

New Program Proposal

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Viewing: **WBLC-M : Blockchain Enterprise**

Systems for Business Majors Minor

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Changes proposed by: kboston

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Program Status	Active	
Academic Level	Undergraduate	
Type of proposal	Minor	
Select a reason for this new program	Adding New Minor or Additional Major--(LON 3)	
Effective Catalog Year	Fall 2019	
College/School Code	Walton College of Business(WCOB)	
Department Code	Department of Business Dean(WCBD)	
Program Code	WBLC-M	
Degree	Minor	
CIP Code		

In Workflow

1. **WCOB Dean Initial**
2. **Provost Initial**
3. **Director of Program Assessment and Review**
4. **Registrar Initial**
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8. **WCOB Faculty**
9. **WCOB Dean**
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11. **Provost Review**
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Approval Path

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3. 10/12/18 11:19 am
Alice Griffin
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4. 10/12/18 11:43 am
Karen Boston
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5. 10/16/18 10:35 am
Terry Martin
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6. 10/16/18 2:56 pm
Alice Griffin
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7. 10/16/18 5:45 pm
Lisa Kulczak
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8. 10/17/18 8:36 am
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9. 10/17/18 8:56 am
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13. 10/17/18 11:12 am
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14. 10/17/18 3:47 pm
Terry Martin
(tmartin): Approved
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Program Title

Blockchain Enterprise Systems for Business Majors Minor

Program Delivery

Method

On Campus

Is this program interdisciplinary?

No

Does this proposal impact any courses from another College/School?

No

What are the total 15
hours needed to
complete the
program?

Program Requirements and Description

Requirements

Blockchain Enterprise Systems for Business Majors Minor

The Walton College offers an interdisciplinary minor in Blockchain Enterprise Systems. Blockchains are currently used by many companies for applications ranging from strategic management of data to day operations to customer insights to retail analytics to developing and maintaining a competitive edge. The minor requires completion of 15 hours of study with all of the upper division courses applied toward the minor in residence. The 15 hours include:

ISYS 4173 Blockchain Fundamentals

ISYS 4453

ISYS 4463

Choose six hours from the following:

ACCT 3533

ACCT 3723

ACCT 4963

ECON 3433

ECON 4433

ECON 4633

ECON 4743

ECON 4753

FINN 3053

FINN 3063

FINN 3603

ISYS 3293

ISYS 4193

ISYS 4213

MGMT 3933

MGMT 4263

SCMT 3613

SCMT 3623

SCMT 3643

Course ISYS 4173 Blockchain Fundamentals Not Found

Introduction to Enterprise Servers

Enterprise Transaction Systems

Accounting Technology

Intermediate Accounting I

Audit and Assurance Services

Money and Banking

Experimental Economics

International Trade

Introduction to Econometrics

Forecasting

Financial Markets and Institutions

Investments

Corporate Finance

Systems Analysis and Design

Business Analytics and Visualization

ERP Fundamentals

Entrepreneurship and New Venture Development

Organizational Change and Development

Supply Management

Advanced Inventory Management and Forecasting

International Transportation and Logistics

SCMT 3653

Retail Supply Chain Analysis

Students who desire to earn a Blockchain Enterprise Systems minor must notify the Walton College Undergraduate Programs Office of intent to pursue a minor. All requirements for a minor must be completed prior to the awarding of the student's undergraduate degree. All specific course prerequisites must be met. Each student must have a 2.00 cumulative grade-point average in the courses offered for the minor. All upper division minor requirements must be taken in residence.

8-Semester Plan

Program Costs

One additional faculty member will be needed, to be funded by a combination of college and departmental resources. One new course will be created.

Library Resources

No new resources required.

Instructional

Facilities

N/A

Faculty Resources

One additional faculty member will be needed, to be funded by a combination of college and departmental resources.

List Existing Certificate or Degree Programs that Support the Proposed Program

Program(s)
ISYSBS - Information Systems, Bachelor of Science in Business Administration

Are Similar Programs available in the area?

No

Estimated Student 25

Demand for Program

Scheduled Program N/A

Review Date

Program Goals and

Objectives

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To prepare students for the future of blockchain-enabled accounting, economics, finance, information systems, management, marketing, retail, and supply chain business applications.

Learning Outcomes

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Students will be able to:

- Articulate the benefits and limitations of different blockchain components and platforms to technical and non-technical managers.
- Identify where blockchain technologies are suitable to solve business problems to help to create new business opportunities.
- Develop a functioning blockchain application that meets technical and business requirements.

Description and Justification for this request

Description of request	Justification for request
Add a new minor in Blockchain Enterprise Systems for Business Majors.	Consistent with the Sam M. Walton College of Business' mission to deliver business knowledge that is innovative, the Walton College aims to create an inter-disciplinary minor that integrates a foundational innovation, namely blockchain technologies, across all business disciplines. Blockchain technologies use a crowd of independent computers to secure a record of transactions, which is a completely new way to design information systems. Blockchain's implications are wide-spread across every business function, including accounting, economics, finance, management, marketing, retail, and supply chains.

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Reviewer Comments

Alice Griffin (agriffin) (10/12/18 11:16 am): Changed program title to match program code naming convention established by the Registrar's Office. Also added "for Business Majors" language to catalog copy.

Alice Griffin (agriffin) (10/12/18 11:19 am): Rollback: New course proposal ISYS 4173 must be submitted into approval workflow before submitting program change. Also, please download all the support letters and upload as one document (PDF). These changes will greatly simplify the approval process. Thank you.

Alice Griffin (agriffin) (10/16/18 2:41 pm): Note, course changes have been submitted for ISYS 4453 and ISYS 4463 to change the titles of the classes. However, Program Management is not recognizing the proposed changes.

Alice Griffin (agriffin) (10/16/18 2:46 pm): Program Management has not recognized course change for SCMT 3643, either.

Alice Griffin (agriffin) (10/16/18 2:55 pm): Made the following edits to the LON: 5. Removed title of existing degree. NA for new minor. 6. Inserted CIP Code 7. Removed program code. Degree code will be assigned by ADHE. 11. Inserted revised course titles for ISYS 4453, ISYS 4463, ISYS 4193, MGMT 4263, SCMT 3623, and SCMT 3653. 12. Inserted anticipated Faculty Senate approval date. 15. Added #15 to "Specify the amount of additional costs..." Renamed document to match BOT naming convention.

Lisa Kulczak (lkulcza) (10/16/18 5:45 pm): ISYS course "not found" currently in approval process for fall 2019.

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