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Program Status Active

Academic Level Undergraduate

Type of proposal Concentration

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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)

Effective Catalog Year Fall 2021

College/School Code
 College of Engineering (ENGR)

Department Code
 Department of Engineering Dean (ENGD)

Program Code DTSCBS-SODA

Degree Bachelor of Science

CIP Code

In Workflow

1. ENGR Dean Initial
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2. May 8, 2020 by Charlie Alison (calison)

30.3001 - Computational Science.

Program Title

Data Science: Social Data Analytics **Concentration**

Program Delivery

Method

On Campus

Is this program interdisciplinary?

Yes

College(s)/School(s)

College/School Name
College of Engineering (ENGR)
Fulbright College of Arts and Sciences (ARSC)
Walton College of Business (WCOB)

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

No

What are the total hours needed to 20

complete the program?

Program Requirements and Description

Requirements

Required Social Data Analytics Concentration Courses

SOCI 2013	General Sociology (ACTS Equivalency = SOCI 1013)	3
SOCI 3001L	Social Science Data Analytics Lab	1
SOCI 3303	Social Data and Analysis	3
SOCI 3301L	Social Data and Analysis Laboratory	1
SOCI 3313	Social Research	3
SOCI 4253	Social Impact of Data Analytics	3
Elective Social Data Analytics Concentration Courses (Select 6 hours)		6
GEOS 3013	Foundations of Geospatial Data Analysis	
GEOS 3543	Geospatial Applications and Information Science	
GEOS 3563	Geospatial Data Mining	
GEOS 4513	Introduction to GIS Programming	
GEOS 4553	Introduction to Raster GIS	
PLSC 3603	Scope and Methods of Political Science	
PLSC 4213	Campaigns and Elections	
SCWK 4073	Social Work Research and Technology I	
SOCI 4013	Special Topics in Sociology	
SOCI 4183	Social Network Analysis	

Total Hours 20

8-Semester Plan

Data Science B.S. with Social Data Analytics Concentration

Eight-Semester Program

First Year	Units
	Fall/Spring
MATH 2554 Calculus I (ACTS Equivalency = MATH 2405) (Satisfies General Education Outcome 2.1)1	4
ENGL 1013 Composition I (ACTS Equivalency = ENGL 1013) (Satisfies General Education Outcome 1.1)	3
SOCI 2013 General Sociology (ACTS Equivalency = SOCI 1013) (Satisfies General Education Outcomes 3.3, 4.1, and 4.2)2	3

DASC 1001 Introduction to Data Science	1
DASC 1104 Programming Languages for Data Science	4
MATH 2564 Calculus II (ACTS Equivalency = MATH 2505)	4
DASC 1204 Introduction to Object Oriented Programming for Data Science	4
DASC 1222 Role of Data Science in Today's World	2
State Minimum Core Natural Science Elective with Lab (Satisfies General Education Outcome 3.4)	4
Choose one of the following (recommend ENGL1033)	- 3
ENGL 1033 Technical Composition II (ACTS Equivalency = ENGL 1023) (Satisfies General Education Outcome 1.2)	3
ENGL 1023 Composition II (ACTS Equivalency = ENGL 1023)	
Year Total:	15 17
Second Year	Units
	FallSpring
DASC 2594 Multivariable Math for Data Scientists	4
DASC 2103 Data Structures & Algorithms	3 -
DASC 2113 Principles and Techniques of Data Science	3
SOC 3313 Social Research	3
SOC 3001L Social Science Data Analytics Lab	1
DASC 2213 Data Visualization and Communication	3
DASC 2203 Data Management and Data Base	3
DASC 2213 Data Visualization and Communication	- 3
INEG 2313 Applied Probability and Statistics for Engineers I	3
or STAT 3013 Introduction to Probability	
DASC 2103 Data Structures & Algorithms	3
MGMT 2053 Business Foundations	3
State Minimum Core U.S. History or Government Elective (Satisfies General Education Outcome 4.2)	3
Year Total:	14 15
Third Year	Units
	FallSpring
PHIL 3103 Ethics and the Professions (Satisfies General Education Outcome 5.1)	3
DASC 3103 Cloud Computing and Big Data	3
INEG 2333 Applied Probability and Statistics for Engineers II	3
or STAT 3003 Statistical Methods	
SOC 3303 Social Data and Analysis	3
SOC 3301L Social Data and Analysis Laboratory	1
General Education Elective2, 5	1
DASC 3203 Optimization Methods in Data Science	3
DASC 3213 Statistical Learning	3
ECON 2143 Basic Economics: Theory and Practice (Satisfies General Education Outcome 3.3)	3

SOCI 4253 Social Impact of Data Analytics	3
State Minimum Core Natural Science Elective with Lab (Satisfies General Education Outcome 3.4)	4
Year Total:	14 16

Fourth Year Units

FallSpring

DASC 4892 Data Science Practicum I	2
DASC 4113 Machine Learning	3
DASC 4123 Social Problems in Data Science and Analytics	3
Social Data Analytics Elective	3
University Core Fine Arts Elective	3 -
State Minimum Core Fine Arts Elective (Satisfies General Education Outcome 3.1)3	3
DASC 4993 Data Science Practicum II (Satisfies General Education Outcome 6.1)	3
General Education Elective2, 5	6
University Core Social Science Elective	- 3
State Minimum Core Social Sciences Elective (Satisfies General Education Outcomes 3.2 and 3.3)4	3
Social Data Analytics Elective	3
Year Total:	14 15

Total Units in Sequence: 120

~~*SOCI 2013 General Sociology is a required course for the Social Data Analytics Concentration. The course may also be used to meet three hours toward the University Core Social Science requirements. As such, students may complete three hours of general education electives in lieu of an additional University Core Social Science requirement for a total of 7 hours of general education electives.~~

- 1Students have demonstrated successful completion of the learning indicators identified for learning outcome 2.1, by meeting the prerequisites for [MATH 2554](#).
- 2SOCI 2013 General Sociology is a required course for the Social Data Analytics Concentration. The course may also be used to meet three hours toward the State Minimum Core Social Science requirements. As such, students may complete three hours of general education electives in lieu of an additional State Minimum Core Social Science requirement for a total of 7 hours of general education electives.
- 3The Fine Arts Elective courses which satisfy General Education Outcome 3.1 include: [ARCH 1003](#), [ARHS 1003](#), [COMM 1003](#), [DANC 1003](#), [LARC 1003](#), [MLIT 1003](#), [MLIT 1003H](#), [MLIT 1013](#), [MLIT 1013H](#), [MLIT 1333](#), [THTR 1003](#), [THTR 1013](#), or [THTR 1013H](#).
- 4The Social Science Elective courses which satisfy General Education Outcomes 3.2 and 3.3 include: [HIST 1113](#), [HIST 1113H](#), [HIST 1123](#), [HIST 1123H](#), [HIST 2003](#), or [HIST 2013](#). Note, courses cannot be counted twice in degree requirements.
- 5Students are required to complete 40 hours of upper division courses (3000-4000 level). It is recommended that students consult with their adviser when making course selections.

Are Similar Programs available in the area?

No

Estimated Student Demand for Program See DTSCBS PLAN

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Program Goals and Objectives

Program Goals and Objectives
See DTSCBS PLAN

Learning Outcomes

Learning Outcomes
See DTSCBS PLAN

Description and justification of the request

Description of specific change	Justification for this change
Revised formatting of the eight semester degree plan. Inserted the General Education language. Also added footnotes and hyper-linked courses for access to course details.	To provide consistency with the General Education curriculum language. Footnotes provides list of courses that specifically meets each General Education Outcome on behalf of the college. Changes to the English requirement needs campus approval.AG
Exchanged Fall <--> Spring for DASC 2103 and DASC 2213.	Moved to provide training on visualization and communication earlier in the sequence.

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Reviewer Comments

Alice Griffin (agriffin) (03/08/21 9:52 am): ATTENTION: Due to changes to the English requirement, this minor program change will require campus approval.