

Course Change Request

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Viewing: **CSS 625 : Complexity Theory in the Social Sciences**

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Changes proposed by: drothma

Catalog Pages referencing this course

[Computational Social Science \(CSS\)](#)
[Department of Computational and Data Sciences](#)

Select modification type:

Simple

Substantial

In Workflow

1. CDS Chair

2. SC Curriculum Committee

3. SC Assistant Dean

4. Assoc Provost- Graduate

5. Registrar-Courses

6. Banner

Approval Path

1. 03/22/24 9:48 am

Jason Kinser

(jkinser): Approved for CDS Chair

History

1. May 6, 2021 by Tory Sarro (vsarro)

Are you completing this form on someone else's behalf?

No

Effective Term: Fall 2024

Subject Code: CSS - Computational Social Science

Course Number: 625

Bundled Courses:

Is this course replacing another course? No

Equivalent Courses:

Catalog Title: Complexity Theory in the Social Sciences

Banner Title: Complexity Theory Soc Sciences

Will section titles vary by semester? No

Credits: 3

Schedule Type: Seminar

Hours of Lecture or Seminar per week: 3

Repeatable: May only be taken once for credit (NR)
GRADUATE ONLY

Default Grade Mode: Graduate Regular

Recommended Prerequisite(s):

~~CSS 600. Concurrent enrollment is also permitted.~~

Recommended Corequisite(s):

Required Prerequisite(s) / Corequisite(s) (Updates only):

CSS 600 or permission of instructor

Registrar's Office Use Only - Required Prerequisite(s)/Corequisite(s):

And/Or	(Course/Test Code	Min Grade/Score	Academic Level)	Concurrency?

Registration Restrictions (Updates only):

1) Delete text in Recommended Prerequisite(s) field.

2) In Required Prerequisite(s) field please add: "CSS 600 or permission of instruction."

Registrar's Office Use Only - Registration Restrictions:

Field(s) of Study:

Class(es):

Include

Limited to students with a class of Senior Plus (SCRRCLS_ONLY_SP)

Limited to students with a class of Non Degree (SCRRCLS_ONLY_ND)

Limited to students with a class of Advanced to Candidacy. (SCRRCLS_ONLY_DC)

Limited to students with a class of Graduate. (SCRRCLS_ONLY_GR)

Limited to students with a class of Junior Plus (SCRRCLS_ONLY_JP)

Level(s):

Include

Enrollment limited to students with a level of Non-Degree (SCRRLVL_ONLY_ND)

Limited to undergraduate level students. (SCRRLVL_ONLY_UG)

Limited to graduate level students only. (SCRRLVL_ONLY_GR)

Degree(s):

Exclude

Non-Degree Undergraduate Degree students may not enroll. (SCRRDEG_NO_NDU)

School(s):**Catalog****Description:**

Examines social phenomena including language, terrorism, the Internet, warfare, and wealth based on power laws and far-from equilibrium nonlinear dynamics. Emphasizes data analysis, and modeling and interpreting complexity-theoretic dynamics.

Justification:

what: changing CSS 600 or permission of instructor from a recommended prerequisite to a required prerequisite

why: the course builds on material covered in CSS 600; therefore it should be a required rather than recommended prerequisite

Does this course cover material which crosses into another department? No

Learning Outcomes:

Will this course be scheduled as a cross-level cross listed section?

Attach Syllabus**Additional Attachments**

Specialized Course Categories:

**Additional
Comments:**

**Reviewer
Comments**

Key: 3456