## Student Adjustments How to Substitute a Course Requirement Step-by-Step Instructions

**NOTE:** It is always a good idea to generate a degree evaluation report prior to entering a student adjustment in the Banner client.

1. At the GO: (direct access) Enter **SMASADJ** and **press Enter.** (Your cursor is now flashing in the **ID** field.)

- 2. Enter the ID, Tab.
- 3. Enter Term. Enter the term of admission to the degree.
- 4. Next Block.

If the student does not exist in the Student Adjustment Library, a message will pop up; **ID must exist in Student Library.** 

- Select Add to access library.
- Save. The student is now added to the Student Adjustment Library.
- Exit to return to SMASADJ.
- 5. **Click** on the **Substitutions** link on the Navigation Frame.
- 6. Enter the Subject Code and Course Number of the original requirement. Enter the Subject Code and Course Number that will be substituted for the original requirement.

**NOTE:** Leave the Attribute field blank. All adjustments dealing with attributes will be made by the Degree Evaluation Unit.

 Enter the Area (optional) to which you wish to substitute a course requirement. The Area is displayed on the Minerva degree evaluation report. Or you can click on the magnifying glass to search for it.

**NOTE:** By entering the Area, you are further defining where the substitution will apply. Eg. The same course can be counted as a complementary in either a Major or a Minor, chosen from the same complementary list of courses, but the substitution would only be accepted for the Minor.

- 8. **Double click** in the **Action** field and choose the appropriate action code.
  - For substitutions, leave **Credit** blank.

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- 9. **Save**.
- 10. **Next Block;** enter the **Program(s)** (optional) to which the substitution applies.

**NOTE:** By entering the Program, you are further defining where the substitution will apply. Eg. The same course can be counted as a complementary in two separate majors but the substitution would only be accepted for one Major.

- 11. Save.
- 12. **Click** on **Adjustment Tracking** in the options menu to type in reason for change or other notes in the Tracking Text field for audit trail purposes.
- 13. Save. Click on Return button.
- 14. To ensure the student adjustment is working correctly, generate a new degree evaluation report.