

# Program Change Request

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## Minor

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### In Workflow

1. S007050 Chair
2. Curricular Alignment Check
3. Academic Affairs Program Preapproval
4. SA\_S Assoc Dean
5. SA\_S Dean
6. Senate C&I
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8. FacultySenate
9. Academic Affairs
10. Registrar Programs

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### Approval Path

1. 05/21/24 11:34 am  
Matthew Taylor (taylormatt):  
Approved for S007050 Chair
2. 06/12/24 4:11 pm  
Keeta Holmes (holmeskm):  
Approved for Curricular Alignment Check
3. 06/13/24 12:28 pm  
Betsy Sampson (sampsone):  
Approved for Academic Affairs Program Preapproval
4. 09/26/24 8:03 am  
Matthew Taylor

(taylormatt):  
 Approved for SA\_S  
 Assoc Dean

5. 10/09/24 8:43 am  
 Matthew Taylor  
 (taylormatt):  
 Approved for SA\_S  
 Dean

## History

1. May 14, 2014 by  
 Betsy Sampson  
 (sampsone)
2. Jun 11, 2018 by  
 Betsy Sampson  
 (sampsone)
3. May 26, 2020 by  
 Betsy Sampson  
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4. May 5, 2022 by  
 Betsy Sampson  
 (sampsone)
5. Apr 4, 2023 by Mike  
 Griffin  
 (michael\_griffin)

*To be completed by Academic Affairs*

Title	Child Advocacy Studies Minor
Program Type	Minor
College/School	College of Arts & Sciences
Department	Psychological Sciences (PSYCH Courses)
Academic Level	Undergraduate
CIP Code	429999 - Psychology, Other.
Effective CAT	2022-23

Program Requirements and Description as it will appear in the bulletin.

The undergraduate minor in Child Advocacy Studies (CAST) is an interdisciplinary program requiring 12 credits of training in Child Advocacy Studies. The CAST minor encompasses a group of courses focused on children, youth, and

traumatic stress. The CAST minor is appropriate for students who want to explore working in a variety of professional settings with children and adolescents, many of whom may have experienced trauma.

Most courses required by the minor in Child Advocacy Studies have prerequisites. Some students may satisfy prerequisites by virtue of their prior curriculum. When this is not the case, students are responsible for satisfying the prerequisites. All required courses must be taken in residence at UM-St. Louis.

<a href="#"><u>CAST 1000</u></a>	Introduction to Child Advocacy Studies	3
<a href="#"><u>CAST 2100</u></a>	Communication in Child Advocacy	3
or <a href="#"><u>CAST 2275</u></a>	The Ethics, Values, and Policy of Child Advocacy	
<del>CAST 2275</del>	<del>The Ethics, Values, and Policy of Child Advocacy</del>	<del>3</del>
<a href="#"><u>CAST/PSYCH 3290</u></a>	Traumatic Stress in Childhood and Adolescence	3
<a href="#"><u>CAST 4398</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>Child Maltreatment: A Multidisciplinary Approach</u></a>	<u>3</u>
Total Hours		12

If other departments are affected by this proposal, please secure "sign-offs" and indicate for each department the following:

Program Learning Outcomes

<b>Learning Outcomes</b>
Demonstrate the ethical behavior and values of their discipline in the context of traumatic stress.
Integrate the current fund of traumatic stress knowledge into their professional role.
Generate effective responses to traumatic stress and child maltreatment using trauma-informed decision-making processes.
Create trauma-sensitive relationships with diverse consumers.
Interact effectively with professionals across multiple disciplines.
Communicate effectively with the community about traumatic stress and child maltreatment.

Attachments [Copy of CAST - Curriculum Mapping Tool Minor updates 3 13 2024.xlsx](#)

This program will be developed with the intention of delivery in the following delivery modes (choose all that apply)

- Face to face
- UMSL Online (50-74% of program coursework offered online)

Justification for

request:

course change and sequencing. reframe of learning outcomes

Program Reviewer

Comments

Key: 381