

SLS - 1101 - College Success Skills

4.0 Course Discontinuation Proposal

Section I: Submission Information

Submission and Meeting Dates* 10/13/2021 proposal for the 12/3/2021 Curriculum Committee meeting

Faculty Proposer(s)* Dr. David Evans

Faculty Presenter* Dr. David Evans

Hierarchy Owner (Department)*

Activity Log

David Evans

+ 5. Department of Academic Success & Learning Resources

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List of department/program faculty who support this proposal*

Dr. April Ring

Dr. Deborah Teed Heather Olson

Course Prefix*

Activity Log

David Evans

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Course Number* 1101

Course Title* College Success Skills

Course Description* This course is designed to make the adjustment of the first time entering college student, as well as the reentering student, more comfortable and successful. It is also designed to help the student develop effective learning strategies and techniques in order to be successful in college studies. The course is intended to positively impact the academic performance, social adjustment, and personal growth of the student.

Is this course discontinuation being submitted in response to a SCNS (Statewide Course Numbering System) request to change a course prefix/number? *

Activity Log

David Evans

+ No

No

Justification for course discontinuation*

The Academic Success department determined SLS 1101 course was a direct by product of did not meet the college's Quality Enhancement Plan (qep) for learning objectives of the subsequent years. As such Cornerstone class, since that time, the curriculum has changed which is designed to promote critical thinking and evolved into acclimate students to the current college experience at FSW. SLS 1515 course. No one 1101 has used not been offered since the SLS 1101 curriculum in years 2019-2020 academic year.

Clarification from SoAHSS Associate Dean, Dr. Brian Page 11/1/21: SLS 1101 was offered at high schools for students to meet the SLS 1515 College Requirement. We no longer offer SLS 1101. Dual-enrolled students take SLS 1515 at FSW.

Section II: Effective Dates

Published Effective Date for approved action*

Activity Log

April Ring

+ Fall 2022

David Evans

Fall 2022

Requested Effective Date for Exception*

Activity Log

David Evans

+ N/A

N/A

Reason for requesting exception to effective date*

N/A

Section III: Impacts of Course Discontinuation

Is this course a General Education Core or Additional course in the General Education Program Guide?*

Activity Log

Sheila Seelau

+ No

- Yes

David Evans

+ Yes

No

Will the proposed course discontinuation affect any programs, certificates, or other courses?*

Activity Log

David Evans

+ No

Yes No

List any affected programs, certificates, and/or courses. Explain the impacts of the proposed course discontinuation and how they will be addressed.*

N/A

Have you discussed the impact(s) with leaders of affected programs/department?*

Activity Log

David Evans

+ N/A

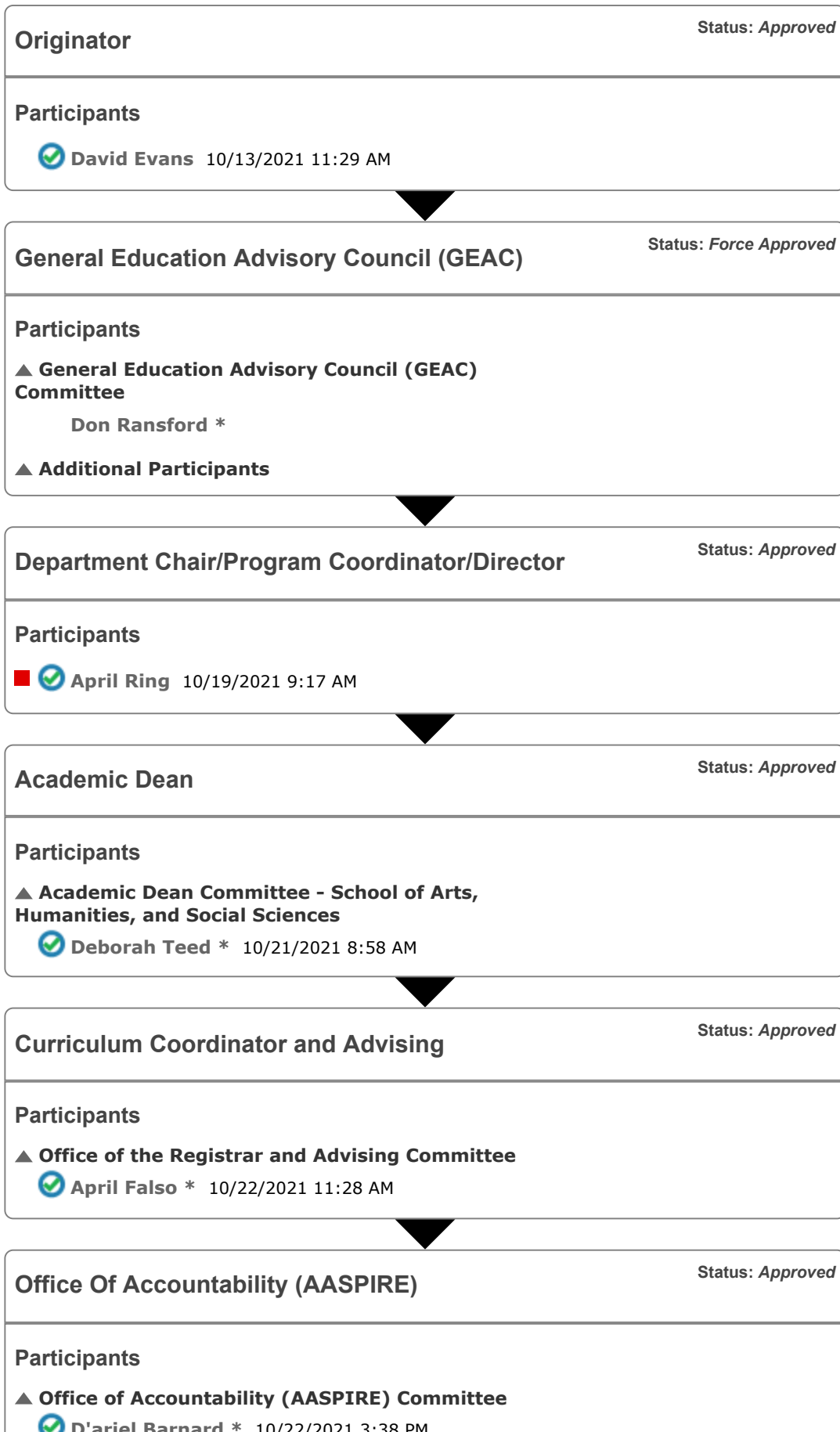
Yes No N/A

Section IV: Attachments

List any proposals being submitted for the same meeting that are linked to or are directly affected by this course discontinuation.*

N/A

Steps for SLS - 1101 - College Success Skills



Curriculum Committee

Status: *Approved*

Participants

- ▲ Curriculum Committee
[Curriculum Committee Nov. 5, 2021 meeting agenda](#)

■  Sheila Seelau * 11/8/2021 5:28 PM

Provost (Final Signature)

Status: *Approved*

Participants

- ▲ Provost Committee

 Eileen DeLuca * 11/9/2021 8:38 AM

Office of Accountability (AASPIRE)

Status: *Approved*

Participants

- ▲ Office of Accountability (AASPIRE) Committee

 D'ariel Barnard * 11/10/2021 8:47 AM

Office of the Registrar

Status: *Working*

Participants

April Falso

Attachments for SLS - 1101 - College Success Skills

SLS 1101 Impact Report.pdf (uploaded by David Evans, 10/13/2021 8:45 am)

Academic Success Department Meeting Minutes August 18 2021 (1).docx (uploaded by April Ring, 10/19/2021 9:11 am)

Academic Success Department Meeting Minutes September 10 (2).docx (uploaded by April Ring, 10/19/2021 9:11 am)

Academic Success Department Meeting Minutes October 8 2021 (1).docx (uploaded by April Ring, 10/19/2021 9:11 am)

Comments for SLS - 1101 - College Success Skills

Sheila Seelau

11/8/2021 5:28 pm

SLS 1101 College Success Skills Course Discontinuation accepted by unanimous vote of CC membership, 11/5/2021. This discontinuation takes effect Fall 2022 (2022-2023 catalog).

Registrar and Advising:

- 1) Please see Curriculog Comment entered at 11/5/2021 Curriculum Committee meeting (Reply to your question in preceding comments).
- 2) Please remove this course from the pending 2022-2023 catalog.

Sheila Seelau

11/1/2021 4:49 pm

Added "historical intent" clarification to Justification section, as provided by Dr. Page.

April Falso

10/22/2021 11:28 am [3 Replies](#)

Processes are currently in place to exempt students who have SLS 1101 from taking SLS 1515. If the learning outcomes are not the same can we continue to do this for transfer and re-admit students?

Sheila Seelau

11/1/2021 4:51 pm

Response from Dr. Brian Page, Associate Dean of SoAHSS, 11/1/2021:

If SLS 1101 is discontinued and the Registrar cannot set it up in Banner to meet the college requirement for years taken before 2021-22, students can apply for an SLS 1515 exemption.

Sheila Seelau

11/1/2021 5:01 pm

If the learning outcomes differ between SLS 1101 and SLS 1515, this was not caught until now. Course equivalencies were never established in the catalog.

An exemption was apparently set such that students who successfully completed SLS 1101 were exempted from taking SLS 1515 to meet the College Requirement. This is a course substitution, which does not necessarily imply course equivalency.

Discontinuation of SLS 1101 should not affect this exemption for re-admit or transfer students.

Sheila Seelau

11/5/2021 1:14 pm

By Dr. Page: SLS 1101 will meet the college requirement that SLS 1515 currently fills. Transfer and re-admit students who have completed SLS 1101 are considered to have met the requirement.

April Ring

10/19/2021 9:17 am [1 Reply](#)

Updates were made to the list of department faculty who approve the proposal, the justification (based on input from Dr. Page and Dr. Teed), and the effective date. Minutes from our August, September, and October meetings were attached, as the course discontinuation was discussed at all three meetings.

Sheila Seelau

10/21/2021 12:49 pm

10/21/21 SSeelau changed "Is this a GE course" to No.

Kelsea Cid

10/18/2021 5:33 pm

This proposal was mistakenly marked as GE and sent to GEAC for review. I am force approving this proposal to move it forward to the chair, April Ring, to make corrections.

Signatures for SLS - 1101 - College Success Skills

There are no signatures required on this proposal.

Crosslistings for SLS - 1101 - College Success Skills

SLS - 1101 - College Success Skills (parent proposal)

This proposal does not have any active crosslisted proposals.

Decision Summary for SLS - 1101 - College Success Skills

Office of the Registrar

Status: *Working*

Step Summary

This step requires 100% approval from all participants to move forward.

Participants

April Falso

Totals

Users Approved: *0*

Users Rejected: *0*

