

Program Change Request

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Program Deactivation Proposal

Date Submitted: 10/15/24 10:13 am

Viewing: **PHYS Writing Reqs : Physics Writing**

Requirements

Last approved: 10/04/24 5:21 pm

Last edit: 11/25/24 10:43 am

Changes proposed by: nrgreen

Catalog Pages Using
this Program

[Physics \(PHYS\)](#)

End Catalog

Fall 2025

No new students
admitted after:

In Workflow

1. ARSC Dean Initial
2. Provost Initial
3. Director of Curriculum Review and Program Assessment
4. Registrar Initial
5. Institutional Research
6. PHYS Chair
7. ARSC Curriculum Committee
8. ARSC Dean
9. Global Campus
10. Provost Review
11. Undergraduate Council
12. Faculty Senate
13. Provost Final
14. Registrar Final
15. Catalog Editor Final

Approval Path

1. 10/15/24 10:51 am
Christopher Schulte (cschulte):
Approved for ARSC Dean Initial
2. 10/15/24 11:25 am
Jim Gigantino (jgiganti): Approved for Provost Initial
3. 11/25/24 10:28 am

- Lisa Kulczak
(lkulcza): Approved
for Director of
Curriculum Review
and Program
Assessment
4. 12/02/24 10:58 am
Gina Daugherty
(gdaugher):
Approved for
Registrar Initial
5. 12/02/24 12:01 pm
Doug Miles
(dmiles): Approved
for Institutional
Research
6. 12/02/24 12:35 pm
William Oliver
(woliver): Approved
for PHYS Chair
7. 12/02/24 12:54 pm
Nik Rowan
(nrgreen): Approved
for ARSC Curriculum
Committee
8. 12/02/24 2:18 pm
Christopher Schulte
(cschulte):
Approved for ARSC
Dean
9. 12/02/24 2:19 pm
Suzanne Kenner
(skenner): Approved
for Global Campus
10. 12/02/24 8:08 pm
Jim Gigantino
(jgiganti): Approved
for Provost Review

History

1. Apr 22, 2024 by
Gina Daugherty
(gdaugher)
2. Oct 4, 2024 by Jean
Mitchell (jem03)

Spring 2025

Allow students in
program to complete
through:

Spring 2031

Number of students
still enrolled:

N/A

Courses Deleted as a
result of this action:

How will students in
the deleted program
be accommodated?

N/A

How will funds from
the deleted program
be reallocated?

N/A

Deactivation
attachments

Justification for this
request

This is an inactivation of the departmental writing requirement in conjunction with a college wide change to remove the Fulbright Writing Requirement. This does not change established program/specific course requirements for students. This change coincides with the update to the "ARSC College Academic Regulations", which remove the Fulbright Writing Requirement on the basis that it is redundant to departments assessing General Education Learning Outcome (GELO) 6.1.

Submitter:

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Program Status	Active
Academic Level	Undergraduate
Type of proposal	Policy
Effective Catalog Year	Fall 2025
College/School Code	Fulbright College of Arts and Sciences (ARSC)
Department Code	Department of Physics (PHYS)
Program Code	PHYS Writing Reqs

Program Title

Physics Writing Requirements

Program Delivery**Method**

On Campus

Is this program interdisciplinary between two or more colleges or schools?

No

Do the proposed changes impact any specific course(s) from another college or school?

No

Program Requirements and Description

Requirements

Writing Requirement: Students majoring in physics may satisfy the Fulbright College writing requirement by means of a senior thesis ([PHYS 4980V](#)), an honors thesis submitted in fulfillment of the requirements of the honors program (), or by means of a paper submitted as part of [PHYS 49901](#) or any physics or astronomy course numbered 3000 or above. Students electing the last route must obtain approval of the instructor during the first three weeks of the semester. The research/analytical paper should demonstrate competency in the use of word processing software and also at least one computer analytical tool such as a spreadsheet, mathematical or graphics program, or an original program written by the student.

Assessment of Student Learning: In accordance with state, University, and college requirements, all students must have learning assessed before graduation. Students majoring in physics will be assessed in the course [PHYS 49901](#), which must be taken in the year prior to graduation.

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Reviewer Comments

Lisa Kulczak (lkulcza) (11/25/24 10:27 am): Departmental writing requirement deletions do not

require off-campus approval; workflow has been adjusted accordingly.

Lisa Kulczak (lkulcza) (11/25/24 10:43 am): Adjusted dates for "No new students admitted after" and "Allow students to complete through" based on email from dean's office.

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