# **Adding a Minor & Concentration**

## **Purpose**

Adding a minor or concentration to a major (program) in SFAREGS & SGASTDN

### **Policies**

- 1. Undergraduate students may transfer from one program to another, by filling a petition or application with approval from the dean of the college(s). Graduate students must obtain permission from the program they wish to enter in addition to the Dean of the Graduate Division.
- 2. Curriculum changes are done in SFAREGS if the student enrollment preparation (this traditionally occurs at the end of 4th week) has begun for the term of change and in SGASTDN if it has not, use the section that applies to the change.
- 3. Major (Program) change petitions or applications may be processed at any time; however, they should be processed prior to the third week of the quarter to meet the instructional statistical reporting deadline.
- 4. All Curriculum changes for undergraduate students are processed by the colleges.
- 5. All Major (Program) changes for all graduate students are processed by the Graduate Division Academic Affairs. Concentrations for graduate students are managed by the departments. Graduate students do not have minors.

## Impacted Departments, Units, Programs, and Centers

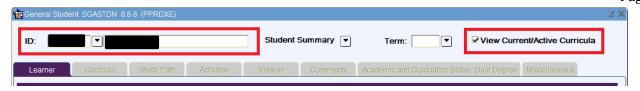
- 1. College of Humanities, Arts, and Social Sciences
- 2. College of Natural and Agricultural Sciences
- 3. Bourns College of Engineering
- 4. School of Business Administration
- 5. Graduate Division Academic Affairs
- 6. School of Medicine Academic Affairs
- 7. Office of the Registrar

#### **Procedures**

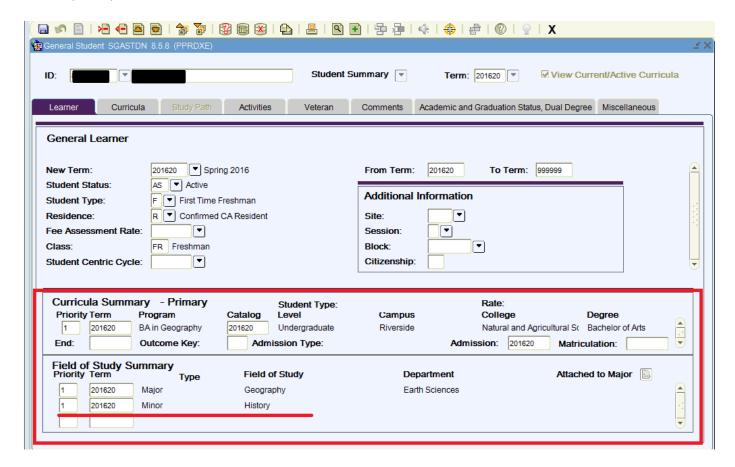
#### SGASTDN Procedures

If you receive a prompt that Registration Exists and changes must be made in SFAREGS then you will have to follow SFAREGS procedures. This happens when enrollment preparation has been done (this traditionally occurs at the end of 4th week) activating the student as Eligible to Enroll in SFAREGS.

- 1. Go to SGASTDN
- 2. Enter **SID**, Ensure that the correct student name appears
- 3. **Term** Leave blank so that the most recent record shows
- 4. Check on the View Current/Active Curricula Box the most current record will show



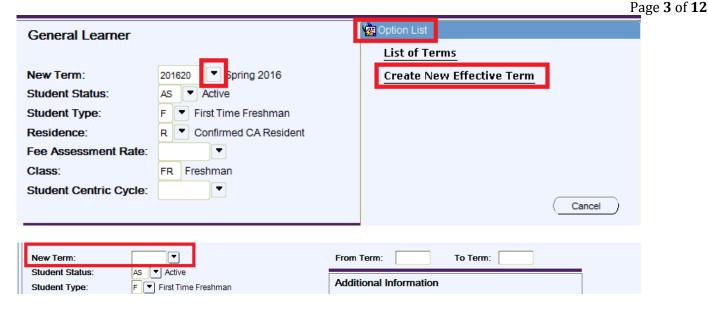
- 5. Next Block into Learner
- 6. Under **Curricula Summary/Field of Study Summary** Make note of all the major(s) (program(s)), the priority number(s), minor(s), and concentration(s).



7. **New Term** - If the new term equals the effective term of the Major (Program) change you can skip to step 11



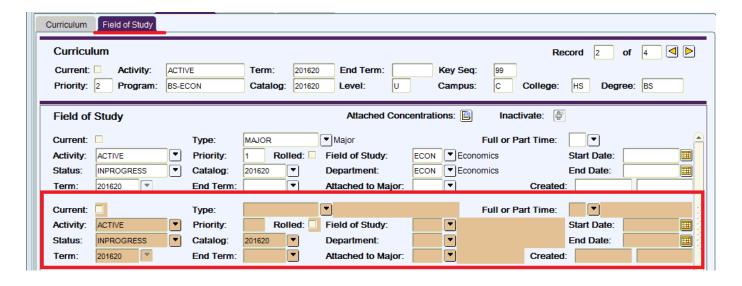
- 8. New Term Field click on the search button and the Options List will appear with choices
- 9. Click Create New Effective Term and a Blank New Term will open



- 10. In the New Term Field type in the term code for the effective quarter
- 11. Navigate to the Curricula to go into the Curriculum Tab
- 12. Confirm you are viewing the Curriculum to which you want to attach the Minor or Concentration
- 13. Click **Duplicate** to copy the existing curricula



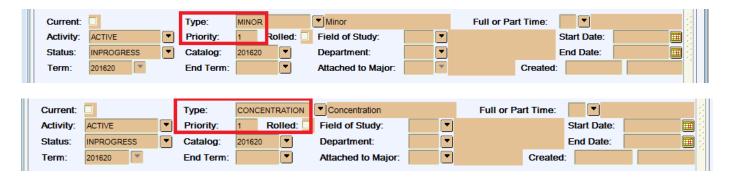
- 14. Click on Field of Study Tab
- 15. Click on a Blank Activity Box
- 16. Banner automatically fills in the Activity, Status, Term, and Catalog fields



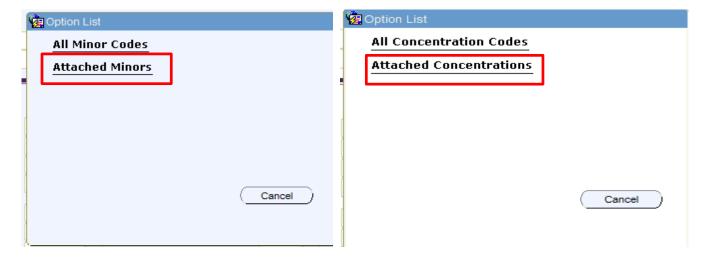
17. Type - Select either Minor or Concentration based on what you are adding

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18. Ensure that there is a number 1 in the **Priority** field. Each field of study must be assigned a priority number and there cannot be two of the same type with the same number. For example, if the student should have two minors or concentrations the priority number of the 2<sup>nd</sup> minor or concentration will be 2 or higher.

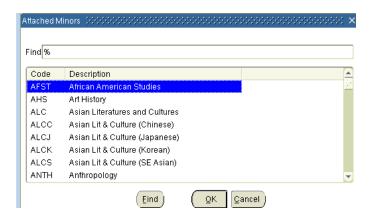


- 19. In the Field of Study, either:
  - a. Type in the code if you know it, Save, and review in SGASTDN or
  - b. Click the **Search Button** and the **Option List** Box will appear
  - c. For Minors select Attached Minors and for Concentrations select Attached Concentrations



#### **For Minors**

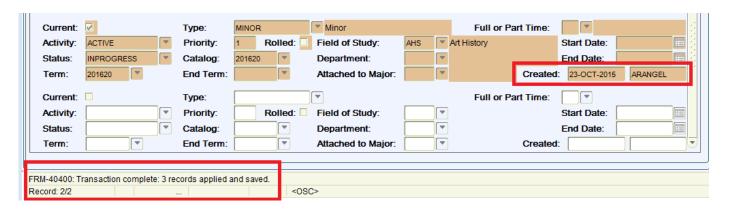
20. When the **Attached Minors** Box opens, scroll down the list and select the minor. If you know the Minor code you can type it in. You can also use the **Find feature** to search codes with the percentage sign and **Find** button.



- 21. The Field of Study for the Minor has been added.
- 22. Note: You do not need to fill in the department code

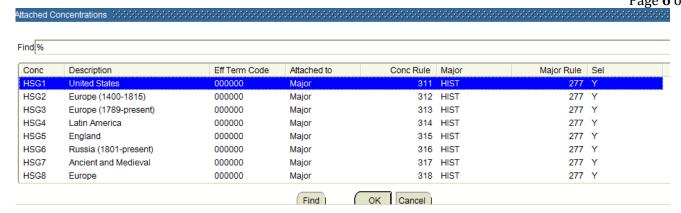


23. Save - The date and User ID will be recorded in the Create Field



## **For Concentrations**

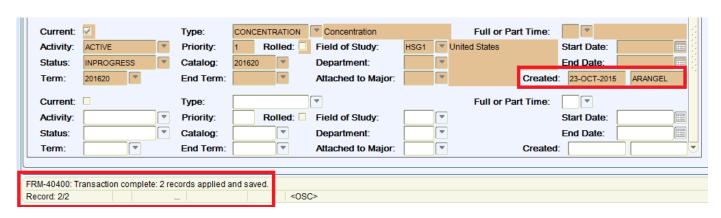
24. When the **Attached Concentration** Codes box opens, scroll down the list and select the concentration. If you know the Concentration code you can type it in. You can also use the **Find feature** to search codes with the percentage sign and **Find** button.



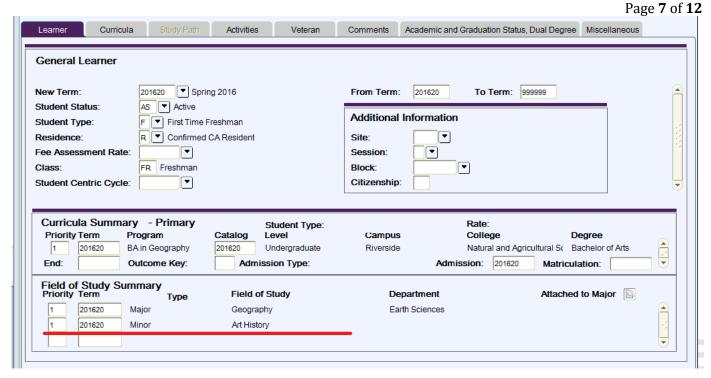
- 25. The Field of Study for the Concentration has been added.
- 26. Note: You do not need to fill in the department code



27. Save – The date and User ID will be recorded in the Create Field



28. Go to **SGASTDN** to review that the desired Minor or Concentration



#### SFAREGS Procedures

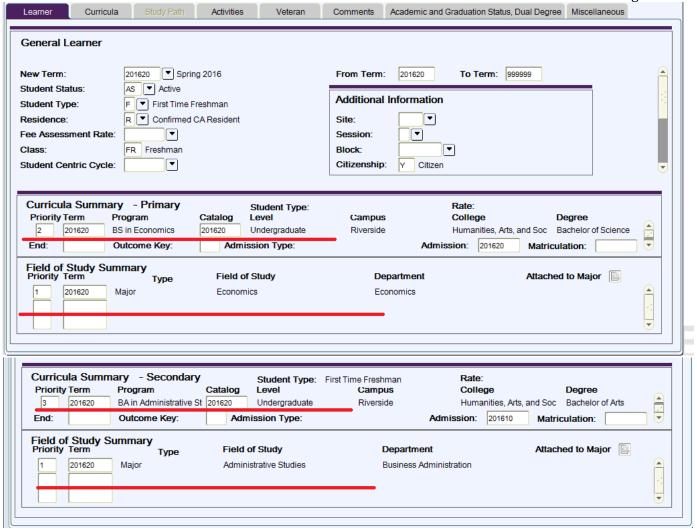
Minor & Concentration changes are done in SFAREGS if the student enrollment preparation has begun for the term of change (this traditionally occurs at the end of 4<sup>th</sup> week) and in SGASTDN if it has not.

- 1. First you want to review the student record on SGASTDN
- 2. Go to SGASTDN
- 3. Enter SID, Ensure that the correct student name appears
- 4. **Term** Leave blank so that the most recent record shows
- 5. Check on the View Current/Active Curricula Box so the most current record shows

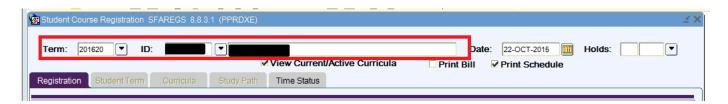


- 6. Next Block into Learner
- 7. Under **Curricula Summary** Make note of all the major(s) (program(s)), the priority number, minor(s), and concentration(s).

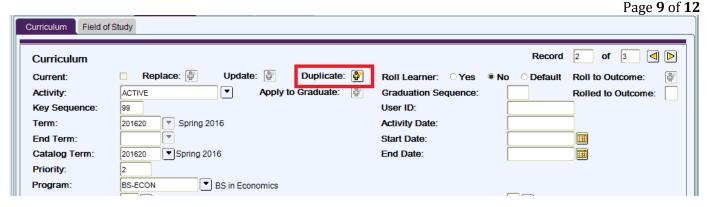
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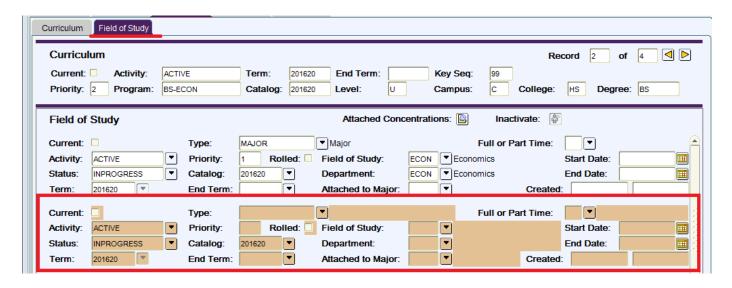
- 8. Go to **SFAREGS**
- 9. **Term** Enter the Effective Term of the minor or concentration change
- 10. SID The student's name will automatically populate



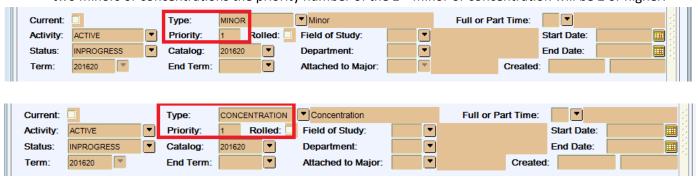
- 11. Next Block into Registration
- 12. Navigate to the Curricula into the Curriculum Tab
- 13. Confirm you are viewing the curriculum to which you want to add the Minor or Concentration
- 14. Press **Duplicate** inserts new curriculum and duplicates curriculum to change



- 15. Click on the Field of Study tab
- 16. Click on a Blank Activity Box
- 17. Banner automatically fills in the Activity, Status, Term, and Catalog fields

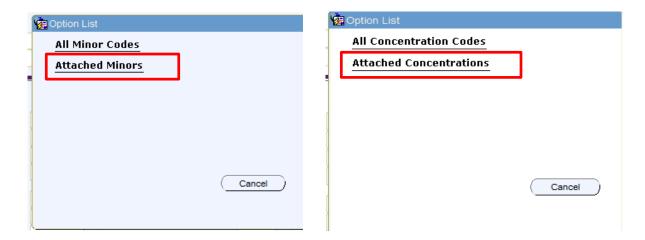


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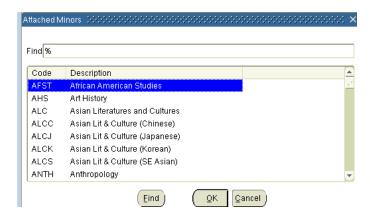
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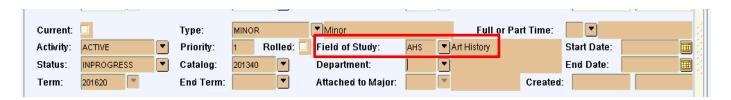


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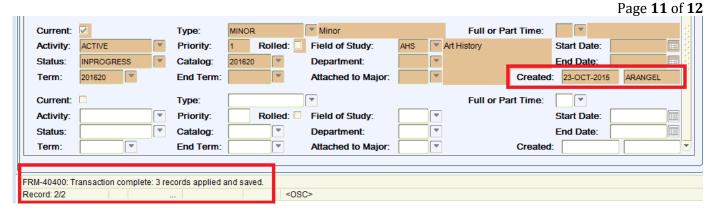
21. When the **Attached Minors** box opens, scroll down the list and select the minor. If you know the Minor code you can type it in. You can also use the **Find feature** to search codes with the percentage sign and **Find** button.



- 22. The Field of Study for the Minor has been added.
- 23. Note: You do not need to fill in the department code

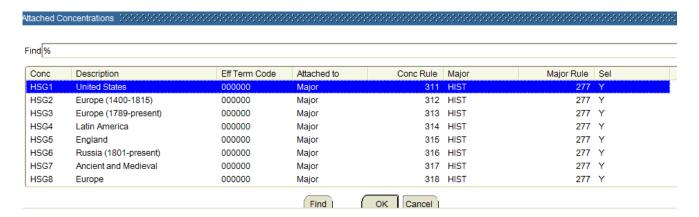


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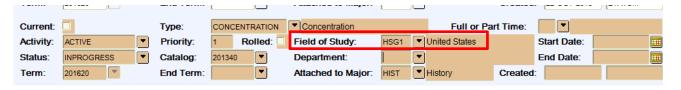


# **For Concentrations**

25. When the **Attached Concentration** Codes box opens, scroll down the list and select the concentration. If you know the Concentration code you can type it in. You can also use the **Find feature** to search codes with the percentage sign and **Find** button.

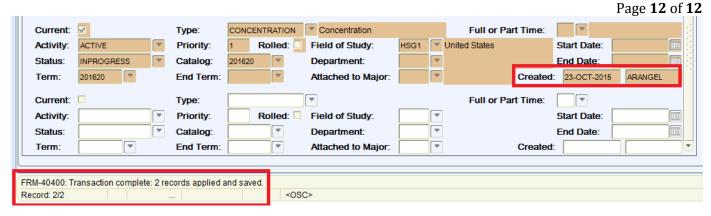


- 26. The Field of Study for the Concentration has been added.
- 27. Note: You do not need to fill in the department code



28. Save – The date and User ID will be recorded in the Create Field

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29. Go to SGASTDN to review that the desired Minor or Concentration has been added

