Background

* Revise graduation requirements PhD in Materials Science and Engineering Program (Schwartz, Chandra)

The request is to reduce MSE program requirements from 22 graded credits to 21 graded credits. This request is due to a change in one of the required courses. On 3/20/2012, a required MSE course (MATSE/MSE 505) was approved for change from a 4-credit course to a 3-credit course. The requested change to the PhD graduation requirements aligns with the change in credits earned for MSE 505 (i.e., reduction from 4 to 3 credits).

Reviewer Comments

The degree will require 21 credit hours derived from 3 credits of mandatory coursework (MSE 505, 3 credits) + 12 elective credits from list of nine courses + 6-credits from Additional Courses = 21 credits

Also required are 6 credits (ungraded) of Seminar: MatSE 593 (3-credits 2x).

**Reviewer’s Final Assessment**

The Motions

Move to approve.