

**PROPOSAL: Create the Social Studies: Economics Minors**

Background

The Undergraduate Studies Council of the Faculty Senate has approved the creation of the Social Studies: Economics Minor offered by the Department of Economics in the College of Arts and Sciences.

This minor is being created to pair with the social studies major, which comprises courses from several CAS disciplines. We are the only department participating in the major without a social studies minor. Our current general minor (ECLN) is not designed to accompany the Social Studies major due to overlapping courses.

Recommended Action

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