1. Department: Communication

2. Graduate Program: Master of Arts in Communication

3. Program Change(s) will go into effect: Fall 2011

4. Change(s) Desired:

When added to the graduate course listings for communication, the following courses will serve as COMM electives in the graduate program:

COMM 538: Health Communication
COMM 549 Risk Communication
COMM 569: Leadership Communication
COMM 594: Political Communication

5. Justification for change:

These courses previously have been offered under graduate seminar numbers. The department intends to continue offering them on a regular basis. These graduate courses in communication are offered at many other universities and represent significant research traditions in our discipline.

6. Signature of Program Director: [Signature] Date: 2/22/10

7. Date approved by the Department: 1/19/10

8. Signature of Department Chair: [Signature] Date: 2/27/10

9. Signature of School Dean: [Signature] Date: 2/3/2010

10. Signature of Provost: [Signature] Date: 2/3/2010

RETURN FORM TO THE GRADUATE SCHOOL OFFICE FOR FURTHER PROCESSING

11. Signature of Chair of the Faculty Committee on Graduate and Continuing Education: [Signature] Date: 2/24/2010

12. Signature of Chair of Graduate Council: [Signature] Date: 3/24/2010

13. Signature of the Faculty Secretary: [Signature] Date: [ ]