New Major Proposal to the Yale College Committee on Majors

1. What is the intellectual purpose of the major?

2. Why can't this intellectual agenda be carried out within an existing program?

3. From which existing Yale College majors do you expect to draw students?

4. From which departments and programs do you expect to draw faculty and (if needed) teaching fellows? Do you have commitments of support from these other programs?

   [Name/ Position/Department/Specialty]

5. Which peer institutions already have such a major? How do the requirements proposed here compare to those at other institutions? How large is the major at the peer institutions?

6. What facilities and resources will be needed to sustain the major?

7. If any of this is incremental, where will the funds and facilities come from to underwrite the increment?

8. Who will be DUS in the first three years?

9. Please provide sample YCPS copy, including introductory material, number of courses required for completion of major, titles of required courses, any variation of tracks within the proposed major, etc.