

**Motion for Adding, Modifying, or Dropping a Program**  
**Undergraduate Curriculum Committee**  
**Fontbonne University**

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**Title of Motion:** Removal of CIS100 *Computer Technology: Issues and Applications* (3 credits) as a required GER course from the Bachelor of Science in Business Administration major or minor

**Date Submitted:** October 28, 2010

**Submitted By:** Steve Rankin, Director of Curriculum & Assessment

**Department/College:** Eckelkamp College of Global Business & Professional Studies

**Nature of Change:**     **Add New Program:**     **Modify Program:**     **Drop Program:**  
                                  **Major**  
                                  **Minor**  
                                  **Concentration**  
                                  **Certificate**

**It is moved that** CIS100 *Computer Technology: Issues and Applications* (3 credits) be removed as a required course to meet the General Education Requirement of *Managing Information/Computer Information Systems* for the Bachelor of Science in Business Administration major or minor

**Rationale/Evidence of Need:** The Eckelkamp College of Global Business and Professional Studies would like to remove the specific requirement that all traditional students seeking either a minor or major in business administration complete CIS 100, *Computer Technology: Issues and Applications*. Students seeking a minor or major in business administration have to complete Fontbonne's General Education Requirement of *Managing Information*, which would now include a choice from several three credit hour courses in *Computer Information Systems*. Students and Academic Advisors would be empowered to select the most appropriate *Computer Information Systems* course to meet the unique needs of each business student. This allows the students more flexibility with their schedules, gives them more choices to best meet their individual needs, and minimizes the possibility of conflict when working with transfer students.

The aggregate demand of *Computer Information Systems* courses by students seeking a major or minor in business would remain unchanged. Presumably the impact, financial or otherwise, on the Department of Mathematics and Computer Science as a service department, would be negligible.

**Proposed Date of Implementation:** Fall 2011 (2011-13 catalog)

**Projected Enrollment:** N/A

**Financial Impact (describe/list projected amounts):** None

- Faculty

- **New Library Holdings**
- **Equipment**
- **Audio-visual / software**

**Effect on currently enrolled students:** None

**Additional information:**

If approved, distribute to the following:

- Catalog
- Registrar
- Fontbonne Policy Manual Volume I
- Advisors' Manual
- Student Handbook
- Part-time Faculty Manual
- Staff Handbook
- Other:

**Please note, all forms must be submitted to UCC by the Department Chair/College Dean.**