# Program Change Request

## New Program Proposal

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**Changes proposed by:** jyounger

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**In Workflow**

- A. CLAS Dean or Associate Dean
- B. Provost's Office
- C. CLAS Undergraduate Program and Course Coordinator
- D. CUSA Subcommittee
- E. CUSA Committee
- F. CAC
- G. CLAS Final Approval
- H. OIRP CIP Approval
- I. Provost's Office
- J. Future Academic Catalog

**Viewing:** GIST-CRTU: Holocaust and Genocide Studies  
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- Undergraduate, Lawrence  
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- 38.0206  
- Holocaust and Genocide Studies  
- No  
- Edwards, Lawrence  
- No  
- 2017 - 2018
Program Description

The Holocaust was a watershed event, not just for the 20th century but also in human history. It was not an accident; it occurred because individuals, organizations, and governments legalized discrimination fostered prejudice and hatred, and ultimately committed mass murder. Survivors of the Holocaust are passing away; their voices will soon no longer be heard, their stories no longer told. This certificate will provide basic information about the Holocaust, its context, and similar genocides. The goals are manifold: to combat efforts to deny historical truths and to honor the memory of survivors and their cultural legacies; to combat prejudice, hate, intolerance, and discrimination; to develop recognition and respect for cultural diversity; and to stimulate reflection on the fragility of democratic institutions and the roles and responsibilities of citizens to protect the human rights of all people.

Demand/Need for the Program

There is no program in the Midwest similar to the proposed certificate program in KU Jewish Studies.

Comparative/Locational Advantage

There is no program in the Midwest similar to the proposed certificate program in KU Jewish Studies.

Midwest and South
Holocaust Studies Service-Learning Project in Poland, Albion College (no degree), Albion MI
Holocaust, Genocide, and Memory Studies, University of Illinois (undergraduate major and minor), Urbana IL
Holocaust Studies Program, The University of Texas at Dallas (graduate seminars), Dallas TX

East Coast
Holocaust and Genocide Studies, Kean University (MA program), Union NJ
Strassler Center for Holocaust & Genocide Studies, Clark University (undergraduate concentration, PhD), Worcester MA
Holocaust and Genocide Studies, West Chester University (MA program), West Chester PA
School of Graduate and Continuing Studies, Stockton University (MA program), Galloway NJ
Genocide & Holocaust Studies, Seton Hill University (graduate certificate program), Greensberg PA

Admission Requirements

There are no special procedures or criteria for admission to the Holocaust Studies certificate beyond being a student in good standing at KU. There is no minimum GPA for admission to the program, though a student with a GPA of less than 2.0 will not be allowed to graduate, as per University rules.

Degree Requirements

Requirements

Four courses (12 ch); courses below (taught since Fall 2013); none offered online

The Holocaust - Choose one of the following:
- JWSH 343
- JWSH 300

Historical context - Choose one of the following:
- JWSH 341
- JWSH 344
- JWSH 300

Genocide courses - Choose two of the following:
- JWSH 315/HIST 325
- ANTH 465
- JWSH 300
- ANTH 570

The Holocaust in History
Topics in Jewish Studies:

Hitler and Nazi Germany
Modern Jewish History
Topics in Jewish Studies:

The Spanish Inquisition
Genocide and Ethnocide
Anthropology of Violence
Topics in Jewish Studies:

Faculty Profile
### Student Profile

#### Name of Faculty and Rank
- Frances Sternberg, Lecturer in Jewish Studies and in History
- Luis Corteguera, Associate Professor, History
- Bartholomew Dean, Associate Professor, Anthropology
- Stephen Egbert, Professor, Geography
- Ariel Linden, Assistant Professor, German
- Rebecca Rovit, Associate Professor, Theatre
- Molly Zahn, Associate Professor, Religious Studies

#### Highest Degree
- Sternberg (PhD History, UMKC)
- Corteguera (PhD History)
- Dean (PhD Anthropology)
- Egbert (PhD Geography)
- Linden (PhD German)
- Rovit (PhD Theatre)
- Zahn (PhD Theology)

#### Number of Faculty FTE
- 2.50

### Anticipated student enrollment

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### Anticipated number of program graduates

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### Academic Support

No additional resources are necessary to support the new certificate in Holocaust Studies.

### Facilities and Equipment

The current space allocated to Jewish Studies is sufficient and no additional resources are requested for purchase of equipment to support the new certificate in Holocaust Studies.

### Program Review, Assessment, Accreditation

There is no specialized accrediting agency for a certificate in Holocaust Studies offered by the KU Jewish Studies Program.

### Costs, Financing

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### What is the source of the new funds?

No new funding is required for this program.

### Rationale for proposal

This certificate will provide basic information about the Holocaust and similar genocides. The goals are manifold: to combat efforts to deny historical truths and to honor the memory of survivors and their cultural legacies; to combat prejudice, hate, intolerance, and discrimination; to develop recognition and respect for cultural diversity; and to stimulate reflection on the fragility of democratic institutions and the roles and responsibilities of citizens to protect the human rights of people.

### Additional Information

#### Supporting Documents
- [Younger_email_ConfirmNameChange.pdf](https://next.catalog.ku.edu/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/programadm...)

#### Program Reviewer Comments
- Bridget Bradley (bbradley) (09/06/16 12:17 pm): Approved by Dean Lejuez to forward to Provost/Program review on 9/6/16.
- Aileen Ball (aball) (10/04/16 3:05 pm): Rollback: Proposal mentions a graduate certificate—graduate certificate proposal must be submitted separately. Strip language from undergrad proposal please. Thanks!
- Bridget Bradley (bbradley) (12/06/16 3:58 pm): Edited to remove Graduate certificate information.