



For an explanation of the Culture Option requirement, see the Tufts <u>Bulletin</u>. For courses not appearing in the list of approved courses, you must fill out this form. The committee strongly urges not to wait until the last semester of the senior year at Tufts for the submission of petitions.

Submit to the Chair of the Culture Option Subcommittee, either as hard copy or PDF by email: All completed forms for 2019-2020 should be submitted to:

Laura Baffoni-Licata, Chair of the Culture Option Subcommittee of the Academic Review Board (ARB), Department of Romance Studies, Olin Center. Email: laura.baffoni-licata@tufts.edu

- Before petitioning, students should view the <u>SIS Course Catalog</u> to see if the course has already been approved, or if similar courses have been approved in the past:
 - For Course Career select "AS&E Undergrad"
 - o For Course Attribute select the appropriate LA Undergrad Req (e.g. Culture)
 - o For Attribute Value select the specific requirement (e.g. French Culture)
 - Then select the appropriate Course Subject to view courses meeting the requirement
- Complete the Culture Option petition form and include the supporting documents listed below.
 Keep a copy of everything for yourself.
- Follow up with the Culture Option Subcommittee Chair regarding the status of your petition
- After your petition has been signed, pick it up from the contact person, make a copy for your
 records, then bring it to the Student Services Desk in Dowling Hall. It is imperative that your
 petition reach the Student Services Desk at Dowling Hall, since this is the official record of the
 approval of your petition.

NOTE: Petitions submitted after December 5 may not be considered until the Spring semester.

Petitions submitted after April 15 may not be considered until the Fall semester.

Check the Culture Option Area:

African and African-American Culture
African Culture –Region of Origin
Classical Culture
East Asian Cultures and Diasporas
East Asian Culture – Region of Origin
French Culture
Germanic Culture
Hispanic Culture and Diasporas

Hispanic Culture –Region of Origin

Italian Culture

Judaic Culture

Middle Eastern Culture

Native American Culture

Russian Culture

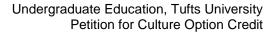
Sign Language /Deaf Culture

South and Southeast Asian Culture

South and Southeast Asian Culture -Region of Origin

Other (Please specify)_____

For purposes of this requirement, a foreign culture is defined as having non-English speaking origins (Bulletin).





Date
Phone number
Email address
When taken (semester/year)
Number/Section
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Required Documents

Attach pertinent documentation to show the extent of the course content. If insufficient material is supplied, the Committee will not act on the petition.

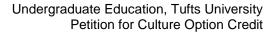
Attach a copy of the course description

Attach a copy of the syllabus

Attach a copy of selected assignments

Attach a copy of the reading lists

Attach an approval of transfer course





Abroad)

Downing, Dowling Hall.

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Approved for this student only

Approved for this semester and year only

Denied
Culture Option Subcommittee Chair (signature)
Culture Option Subcommittee Chair (printed name)
Date
Comments

After decision, the student will pick up the petition and bring it to Associate Registrar Carol

Please refer any questions to Laura Baffoni-Licata, Chair of the Culture Option Subcommittee of the Academic Review Board (ARB), Department of Romance Studies, Olin Center. Email: laura.baffoni-

Approved in general (to be listed in Tufts Bulletin for classes only, including Tufts Programs