UNIVERSITY FACULTY SENATE FORMS

Academic Program Approval

This form is a routing document for the approval of new and revised academic programs. Proposing department should complete this form. For more information, call the Faculty Senate Office at 831-2921.

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Date: January 8, 2014

Action: Revise PSM in Biotechnology
(Example: add major/minor/concentration, delete major/minor/concentration, revise major/minor/concentration, academic unit name change, request for permanent status, policy change, etc.)

Effective term 14F
(use format 04F, 05W)

Current degree PSM in Biotechnology
(Example: BA, BACH, BACJ, HBA, EDD, MA, MBA, etc.)

Proposed change leads to the degree of: PSM in Biotechnology
(Example: BA, BACH, BACJ, HBA, EDD, MA, MBA, etc.)

Proposed name:
Proposed new name for revised or new major / minor / concentration / academic unit
(if applicable)

Revising or Deleting:

Undergraduate major / Concentration:
(Example: Applied Music – Instrumental degree BMAS)

Undergraduate minor:
(Example: African Studies, Business Administration, English, Leadership, etc.)

Graduate Program Policy statement change: PSM in Biotechnology
(Must attach your Graduate Program Policy Statement)

Graduate Program of Study: PSM in Biotechnology
(Example: Animal Science: MS Animal Science: PHD Economics: MA Economics: PHD)

Graduate minor / concentration:

Note: all graduate studies proposals must include an electronic copy of the Graduate Program Policy Document, highlighting the changes made to the original policy document.

List new courses required for the new or revised curriculum. How do they support the overall program objectives of the major/minor/concentrations)?
(Be aware that approval of the curriculum is dependent upon these courses successfully passing through the Course Challenge list. If there are no new courses enter “None”) NONE

Explain, when appropriate, how this new/revised curriculum supports the 10 goals of
Identify other units affected by the proposed changes:
(Attach permission from the affected units. If no other unit is affected, enter “None”)
Animal and Food Sciences
Biomedical Engineering
Marine Studies
Bioinformatics
Electrical and Computer Engineering
Chemistry and Biochemistry
Chemical Engineering
Business Administration
Accounting
Urban Affairs and Public Policy

Describe the rationale for the proposed program change(s):
(Explain your reasons for creating, revising, or deleting the curriculum or program.)

Update to reflect changes in graduate course offerings/course numbers/course names at UD

Minor rewording of “plus” requirements to “business/management” requirements for clarity.

Combination of the two “tracks” within the business/management requirements into one as program students have had no interest

Minor revision to description of the written reports that fulfill the internship requirements to better reflect current practice

Other minor rewordings for clarity

Program Requirements:
(Show the new or revised curriculum as it should appear in the Course Catalog. If this is a revision, be sure to indicate the changes being made to the current curriculum and include a side-by-side comparison of the credit distribution before and after the proposed change.)

ROUTING AND AUTHORIZATION:  (Please do not remove supporting documentation.)

Department Chairperson _______________________________ Date __________________

Dean of College ___________________________________ Date __________________

Chairperson, College Curriculum Committee _______________ Date _______________

Chairperson, Senate Com. on UG or GR Studies _____________ Date _______________

Chairperson, Senate Coordinating Com. ___________________ Date _______________

Secretary, Faculty Senate _______________________________ Date _______________

Date of Senate Resolution _______________________________ Date to be Effective ______

Registrar __________________ Program Code _______________ Date __________________

Vice Provost for Academic Affairs & International Programs ___________ Date __________

Provost ______________________________________________ Date____________________

Board of Trustee Notification _____________________________ Date__________________

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