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New Course Request

USD	Arts & Sciences/Communication Sciences and Disorders
Institution	Division/Department
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Institutional Approval Signature	Date

Section 1. Course Title and Description

Prefix & No.	Course Title	Credits
DCOM 741	Hearing Assistive Technologies	2

Course Description	This course will cover the advanced topics related to candidacy, selection and verification options for fitting assistive technologies independent from and in conjunction with hearing aids, cochlear implants and other amplification options.
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Pre-requisites or Co-requisites N/A
Registration Restrictions N/A

Section 2. Review of Course

2.1. Was the course first offered as an experimental course?
 Yes (if yes, provide the course information below) No

2.2. Will this be a unique or common course?
If the request is for a unique course, verify that you have reviewed the common course catalog via Colleague and the system [Course Inventory Report](#) to determine if a comparable common course already exists. List the two closest course matches in the common course catalog and provide a brief narrative explaining why the proposed course differs from those listed. If a search of the common course catalog determines an existing common course exists, complete the Authority to Offer an Existing Course Form.

Unique Course

Prefix & No.	Course Title	Credits
DCOM 722	Amplification	3

Provide explanation of differences between proposed course and existing system catalog courses below:

<p>There are no courses offered in the regental system that deal specifically with hearing assistive devices. In the current program, there is a brief mention of hearing assistive technologies in DCOM 722, however, due to changes in professional certification requirements for knowledge and skills in clinical areas, the program seeks to separate content related to Hearing Assistive Technology into a course the bears the term in the title. Changes to standards certification in Audiology through the American Speech Language and Hearing Association have resulted in very specific knowledge and skill competencies, demonstrated in the program of study. Separation of content related to Hearing Assistive Devices (such as remote microphones, telecoils, infrared systems) that are used in conjunction with hearing aids and cochlear implants will allow for adequate coverage of this material for student competency as well as result in the term "Hearing Assistive Technology" appearing in the student's transcript.</p>
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Section 3. Other Course Information

3.1. Are there instructional staffing impacts?

- No.** Schedule Management, explain below: This addition is part of the overall program modification of the Doctor of Audiology program at USD. Other courses and credit hours have been reapportioned so that teaching loads remain stable.

3.2. Existing program(s) in which course will be offered: USD Doctor of Audiology

3.3. Proposed instructional method by university: R-Lecture

3.4. Proposed delivery method by university: 001 (face to face)

3.5. Term change will be effective (enter catalog year): 2019-2020

3.6. Can students repeat the course for additional credit?

- Yes, total credit limit: _____ No

3.7. Will grade for this course be limited to S/U (pass/fail)?

- Yes No

3.8. Will section enrollment be capped?

- Yes, max per section: _____ No

3.9. Will this course equate (i.e., be considered the same course for degree completion) with any other unique or common courses in the common course system database in Colleague and the [Course Inventory Report](#)?

- Yes No

3.10. Is this prefix approved for your university?

- Yes No

Section 4. Department and Course Codes (Completed by University Academic Affairs)

4.1. University Department Code: UCSD

4.2. Proposed [CIP Code](#): 51.0202

Is this a new CIP code for the university? Yes No