Texas A&M University
Cultural Discourse Course Request

1. Course prefix and number:  Click here to enter text.
2. Complete course title:  Click here to enter text.
3. Department submitting request:  Click here to enter text.
4. Name of person submitting this request:  Click here to enter text.
5. Email address:  Click here to enter text.
6. Is this course currently included in the Core Curriculum?  Yes _____  No _____
   If “yes,” in which Foundational Component Area?  ________________________________
7. Is this course open to all majors?  Yes _____ (required for approval)  No _____
8. Does this course have prerequisites other than classification?  Yes _____  No _____ (required for approval)
9. **List and describe specific assignments and activities** that achieve each of the following goals in the Cultural Discourse Framework. Be sure to review the ICD rubric for specific requirements. (Recertification will require evidence of these activities and how they aided students in achieving the required learning outcomes.)
   a.)  Hold respectful discussions and discourse on difficult topics.  Click here to enter text.
   b.)  Understand self, including personal bias and prejudices.  Click here to enter text.
   c.)  Understand how power or authority is distributed within organizational systems, including recognizing potential forms of privilege, oppression, and discrimination.  Click here to enter text.
   d.)  Understand, as an overarching goal, how to use and promote informed dialogue to overcome issues dividing, not uniting, individuals and humankind.  Click here to enter text.
   e.)  Understand tolerance and intolerance and have a knowledge of when it is appropriate to be intolerant of specific behaviors/activities that violate our core values as people and Aggies.  Click here to enter text.
   f.)  Understand how to function effectively in a multicultural and global society.  Click here to enter text.
   g.)  Understand conflict from multiple viewpoints.  Click here to enter text.
10. **List and describe ways in which the course will address the following CD requirements:**
   a.)  Incorporates “Aggie Experience Activities” into the course.  Click here to enter text.
   b.)  Incorporates small group discussions into the course.  Click here to enter text.
11. Attach the current course syllabus.