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**2.Proposed Change**

We would like to revise some of the requirements and elective options for the Child Advocacy Minor. In addition, we plan to change the number of credit hours required from 21 to 18. The following are the proposed individual changes (also reflected in the bulletin changes section below):

* Removing the SW 4323, Case Management in Social Work Settings requirement

(This course is geared towards Social Work majors and we want the minor to be more interdisciplinary.)

* Removing the SW 3303, Human Behavior and Social Environment I elective option
* Adding the PSY 3403, Child Psychology and ECH 2023, Child Development elective options

(We want a required course on child development.)

* Adding the elective options for CRIM 3323, Juvenile Delinquency; SOC 2223, Social Problems; and PSY 3613. Cultural Psychology
* (We want to add a required course on the cultural/social/criminal justice context and how it impacts children.)

**3.Effective Date**

Fall 2019

**4.Justification –** *Please provide details as to why this change is necessary.*

The Child Advocacy Minor has not been revised since it was created (prior to 2012). There are several classes we would like to add or remove as requirements and elective options to better suit the changing needs of our students (see points above). We would also like to reduce the required credit options to from 21 to 18 to align with other minors at the university. The changes have been vetted and decided upon by the Title-IV-E Academic Partnership in Public Child Welfare Committee, which is comprised of Joanna Grymes (Early Childhood Education), David Saarnio (Psychology), Karen Fullen (Social Work), Rejoice Addae (Social Work), and myself, Sarah Kendig (Sociology/Criminology).

**Bulletin Changes**

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**Minor in Children’s Advocacy Studies**

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| **Required Courses:** | **Sem. Hrs.** |
| SW 3313, Child Welfare | 3 |
| SW 3343, Child Abuse and Neglect | 3 |
| ~~SW 4323, Case Management in Social Work Settings~~ | ~~3~~ |
| SW/CRIM/SOC 4383, Child Welfare and the Law (Capstone Course) | 3 |
| **Select one of the following:**  SOC 4073, Sociology of Family Violence  SW 3323, Substance Abuse  SW 4213, Introduction to Domestic Violence | 3 |
| **Select one of the following:**  ECH 2023, Child Development  PSY 3403, Child Psychology  SOC 4213, The Sociology of Childhood and Adolescence **~~OR~~**  ~~SW 3303, Human Behavior and the Social Environment I~~ | 3 |
| ~~CRIM 2253, Criminal Investigation~~ **~~OR~~**  ~~CRIM 2263, Criminal Evidence and Procedure~~  **Select one of the following:**  CRIM 3323, Juvenile Delinquency  PSY 3613, Cultural Psychology  SOC 2223, Social Problems | 3 |
| **Total Required Hours:** | **~~21~~ 18** |