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| No change. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| If S/U is to be designated as the **only** grading system in the course, check here: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |  | |  | | | | | | | |
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| Explanation of proposal: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| We propose to increase the number of credits in ATM 400 from 3 to 4, and lengthen the course as a result. The course as currently scheduled doesn’t have enough time to adequately cover all of the necessary material, while also allowing time for students to give in-depth synoptic meteorology discussions. The course is an elective, not required, so the increase in credit number will not affect the major requirements. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Other departments or schools which offer similar or related courses and which have certified that this proposal does not overlap their offering:  None. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| *If this proposal is for an interdisciplinary program, please indicate the Department where the major/minor will be housed:* | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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