## COLLEGE OF ARCHITECTURE, PLANNING AND DESIGN COURSE AND CURRICULUM CHANGES

#### Expedited and Non-Expedited Approval

For Graduate Course and Curriculum Changes

#### Approved by the College Faculty on August 28 Effective Date: Spring 2010

These items were voted on via electronic ballot by College of Architecture, Planning & Design faculty who are eligible to vote, according to the College Faculty Council Bylaws.

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# Units outside the college, which may be directly impacted by these changes are:

None

Please provide the sponsors of a proposed change with any information regarding fiscal or programmatic impact on your department, program or students.

## EXPEDITED COURSE PROPOSAL (600-999)

### College of Architecture, Planning & Design PhD Program

From: ARCH 655 – International Field Study (Var. ) I, II, S

Group observation of design examples (ancient or modern) of a selected region, conducted in situ, to study significant aspects of environment, culture and technology as relating to design solutions.

To: <u>ENVD</u> 655 – International Field Study (<u>3</u>) I, II, S

Group observation of design <u>precedents (ancient to present day</u>) of a selected region, conducted *in situ* to study significant aspects of environment, culture and technology <u>as expressed in vernacular and designed environments.</u>

Rationale: For many years, the course was offered using a Department of Architecture prefix. The course has evolved and is a required course for all CAPD students who are enrolled in the Italian Studies Programs at Santa Chiara and Orvieto. Each year the course is taught by faculty from different degree programs. Changing the course prefix to ENVD more accurately reflects the interdisciplinary nature of the course content.

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## NON-EXPEDITED COURSE PROPOSAL (600-999) College of Architecture, Planning & Design

#### New Course

Add Course: ENVD 650 - Italian, Art, History and Culture (3) I, II, S

The course provides a synthesis of art, history, design and culture in the context of the Italian Peninsula and the Mediterranean region over time. Integration of material covered in lectures with field trips in Italy is expected.

Rationale: The course is taught by a professor residing in Italy, in the Italian Studies Program, in Orvieto. We have been using ENVD 699, a problems course number, for three years as the program and course offerings were established. The use of the 699 course number also causes accounting problems for the students' degree audit and for iSIS.

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