TO: Members of the Graduate Programs Committee and members of the Rhetoric/Composition Interest Group

10/23/78

From: Jim Kinneavy, representing the Rhetoric/Composition Interest Group

Topic: Proposed Ph. D. Program in English with a Rhetoric Concentration The interest group met this past week and asked that the GPC consider the following proposal.

MAJOR (English)

21-30 hrs.--from one of the three
three following fields: Eng Lit,
Am Lit, or Lang-Ling (first field)

18 hrs.--Supporting Work

9 hrs--Eng or Am Lit(complement of first field)
6 hrs.--Lang-Ling.
3 hrs.--Basic bibliography

12 hrs.--Rhetoric/Composition from: 381L, 383L, 391L,691L, 393L, 393M, 398T 6-9 hrs.-! Issertation

57-69--Total

N. B. The written quals would be the same as everyone else's. The major orals would be in rhetoric; the minor orals would be in a designated area (same as everyone else does).

SUPPORTING WORK MINOR(Rhetoric/ Comp Related Courses) Normally choose 18 hrs. from no fewer than 2 and no more than three of the following fields:

Communication

Philosophy

Education

Classics

Linguistics

Psychology

Total: 18