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Part II. Description of Curriculum Change

Current Program

Proposed Program

Program/Track: <u>BS Natural Science/Pre-Dentistry Track</u>	Program/Track: <u>BS Natural Science/Pre-Dentistry Track</u>
Liberal Studies: As outlined in Liberal Studies specifications with the following specifications: <u>49</u>	Liberal Studies: As outlined in Liberal Studies specifications with the following specifications: <u>45</u>

II Description of Curriculum change (cont.)

2. Justification:

In reviewing the catalog for the fast track of liberal studies credits adjustment, 3 errors were found that are significant, but do not change the curriculum or anything about the way the program is run. They are as follows:

1. The wording for the Writing Intensive requirement was wrong. It currently reads:

“writing-intensive course only required for three-year students who transfer to a professional school with an articulation agreement.” This is completely the opposite of the requirement. First, all students in this track take BIOL 263 which is the designated writing intensive course in the major. Students who stay at IUP for the 4 years have to take a second writing intensive. Students who leave a year early to join a program and transfer the 20 credit block back are

excused from the second writing intensive and the LBST 499. Since 499 is going away, that is a moot point, but the writing intensive language needs to be corrected to read:

“Writing Intensive: A second writing-intensive course is not required for three-year students