

INTD course approval process for the Fall 2008 semester

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In Fall 2008, it is expected that a new University Interdisciplinary Courses Committee will be formed. It will consist of faculty from each school and college nominated by their Deans. The new committee will begin to review new course proposals in Spring 2009.

INTD courses will be kept to “steady state” in Fall 2008. Dr. Lamb, Director of IISP and the INTD courses administrator, will follow the arrangements below. These arrangements have the support of the Vice Provost, Veronica Makowsky.

INTD Course Policy – Fall 2008 (applicable for courses to be offered during Intersession or Spring 2009)

- All INTD courses with permanent numbers will continue as approved; no substantive changes will be considered or made.
- All INTD experimental courses approved by INTD C&CC may continue to be offered (as approved) in the 2008/9 academic year. No revised proposals will be required for a Spring 2009 offering, but IISP will ask course instructors to update previous proposal documents before scheduling requests.
- All new INTD 1993/1999/3993/3999 study abroad and independent study approvals will continue to require the approval of the IISP Director.
- New INTD course proposals will not be considered by University Interdisciplinary Courses Committee until Spring 2009.
- Entirely new experimental INTD course proposals should seek a departmental designation if instructors intend that they would be offered in Spring 2009.