Notice of Change for: Creating a course code for Sports Media and Communication (SMC)

Date: September 4, 2018

A. PROGRAM INFORMATION

1. Name of institution
   University of Rhode Island

2. Name of department, division, school or college
   Department: Harrington School of Communication and Media
   College: A&S

3. Intended initiation date of program change. Include anticipated date for granting first degrees or certificates, if appropriate.
   Initiation date: Spring 2019
   First degree date: Minors in Spring 2019, Latest Fall 2019
   Bill # 17-18-38C

4. Intended location of the program
   Interdisciplinary minor in Sports Media and Communication approved in Spring 2018 for the Harrington School of Communication and Media.

5. Summary description of proposed program (not to exceed 2 pages).
   We are requesting a new course code of SMC (Sports Media and Communication). The purpose of this course code is for the development of courses for the previously approved minor in Sports Media and Communication (Bill # 17-18-38C). We also anticipate development of an interdisciplinary major in Sports Communication and Media this academic year. In addition to new courses, some existing course may be cross-listed with the SMC course code.

6. If applicable, please include the existing URI catalog language and proposed catalog changes indicated in Track Changes. N/A
7. Signature of the President

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