAY BE TAKEN FROM THE SAME DISCIPLINE.****	**8-9 COURSES (MINIMUM 24 CREDITS)**

Area 1 – Civic Engagement and Public Values	1 Course from any school
Area 2 – Western Heritage	1-2 Courses (In two different disciplines****)
Area 3 – World Traditions and Cultures	1-2 Courses (In two different disciplines****)
Area 4 – Humanistic and Creative Expressions	1-2 Courses (In two different disciplines****)
Area 5 – Analysis of Human, Social, and Natural Phenomena	1-2 Courses (In two different disciplines****)

SECTION 3. INQUIRY AND EXPLORATION	**REMAINING 8-21 CREDITS**

Arts and Science****   Electives outside of the student's major. Students may complete a minor in the Arts and Sciences in this area. One course may be taken in the Professional Schools if it is a Writing-enhanced course, or if it is part of a Learning Community.

ADDITIONAL REQUIRED LEARNING EXPERIENCES:
May be fulfilled in any Core area:
- One Learning Community
- Two Writing-enhanced courses (from any discipline)

* COMPUTING FOUNDATION CORE COURSES:
CIS 101 – Introduction to Computing – for any student.
CS 109 – Introduction to Computing Using C++ - for any student and required for chemistry majors.
CS 121 – Computing Programming I – for any student and required by computer science majors with a minor in computer science.
TS 105 – Computers for Human Empowerment – for any student and recommended for Education majors.

** SCIENCE FOUNDATION CORE COURSES
BIO – 101, 102, 110, 111, 152, 153, 165, 220, 221
CHE – 101, 102, 103, 104, 107, 110, 111, 112
ENV – 221, 222
PHY – 109, 111, 112
SCI – 101, 110, 145, 150, 160, 170

*** SECOND LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY
Students may take a proficiency exam in the language of their choice. Students who achieve third-semester proficiency will not be required to take any course. Those who place into a 200 level course can take one course in that language. Those with a first semester proficiency or those with no knowledge of a second language will take two courses. Students who have completed their secondary schooling in a country where English is not a national language may treat English as a second language; they must complete the appropriate waiver form.

**** THE ARTS AND SCIENCES disciplines are designated as:
ANT, ART, BIO, CHE, CHI, COM, CRJ, DAN, ECO, ENG, ENV, FRE, GEO, GLB, HIS, HS, INT, ITA, JPN, JRN, LIT, MAT, MUS, NYC, PHI, PHY, POL, POR, PSY, RES, RUS, SCI, SOC, SPA, SPE, SPP, THR, WS.