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- e. Does this proposal involve changes to the core curriculum or other basic education requirements (42-hour core, signature courses, flags)? **NO** If yes, explain:

If yes, undergraduate studies must be informed of the proposed changes and their response included:

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- f. Will this proposal change the number of hours required for degree completion? **NO** If yes, explain:

5. COLLEGE/SCHOOL APPROVAL PROCESS

Department approval date: n/a

Approved by whom: n/a

College approval date: 10/13/15

Approved by whom: Chairs, Directors, Assoc. & Asst. Deans

Dean approval date: 10/13/15

Approved by whom: Jay Bernhardt, Interim Dean

PROPOSED NEW CATALOG TEXT:⁴

On page 85 of the Moody College of Communication section of the 2014-2016 catalog, please make the following changes:

The Minor

While a minor is not required as part of any communication degree program, the student may choose to complete a minor in ~~a field outside the Moody College of Communication~~ any field to which he/she gains entry. A student may ~~complete only one minor~~ declare only one minor (or certificate) to supplement his/her Moody major(s); exceptions must be approved by the Dean. ~~The minor consists of at least fifteen semester hours in a single field of study, including at least nine hours of upper-division coursework. Nine of the fifteen hours must be completed in residence. A course to be counted toward the minor may not be taken on the pass/fail basis unless the course is offered only on that basis. Only one course counted toward the core curriculum, prescribed work, and major requirements for the student's degree may also be counted toward the minor.~~ Moody students must declare their minor/certificate intentions before they have completed 65% of their degree requirements, as indicated on the Interactive Degree Audit (IDA); exceptions must be approved by the Dean.

~~If the minor is in a foreign language other than that used to fulfill the foreign language requirement, the fifteen hours may be lower-division but must include at least nine hours beyond course 507 or the equivalent.~~

~~All minors must be approved by the student's academic adviser.~~

~~The Moody College of Communication allows the student to minor in any field outside the college in which the University offers a major. However, prerequisites and other enrollment restrictions may prevent the student from pursuing a minor in some fields. Before planning to use specific courses to make up the minor, the student should consult the department that offers those courses.~~

¹ See http://www.utexas.edu/provost/planning/cat_change/UnderGrad.html for detailed explanations.

² Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board.

³ Exclusive: of *exclusive* application and of primary interest only to a single college or school ("no protest" period is *5 working days*); general: of *general* interest to more than one college or school (but not for submission to the General Faculty) ("no protest" period is *10 working days*); *major* legislation must be submitted to the General Faculty for adoption ("no protest" period is *10 working days*).

⁴ The proposed text should be based on the text of the current catalog available at http://www.utexas.edu/faculty/council/pages/catalog_chgs/catcopy.html.

Strike through and replace (with underlines) only the specific language to be changed. Do NOT use "track changes!" For questions on completing this section, please contact Victoria Cervantes, fc@austin.utexas.edu, 471-5936 or Brenda Schumann, brenda.schumann@austin.utexas.edu, 475-7654.