

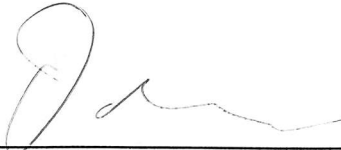
The UAF Faculty Senate passed the following at Meeting #219 on December 5, 2016:

MOTION:


The UAF Faculty Senate moves to approve a new minor in Tribal Management, housed in the College of Rural and Community Development (Interior Alaska Campus).

Effective: Fall 2017

Rationale: The program proposal #56-UNP is on file in the Governance Office, 312B Signers' Hall.



President, UAF Faculty Senate

APPROVAL: 

Chancellor's Office

DATE: December 8, 2016

DISAPPROVED: _____
Chancellor's Office

DATE: _____

Overview:

The proposed minor in Tribal Management will provide students with the opportunity to acquire skills to work within tribal and local governments and other organizations in rural Alaska. The required courses will give students a foundation for applying the the knowledge gained in their majors to rural and tribal management contexts. The minor will be especially helpful for Alaska Native Studies and Rural Development rural based students completing their bachelor's degree as few minors are available by distance.

Relationship to Purposes of the University:

The Tribal Management minor supports the University's mission to emphasize the circumpolar North and its diverse peoples and to educate students for active citizenship and prepare them for lifelong learning and careers. It addresses the UAF core themes of Educate, Prepare, and Connect.

The Alaska Native Studies (ANS) B.A. and Rural Development (RD) B.A. are both offered to students by distance. Currently there are only a few minors available by distance, including the minors in ANS and RD, which can make it difficult for these students to fulfill the minor requirement for graduation. This additional minor will give rural students another minor option and is closely related to their interests and careers. The Alaska Native Studies and Rural Development requested the development of this minor and is in full support.

Proposed Catalog Layout:

Tribal Management

The minor in Tribal Management will provide students with the skills to work within tribal and local governments and other organizations in rural Alaska. The curriculum will give students a foundation to apply the knowledge gained in their majors to rural and tribal management contexts.

Complete the following:

- TM F101 - Introduction to Tribal Government in Alaska - 3 credits
- TM F105 - Introduction to Managing Tribal Governments - 3 credits
- TM F201 - Tribal Government in Alaska II - 3 credits
- TM F205- Managing Tribal Governments II - 3 credits

Tribal Management electives - 3 credits

Minimum credits required: 15 credits