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YALE UNIVERSITY GRADUATE SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

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The Graduate School of Arts and Sciences is the division of Yale University that awards advanced, post-baccalaureate degrees (Master of Arts, Master of Science, Master of Philosophy, and Doctor of Philosophy). This document is a transcript of the student's graduate record at Yale. Yale University is accredited by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges. Federal law prohibits release of information from this transcript to a third party without the express written consent of the student.

GRADING SYSTEM

The Graduate School of Arts and Sciences does not calculate grade-point averages nor does it assign numerical or letter equivalents to the marks designated above.

Grades assigned in the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences are as follows:

H Honors HP High Pass P Pass F Fail

Sat Satisfactory (see below*)
Unsat Unsatisfactory (see below*)

I or INC Incomplete (course not completed at end of term)

W Withdrew from course

Credit/No Credit Credit/No Credit granted for course

* Grades of Sat (Satisfactory) and Unsat (Unsatisfactory) may be assigned if all of the students enrolled in the course are so graded.

The following marks may also appear on some transcripts:

Aud Audit

FY Temporary grade for a full-year course that is not

yet completed

NA Audit not fulfilled; requirements for an Audited

course not satisfied

NM No Mark Submitted

TI Temporary Incomplete for a course that is

expected to be completed

COURSE NUMBERING

Graduate courses are numbered 100 and above through the Spring term of 1977. Beginning with the Fall term of 1977, courses are numbered 500 and above. The letters "a" or "b" following a course number indicate a first-term (fall) or second-term (spring) course, respectively. Courses with no alphabetic suffix are year-long offerings and extend through both the fall and spring terms. Undergraduate courses taken in Yale College through the Spring term of 1977 bear two-digit numbers (10-99). Beginning with the Fall term of 1977 and thereafter, Yale College courses are numbered from 100 through 499.

COURSES TAKEN IN OTHER SCHOOLS OF YALE UNIVERSITY

With the approval of the student's academic department, advanced courses offered through other schools of the University may be taken for credit toward the Graduate School degree. Undergraduate courses recorded prior to the 1972-1973 academic year provided graduate credit only if marked "for graduate credit." As of September 1972, this distinction was no longer made.

Grades for courses taken through other schools of Yale University are recorded according to the grading systems in place at the respective schools.

TRANSFER CREDIT

The Graduate School of Arts and Sciences does not award transfer credit for graduate work completed before matriculation. A department may, however, with the approval of the Graduate School, waive a portion of the Ph.D. course requirement in recognition of previous graduate-level work completed at Yale University or elsewhere. Courses taken elsewhere will not appear on the student's Graduate School transcript. Also with the approval of the department, a student who is currently enrolled in the Graduate School may petition for advanced standing of up to one year for work completed in a Yale professional master's program or doctoral program that is relevant to the student's Ph.D. program.

TEACHING FELLOW PROGRAM PARTICIPANT

Training in teaching is an essential part of students' academic programs and professional preparation and therefore appears on the transcript. For students who were enrolled in the Graduate School in the spring of 2003 or later, all teaching assistantships are included on the transcript. Each assistantship is listed under the semester in which it was completed. When students serve as discussion or lab section leaders or graders, the name of the faculty member teaching the course appears in the right-hand column. Students listed as part-time acting instructors are responsible for one section of an introductory course or an independent seminar.

OFFICIAL RECORD

A transcript without the signature of the University Registrar is to be considered only as a statement of the student's academic progress toward the degree and is not to be considered as an official document.