

ACADEMIC ADVISING: CORE 2009

Helpful Hints for Advisors for Core 2009

Critical Thinking and Writing 1 and 2

- All freshmen students will take Critical Thinking and Writing (CTW) 1 and 2 in the first year.
- CTW 1 and 2 will be offered as a themed, two-quarter sequence (540 seats for Fall/Winter, 470 seats for Fall/Spring and 245 seats for Winter/Spring).
- The linked section of the CTW 2 will be scheduled at the same time and day as CTW 1.
- Students will be pre-enrolled in the second course sequence (CTW 2) by the Registrar's Office.
- If students are unable to take the second course in the sequence they must drop the class using the standard procedures for dropping courses.
- Although students are strongly encouraged to remain in the themed sequence, they can fulfill the CTW requirement by completing CTW 1 and CTW 2 courses with different themes.

Critical Thinking and Writing 1 and 2 for Engineering Students

- Engineering students must take sections of CTW with Science, Technology and Society (STS) themes. Other students may also enroll in these sections.
- The CTW 1 and 2, with STS themes will be scheduled on MWF at 8:00 and 9:15.

Cultures and Ideas 1 and 2

- All students except COEN majors will take Cultures and Ideas (C&I) 1 and 2 in the first year.
- C&I 1 and 2 will be offered as a themed, two-quarter sequence in adjacent quarters (Fall/Winter, Winter/Spring).
- 700 of the first year students will take C&I 1 in the Fall, the linked C&I 2 course for each Fall C&I 1 student will be scheduled either in the Winter. 550 of the first year students will take C&I 1 in the Winter. The linked C&I 2 course for each Winter C&I 1 student will be scheduled in the Spring.
- The linked section of C&I 2 will be scheduled at the same time and day as C&I 1.
- Students will be pre-enrolled in the second course sequence (C&I 2) by the Registrar's Office.
- If students are unable to take the second course in the sequence they must drop the class using the standard procedure for dropping courses.
- Students must complete both courses in the themed sequence to fulfill the requirement.
- Students will be able to enter a different C&I 2 course only with permission of instructor.

Cultures and Ideas 1 and 2 for Engineering Students

- All students, except COEN majors, will take Cultures and Ideas (C&I) 1 and 2 in the first year.

Other Foundation Courses

The scheduling of other Foundations courses (Religion, Theology and Culture 1, Mathematics and Second Language) will not change from the way similar first year classes were scheduled in the past.