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Program Status Active

Academic Level Undergraduate

Type of proposal Major/Field of Study

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Making Minor Changes to an Existing Degree (e.g. changing 15 or fewer hours, changing admission/graduation requirements, adding/changing Focused Study or Track)

Are you adding a concentration?

No

Are you adding or modifying a track?

No

Are you adding or modifying a focused study?

No

Effective Catalog Year Fall 2021

College/School Code

College of Education and Health Professions (EDUC)

In Workflow

1. EDUC Dean Initial
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Department of Curriculum and Instruction (CIED)

Program Code

GREDBA

Degree

Bachelor of Arts in Teaching

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Program

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History

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13.1205 - Secondary Education and Teaching.

Program Title

German Education, Bachelor of Arts in Teaching

Program Delivery

Method

On Campus

Is this program interdisciplinary?

No

Does this proposal impact any courses from another College/School?

Yes

College(s)/School(s)

College/School Name
Fulbright College of Arts and Sciences (ARSC)

What are the total
hours needed to
complete the
program?

120

Program Requirements and Description

Requirements

Stage I: Pre-Admission German Education Complete all 46 hours of program pre-requisites for each content area. Obtain a GPA of 3.0 or better on UA coursework. Complete all content and pedagogy courses with a grade of "C" or better. Obtain a passing score on the Math, Reading, and Writing sections of the Praxis Core or ACT/SAT/GRE as defined by the Arkansas Department of Education. Complete a background check. **Stage II: Admission to the B.A.T. Program**

program Admission to the Bachelor of Arts in Teaching program (B.A.T.) occurs the semester after the candidate has completed all pre-B.A.T. requirements including the first three courses in education — [CIED 1013](#), [CIED 1003](#), and [CIED 2173](#) — prior to a student entering the individual program of study the following fall term. The B.A.T. program is competitive, and meeting the minimum requirements does not guarantee admission to the program. Applications to the B.A.T. program must be submitted by January 30.

The application process includes:

Students must complete the application to teacher education (see the [Teacher Education Application Fee](#)) through the Teacher Education Office during spring semester of sophomore year. This includes completing and passing the criminal background check* and also passing Praxis Core academic subjects test or equivalent tests by meeting or exceeding the Arkansas Department of Education cut-off scores.

Submission of B.A.T. application.

Submission of writing sample to content area faculty.

Submission of transcripts for all coursework.

* Another background check will be required prior to graduation in order to be eligible for licensure.

Stage III: Requirements for Program Continuation and Internship

Maintain a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or better.

All professional education courses and content courses must have a grade 'C' or better (except [SEED 3282](#) below). No teaching methods courses may be taken as self-paced (correspondence) courses.

Stage IV: Requirements for Internship Semester (spring, senior year) and Program Completion

All students in the B.A.T. program must complete the following requirements prior to being admitted to the spring semester of their senior year.

Students must earn a 'B' or better in the fall semester, senior year [SEED 3282](#) practicum course.

Earn a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or better by the end of the fall semester, senior year. Students are not permitted to intern in the spring if the cGPA requirement is not met.

Students must have taken the appropriate Praxis II-Content Knowledge exam to be admitted to the spring semester, senior year.

Candidate must complete a successful "internship admission interview" with B.A.T. faculty. Note these interviews are scheduled with all senior students during the fall semester.

Satisfactorily complete the internship/student teaching experience that has been approved by the Director of Field Placement.

All students seeking licensure in the State of Arkansas are subject to a criminal background check. Background checks can take up to six months to process; therefore, students are advised to complete and submit the forms to the proper authorities at least six months in advance of graduation (or six months prior to applying for a teaching license). Arkansas will not grant a teaching license to anyone who has been convicted of a felony.

German Education Requirements (GREDBA)

Pre-German Education requirements

University Core (State Minimum Core)

35

Courses specifically required for the German Education B.A.T. program

[ENGL 1013](#)

Composition I (ACTS Equivalency = ENGL 1013)

ENGL 1023	Composition II (ACTS Equivalency = ENGL 1023)	
MATH 1203	College Algebra (ACTS Equivalency = MATH 1103)	
COMM 1023	Communication in a Diverse World 1	
GERM 2003	Intermediate German I (ACTS Equivalency = GERM 2013)	
Additional Pre-German Education requirements 1		9
CIED 1013	Introduction to Education	
CIED 1003	Introduction to Technology in Education	
CIED/ENGL 2173	Literacy in America	
Education Requirements 1		31
EDST 3223	American Educational History	
CIED 3033	Classroom Learning Theory	
CIED 4023	Teaching in Inclusive Secondary Settings	
or CIED 3023	Survey of Exceptionalities	
CIED 4286	Teaching Experience	
CIED 4403	Understanding Cultures in the Classroom	
SEED 3282	Teaching Experiences in Education	
SEED 4022	Classroom Management Concepts	
SEED 4063	Disciplinary and Interdisciplinary Literacies in Education	
SEED 4443	Methods of Teaching Foreign Language K-12	
SEED 4523	Instructional Practices in Teaching Foreign Language	
German Content 1		33
GERM 2013	Intermediate German II (ACTS Equivalency = GERM 2023)	
GERM 3003	Advanced German I	
GERM 3033	Conversation	
GERM 3013	Introduction to Literature	
GERM 4003	Advanced German II	
GERM 4123	The German Novella	
or GERM 470V	Special Topics	
GERM 4143	German Lyric Poetry	
or GERM 470V	Special Topics	
GERM 4133	The German Drama	
or GERM 470V	Special Topics	
GERM 4213	German Civilization	
CIED 4013	Capstone Course for Foreign Language Licensure	
GERM 470V	Special Topics (enrollment must be for 3 hours minimum)	
General Electives		12
Total Hours		120

Dismissal based on Unethical or Unprofessional Behaviors from the BAT program

The University of Arkansas' teacher preparation programs adhere to the Code of Ethics of the Education Profession as established by the National Education Association as described in [NEA Code of Ethics, Arkansas](#)

Division of Elementary and Secondary Education Code of Ethics, as well as discipline specific codes of ethics and standards found in program handbooks. Violation of these principles may result in probation, suspension, or dismissal of the internship as described:

1. Any incident of ethical misconduct or concern will be documented by the faculty member(s), discussed directly with the student and their mentor, and referred to the program's coordinator or supervising faculty. It may also be reported to the Teacher Candidate Professional Review Committee.
2. The Teacher Candidate Professional Review Committee evaluates the concerns and recommends a course of action, which may range from a zero score on the academic and/or internship work, a failing grade for the course, probation, up to dismissal from a teacher education program.
3. Any candidate may be suspended by a Teacher Education Program Coordinator for extreme, unforeseen circumstances such as endangerment of students or others, disruption of schools or classes, felonious behaviors, or ethical violations (i.e. Arkansas Code of Ethics, Code of Student Life). Such suspensions will be referred to the Teacher Candidate Professional Review Committee for review and may become permanent.

The Program Coordinator, in consultation with the Teacher Education Professional Review Committee and the Dean's Office for Academic and Student Affairs in the College of Education and Health Professions, has the authority and responsibility to dismiss a student from the teacher education program for unethical or unprofessional behavior and/or not recommend the student for licensure.

More detailed guidelines about the policies, supports, and other requirements are provided in the program's handbook, as well as on the Office of Teacher Education website <https://teacher-education.uark.edu/support/index.php>. Students who have been dismissed on the basis of unethical or unprofessional conduct may appeal the decision following the procedures outlined under the Student Grievances and Appeals section of the Undergraduate Catalog of Studies.

~~German Education Requirements (GREDBA)~~

8-Semester Plan

German Education B.A.T.

Eight-Semester Plan

Because this program requires admission to progress, it does not qualify for the university's Eight-Semester Degree Program; however, students who qualify for admission to the program can finish a degree in four years by following the suggested order of classes below.

First Year	Units
	FallSpring
<u>ENGL 1013</u> Composition I (ACTS Equivalency = ENGL 1013) (Satisfies General Education Outcome 1.1)	3
<u>MATH 1203</u> College Algebra (ACTS Equivalency = MATH 1103) (or higher) (Satisfies General Education Outcome 2.1)	3

Education Outcome 2.1)

~~Social Science Core~~~~3~~ -**Social Sciences State Minimum Core (Satisfies General Education Outcome 3.3)1****3**GERM 2003 Intermediate German I (ACTS Equivalency = GERM 2013) (Satisfies General Education Outcome 4.1)

3

CIED 1013 Introduction to Education

3

ENGL 1023 Composition II (ACTS Equivalency = ENGL 1023) (Satisfies General Education Outcome 1.1)

3

~~Science Core with lab~~- **4****Science State Minimum Core with lab (Satisfies General Education Outcome 3.4)1****4**COMM 1023 Communication in a Diverse World (Satisfies General Education Outcome 3.3)

3

GERM 2013 Intermediate German II (ACTS Equivalency = GERM 2023)

3

CIED 1003 Introduction to Technology in Education

3

Year Total:

15 16

Second Year

Units

FallSpring

~~Fine Arts Core~~~~3~~ -~~Social Science Core~~~~3~~ -**Fine Arts State Minimum Core (Satisfies General Education Outcome 3.1)1****3****Social Sciences State Minimum Core (Satisfies General Education Outcome 3.3)1****3**GERM 3003 Advanced German I

3

GERM 3013 Introduction to Literature

3

CIED/ENGL 2173 Literacy in America

3

U.S. History or Government State Minimum Core (Satisfies General Education Outcomes 3.2 and 4.2)

3

~~Science Core with lab~~- **4****Science State Minimum Core with lab (Satisfies General Education Outcome 3.4)1****4**GERM 3033 Conversation

3

GERM 4003 Advanced German II

3

EDST 3223 American Educational History

3

Year Total:

15 16

Third Year

Units

FallSpring

GERM 4123 The German Novella2

3

or GERM 470V Special TopicsGERM 4133 The German Drama2

3

or GERM 470V Special TopicsSEED 4063 Disciplinary and Interdisciplinary Literacies in Education (Satisfies General Education Outcomes 1.2 and 5.1)

3

CIED 4403 Understanding Cultures in the Classroom (Satisfies General Education Outcome 4.1)	3
General Elective	3
GERM 4143 German Lyric Poetry2	3
or GERM 470V Special Topics	
GERM 4213 German Civilization	3
CIED 3033 Classroom Learning Theory	3
SEED 4022 Classroom Management Concepts	2
General Elective	3
General Elective	3
Year Total:	15 17

Fourth Year	Units
	FallSpring
GERM 4123 The German Novella	3
or GERM 4133 The German Drama	
CIED 4013 Capstone Course for Foreign Language Licensure	3
SEED 4443 Methods of Teaching Foreign Language K-12	3
SEED 3282 Teaching Experiences in Education	2
CIED 4023 Teaching in Inclusive Secondary Settings (or Elective)	3
or CIED 3023 Survey of Exceptionalities	
CIED 4023 Teaching in Inclusive Secondary Settings (or Elective)	3
or CIED 3023 Survey of Exceptionalities	
SEED 4523 Instructional Practices in Teaching Foreign Language (Satisfies General Education Outcome 6.1)	3
CIED 4286 Teaching Experience	6
Year Total:	14 12

Total Units in Sequence: 120

1 Students must complete the [State Minimum Core requirements](#) as outlined in the Catalog of Studies. The courses that meet the state minimum core also fulfill many of the university's [General Education requirements](#), although there are additional considerations to satisfy the general education learning outcomes. Students are encouraged to consult with their academic adviser when making course selections.

2 Only 6 hours [GERM 470V](#) allowed for degree credit.

Are Similar Programs available in the area?

No

Estimated Student 3

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Scheduled Program **2026-2027** ~~2026~~

Review Date

Program Goals and Objectives

Program Goals and Objectives

The program focuses on developing reflective practitioners based on the constructivist perspective that teachers are life-long learners, reflective practitioners, and scholar researchers. The coursework is designed to develop these attributes so that students graduate as effective teachers with the knowledge, skills, and dispositions to engage students with meaningful and authentic instruction.

Learning Outcomes

Learning Outcomes

The Bachelor of Arts in Teaching degree will prepare students in the humanities with the pedagogical skills, the content knowledge, and the dispositions for teaching and learning in 21st century classrooms in the areas of English, French, German, Spanish, and Social Studies.

Description and justification of the request

Description of specific change	Justification for this change
Revised formatting of the eight semester degree plan, inserted General Education language.	To provide consistency with the General Education Curriculum language.
Inserted footnote advising students to consult with adviser for course lists that may not include learning outcomes. AG	To clarify that not all state minimum core courses have been approved for the corresponding learning outcome. AG
Adding dismissal policies based on unethical/unprofessional conduct to the catalog.	These policies are not new for the program; however, they are now being added to the catalog. Incoming BAT students are already aware of these policies as these are required for licensure/accreditation. All teacher education students are expected to adhere professional code of ethics and licensure requirements.

Upload attachments

Reviewer Comments

Alice Griffin (agriffin) (12/04/20 10:20 am): Changed URL from Occupational Therapy to Office of Teacher Education in last paragraph. College is encouraged to review for accuracy.

Alice Griffin (agriffin) (12/04/20 10:22 am): Added an additional box for the description and justification to clarify the policy change that will be considered for campus approval.

Alice Griffin (agriffin) (12/04/20 10:22 am): Revised scheduled program review field for consistency.

Lisa Kulczak (lkulcza) (12/08/20 12:11 pm): Removed Stage I information (PGRED) from program requirements--this now lives in the PGRED CIM block.

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