# Program Modification Form

## I Summary of Proposed Changes

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<th>Department/program</th>
<th>Anthropology/Linguistics Program</th>
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<td>Summary</td>
<td>Changes to Linguistics Course Offerings for Anthropology Major w/ Linguistics Option</td>
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## II Endorsements and Approvals

Please obtain the Program Chair/Director’s approval and Dean’s approval.

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<th>Requestor:</th>
<th>Irene Appelbaum</th>
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<td>Phone:</td>
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<td>Program Chair/Director:</td>
<td>John Douglas/Chair Tully Thibeau/Director</td>
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<td>Department Dean</td>
<td>Christopher Comer</td>
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<td>Other affected Programs: (Use additional sheet if needed)</td>
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## III Type of Program Modification

(e.g. adding a writing course required of all majors.) Please X check the appropriate box.

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## IV Catalog Language

If you are proposing a change to an existing program or major, please cut and paste the requirements as they appear in the current catalog below.

www.umt.edu/catalog

Please provide the proposed copy as you wish it to appear in the catalog.

Students are required to take both of the following courses:

- LING 470 Introduction to Linguistics Analysis
- LING 473W Language and Culture
- LING 471 Phonology and Morphology
- LING 472 Generative Syntax and Semantics
- LING 474 Language History, Variety, and Change
- LING 475 Linguistics Field Methods
- LING 473S Language and Culture
- LING 484 North American Indian Linguistics

Additionally, students must take two courses from among:

- LING 375 Endangered Languages
- LING 471 Phonetics and Phonology
- LING 472 Generative Syntax
Please **explain/justify** the new proposal or change. ↓

Changes are proposed to better reflect the program's current course offerings and the faculty's view of the appropriate linguistics curriculum for anthropology majors. The two required courses give students a substantial grounding in core linguistic topics and methods of linguistic analysis both at structural levels (LING 470) and in broader cultural contexts (LING 473W). The expansion of additional course offerings is designed to allow students to explore in more depth aspects of these two core approaches to the study of language.

What other programs are affected by your proposal? Obtain signatures as requested above. | N/A

**V Copies and Electronic Submission**

Once approved, the original, a paper copy and an electronic file are submitted to the Faculty Senate Office, UH 221 (camie.foos@mso.umt.edu).

**VI Department Summary** Required if several proposals are submitted. In a separate document list program title and proposed change of all proposals.