COLLEGE/SCHOOL/SECTION:  COAS
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Course:  Add: _____ Delete: X  Change: Number ___ Title ______
(Check all that apply)  SCH X  Description X  Prerequisite ______
New Course to be used in:  Major ___ Minor ___ Elective ___

If new, provide Course Prefix, Number, Title, SCH Value, Description, prerequisite, lecture/lab
(hours if applicable) and student learning outcomes. If in current online catalog, provide
change, attach page with changes in red, and provide a brief justification.

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Change page 223 in 2008-2009 catalog as per the attached.

Change: Reduce MPA Hlth Track from 48 SCH to 45 SCH by changing HLTH 5696 to HLTH 5396 and adding HLTH 5395 as choices for the student rather than HLTH 5696 which was inadvertently designated a 6 SCH course. This changes the course to 3 SCH rather than 6 SCH.

Add HLTH 5395 (Project) for 3 SCH.

Justification: The HLTH track has been discontinued within the MPA program; however, several students are still completing the Track. The change is necessary because of an error in the original catalogue description of the track indicating HLTH 5696 (Internship) as a 6 SCH requirement. Because the track does not affect the total SCH of the MPA program (42 SCH), making this change will not affect the major degree or lessen its SCH. Also, the change is necessary to permit those students completing the track to graduate. It is requested that this change be effective for fall 2009.

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# Master of Public Administration (MPA) Health Administration Track

## Major Curriculum

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### Internship:

- HLTH 5696 Internship in Health Administration

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1 Refer to course description for information on prerequisites.

2 May be taken concurrently with PADM 5375.

3 May substitute with SOCI 5302 or CRIJ 5320.

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### HLTH 5696

**Internship in Health Administration**

Three Semester Hours.

A six three hour internship in a health care setting is required of all students. All required classes must be completed prior to the internship. Students with at least two years of experience in a health care organization may, with advisor's approval, be exempted from the internship requirement.