

# Changes to Existing Courses & Degree Programs

<b>Department:</b>	Science and Technology Studies	<b>Date of Submission:</b>	4 November 2013
<b>Course Number:</b>	SC/STS 3760 3.0	<b>Effective Session:</b>	2014-2015 fall term
<b>Course Title:</b>	The Scientific Revolution, 1500-1800		

### Type of Change:

<input type="checkbox"/> in degree requirements	<input type="checkbox"/> in cross-listing
<input type="checkbox"/> in course number/level	<input type="checkbox"/> in degree credit exclusion(s)
<input type="checkbox"/> in credit value	<input type="checkbox"/> regularize course (from Special Topics)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> in title (max. 40 characters for short title)	<input type="checkbox"/> in course format/mode of delivery *
<input type="checkbox"/> in Calendar description (max. 40 words or 200 characters)	<input type="checkbox"/> retire/expire course
<input type="checkbox"/> in pre/co-requisite(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> other (please specify):

### Change From:

### To:

The Scientific Revolution, 1500-1800	Nature, Knowledge and New Worlds, 1500-1800
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### Rationale:

To avoid confusion with STS 2110 3.0 "Scientific Revolutions: Philosophical Issues", which, despite its very similar title is a very different course. The new title better reflects the existing course description ("An in-depth examination of the cultural, social, technological and intellectual context of a formative period in the history of modern science") than the existing title. The Scientific Revolution, a contested concept among historians of science, will continue to be taught within the course, as will other crucial developments in the science of the period between 1500-1800. Course credit exclusions remain as they now are: AK/HIST 3810 6.00, AK/HIST 3570 6.00, AK/STS 3760 6.00.

submit as many details as possible. If there are several changes, please feel free to use a New Course Proposal Form (Form 1) in order to ensure that all the required information is included. \* Note: If there is a technology component to the course, a statement is required from ATSG indicating whether resources are adequate to support the course.