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Report from
Undergraduate Course of Study Committee
November 15, 1971

The Members
The Hunter College Senate

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The Undergraduate Course of Study Committee recommends the following experimental course proposals to be offered in Spring 1972 for your approval:

1. E2 - Multimedia Community Workshop - William Leicht
Department of Art
(Continuation of 95.427)
2. E11 - Women and Slaves in Classical Antiquity - Sarah B. Pomeroy
Department of Classics
(Continuation for Evening Session Students)
3. E3 - Political Film - Howard Hyman
Department of Political Science
4. E12 - Future Urban Life -- An Integrative Analysis
Mark Larson Hinshaw, Hans-Bernd Zimmerman, Norma Bresnick Turner
(Graduate Students in the Department of Urban Affairs) under
the guidance of Distinguished Professor Bertram Gross

Respectfully submitted,

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E2 - Multimedia Community Workshop - William Leicht
Department of Art

Hours: 6 Credits: 3

Description:

Students in this course learn and apply multiple artistic and communications techniques in community action. Emphasis is the relationship between professional excellence and social relevance. Field work is concentrated in the southern Bronx (1) to learn the basic concepts of environmental design and multimedia communications and (2) to use these in work on a community project. The class is part of a larger group of artists in television, photography, theatre, creative journalism, music and environmental design. The project will involve redeveloping a local park. Students must be prepared to accept more group responsibility than is usual in a class.

Readings in environmental design and neighborhood function are related to observed problems. A final paper will examine the course experience conceptually and practically.