**MULTICULTURAL/INTERNATIONAL SUBCOMMITTEE**

**California State University, Fresno**

**CRITERIA FOR EVALUATING M/I COURSE PROPOSALS**—updated 3.11.20

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| **REQUIREMENT** | **YES** | **NO** | **COMMENTS** |
| APM 217\* |
| 1. Course is upper-division.
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| 1. Course is worth 3 units.
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| 1. The following student learning outcomes are indicated: *Students completing courses in M/I will be prepared to function in an international multicultural world, or one that addresses the roles of specific ethnic or gender groups in contemporary America.*
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| 1. Course is clearly grounded in multicultural/ international research. Subject area content (e.g., Anthropology, Economics) provides a framework for the class so students and instructors can engage in academic conversations as a means of performing academic literacy.
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| 1. Students must complete a writing requirement of at least 2,000 words. This requirement can be met in whatever manner faculty deem most suitable (e.g., multiple assignments totaling at least 2,000 words), but an opportunity must be provided for meaningful feedback to students about their writing.
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| M/I SUBCOMMITTEE |
| 1. Multiple learning objectives are multicultural and/or international in focus.
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| 1. The majority of course materials and texts focus on multicultural and/or international issues or topics.
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| 1. Course includes rigorous, meaningful assignments that are clearly related to multicultural and/or international content.
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| 1. Proposal indicates who will teach this course and their qualifications to teach it (e.g., M/I-related research, teaching experience, and/or professional or community service). Evidence provided demonstrates the faculty member’s multicultural and/or international expertise.
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**\*APM 217 NOTE:** All M/I courses can be double-counted for major requirements if a course is both M/I and a major required course or elective. Departments with an M/I course may require an M/I course be taken outside of the major department.

**\*APM 217 NOTE:** M/I courses can be taken no sooner than the term in which 60 units of coursework are completed, including the completion of GE Foundation and Area E courses.