



## MEMORANDUM

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To: Dr. Nikki Hillier, Chair, Council on Graduate Studies

Re: Request for Executive Action from the Department of English

**Action Requested:**

Remove the hyphen from "African-American" in the title and catalog entry of ENG 4750, "Studies in African-American Literature."

**Rationale:**

The hyphenated version of "African American" is a dated usage, though current at the time this course was created.

**Catalog Language Changes:**

**ENG 4750 - Studies in African American Literature**

(3-0-3) In-depth study of various genres, movements, periods, and major writers in African American literature. Only one genre, movement, or period or only two or three major writers will be studied during any semester. Topics to be announced. (Group 2) WI

**Prerequisites & Notes**

ENG 1002G. May be repeated once with permission of the Department Chairperson.

Credits: 3

**Effective Year/Term:**

Fall 2022