UMBC UGC Change in Existing Course: <u>IS 451U LAN Management Using Unix</u>

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COURSE INFORMATION: (please provide all information in the "current" column, and only the information changing in the "proposed" column)

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change		current	proposed
	Course Number(s)	IS 451U	
	Formal Title	LAN Management Using Unix	
	Transcript Title (≤30c)		
	Recommended Course Preparation		
	Prerequisite NOTE: Unless otherwise indicated, a prerequisite is assumed to be passed with a "D" or better.	You must be concurrently enrolled in or have completed <u>IS 451</u> with a grade of C or better.	C or better in IS 450
	# of Credits Must adhere to the UMBC Credit Hour Policy	3	
	Repeatable?	☐ Yes ⊠ No	☐ Yes ☐ No
	Max. Total Credits	3	Max. Total Credits: This should be equal to the number of credits for courses that cannot be repeated for credit. For courses that may be repeated for credit, enter the maximum total number of credits a student can receive from this course. E.g., enter 6 credits for a 3 credit course that may be taken a second time for credit, but not for a third time. Please note that this does NOT refer to how many times a class may be retaken for a higher grade.
	Grading Method(s)	Reg (A-F) Audit Pass-Fail	Reg (A-F) Audit Pass-Fail

CURRENT CATALOG DESCRIPTION:

A hands-on course taught in a computer classroom in UNIX operating system management and networking. The design, building, management, security and technical issues involved in a local area network will be covered.

PROPOSED CATALOG DESCRIPTION (Approximately 75 words in length. Please use full sentences): leave blank if no changes are being proposed to the catalog description. NOTE: information about prerequisites should NOT appear in the catalog description.)

RATIONALE FOR CHANGE:

The course material requires knowledge of computer networking from IS 450, but not from the current corequisite, IS 451. Currently, students on the IS 451 waitlist are unable to register for IS 451U, resulting in unnecessary scheduling difficulties for the students.