ADD, CHANGE OR DELETE UNIT, PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS, OR ACADEMIC POLICIES

Complete this form consistent with the instructions in Academic Policy 1622.20. Use the form to add, change, or delete a program or unit or to change program policies. Proposed additions and changes must be consistent with Academic Policies 1100.40 and 1621.10 and any other policies which apply.

Department / Program Chair	Date Sub	mitted	Graduate Council Chair Faculty Senate Chair Provost		Date			
College Dean	Date				Date			
Honors College Dean	Date				Date			
Core Curriculum Committee Date		Board of Trustees Approval/Notification Date		Approval/Notification Date				
University Course and Programs Committee Date			Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board Approval/Notification Date					
SECTION II: Profile Da	ita - Required Inform	nation and N	ame Change Inf	ormation				
Academic Unit:	Major/Field of Study	Minor	Other Unit	Policy				
Level:	Undergraduate	Graduate	Law	Effective Catalog Year 20	013			
Program changes are effective	e with the next available	e catalog. See A	Academic Policy Se	eries 1622.20				
Current Name Ba	ame Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, BSBA - All Degrees							
College, School, Division WCOB		Department Code						
Current Code (6 digit Alpha)		Proposed Code (6 digit Alpha) Prior approval from the Office of the Registrar is required.						
Interdisciplinary Program		CIP Code Prior assignment from Office of Institutional Research is required.						
Proposed Name								

When a program name is changed, enrollment of current students reflects the new name.

SECTION III: Add a New Program/Unit

For new program proposals, complete Sections II and VII and use as a cover sheet for a full program proposal as described in 'Criteria and Procedures for Preparing Proposals for New Programs in Arkansas.' ADHE http://www.arkansashighered.com/pdfs/BookAppNewProgramCriteriaandProceduresRevised2005.pdf.

Program proposal uses courses offered by another academic college, and that college dean's office has been notified. The signature of the dean of that academic college is required here:

SECTION IV: Eliminate an Existing Program/Unit

Code/Name ____ Effective Catalog Year 2013

No new students admitted to program after Term: <u>Year</u>: <u>Year</u>: <u>Year</u>: <u>Year</u>:

SECTION V: Proposed Changes to an Existing Program or Program Policies

Insert here a statement of the exact changes to be made: <u>Modify COMM 1313, Public Speaking from being a pre-requisite to</u> <u>WCOB 1033, Data Analysis and Interpretation, to a pre or co-requisite for all of our B.S.B.A. degrees and majors in all of our</u> <u>ACT 1014</u>. Fight Samester plane Check if either of these boxes apply and provide the necessary signature:

- Program change proposal adds courses offered by another academic college, and that college dean's office has been notified. The signature of the dean of that academic college is required here:
- Program change proposal deletes courses offered by another academic college, and that college dean's office has been notified. The signature of the dean of that academic college is required here:

Check all the boxes that apply and complete the required sections of the form:

Change of Name and Code (Complete only sections I, II, V and VII.)

Change Course Requirements: (Complete all sections of the form except "Proposed Name" in II, section III, and section IV.)

Change Delivery Site/Method (Complete all sections of the form except "Proposed Name" in II, section III, and section IV.)

Change Total Hours (Complete all sections of the form except "Proposed Name" in II, section III, and section IV.)

Change in Program Policies

SECTION VI: Justification

Justify this change and state its likely effect on any other degree program (including those outside the school or college). Identify any program or program components (other than courses) to be eliminated if this program is implemented. (Program and course change forms must also be submitted for such related changes.)

Since 1997, the Walton College has incoporated COMM 1313, Public Speaking (a course requirement for all business majors), into our Freshmen Business Connections (FBC) program. As a retention initiative for new freshmen, students enrolled in common courses their first semester which included COMM 1313, WCOB 1012, Business Law (now BLAW 2013), WCOB 1111, Freshmen Business Connections, and the Computer Competency Requirement (formally ISYS 1121, Introduction to Computer Information Systems). In addition, to meet our college learning objective for Communication (effectively organize and communicate (both written and oral) business information so that it can be understood by individuals with diverse backgrounds, capabilities and interests) for our AACSB Accreditation and Assurance of Learning -Communication, the Walton College required COMM 1313 as a pre-requisite to WCOB 1033, Data Analysis and Interpretation and subsequent sophomore level courses. However, effective fall 2013, we were no longer able to reserve/block seats for our Walton College freshmen in COMM 1313 in their first semester prior to WCOB 1033. The Walton College Undergraduate Programs Committee determined we would require COMM 1313 as a pre or co-requisite to WCOB 1033 for fall 2013 until further review of our curriculum and our compliance with our Assurance of Learning objective for Communication can be addressed. Therefore, all ACT 1014, Eight Semester plans need to reflect this change.

SECTION VII: Catalog Text and Format

In the box below, insert the current catalog text which is to be changed, with changes highlighted with the color yellow. Include all proposed changes identified in Section V. Only changes explicitly stated in Section V will be considered for approval by the University Course and Programs Committee, the Graduate Council and the Faculty Senate. If you are proposing a new program, give proposed text with all of the elements listed below. If you are proposing modified text, include these elements as appropriate.

Include the following elements, in order, in the catalog text for proposed undergraduate program(s) or program changes:

- State complete major/program name
- Briefly define or describe the major/program or discipline.
- Identify typical career goals or paths for graduates. (Optional)
- State admission requirements (if any) for entry or entry into upper/advanced level of major/program.
- Identify location in catalog of university, college/school, and department/program requirements which the student must meet in addition to hours in the major, but do not restate these requirements.
- State course requirements in the major and any allied areas, giving number of hours and specific courses; specify electives or elective areas and give numbers of hours and courses in elective pools or categories; identify any other course requirements.
- State any other requirements (required GPA, internship, exit exam, project, thesis, etc.).
- Identify name and requirements for each concentration (if any).
- Specify whether a minor or other program component is allowed or required and provide details.
- State eight-semester plan requirements

For minors, state requirements in terms of hours, required courses, electives, etc.

For graduate program/units, include elements (as needed) parallel to those listed for undergraduate programs above.

For Law School program/units, prepare text consistent with current catalog style.

Listed in the First Semester, Fall Semester for all ACT 1014, Eight Semester plans for the B.S.B.A. Fall Semester – Year 1 3 ENGL 1013 Composition I-University Core 3 MATH 2053 Finite Math—University Core 3 COMM 1313 Public Speaking* 1 WCOB 1111 Freshman Business Connections 3 BLAW 2103 The Legal Environment of Business** 0 WCOB 1120 Computer Competency Requirement 3 U.S. History or Political Science-University Core 16 Semester Hours * Must be completed prior to WCOB 1033 Data Analysis and Interpretation. ** Must be completed prior to MGMT 3013 Strategic Management. *** Must be completed prior to taking any 3000 or 4000-level business courses.

SECTION VIII: Action Recorded by Registrar's Office

PROGRAM INVE	NTORY/DARS						
PGRM	SUBJ		CIP	CRTS			
DGRE	PGCT		OFFC&CRTY VALID				
REPORTING COE	DES						
PROG. DEF	-		REQ. DEF.	Initials	Date		
Distribution							
Notification to: (1) College (7) Treasurer	(2) Department (2) (8) Undergraduate Program Co	3) Admissions	(4) Institutional Research	(5) Continuing Education	(6) Graduate School		

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