

Program Change Request

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Program Status	Active		
Academic Level	Undergraduate		
Type of proposal	Minor		
Select a reason for this modification			
Requesting Approval to Offer an Existing Certificate or Degree via Distance Technology—(LON 13)			
Effective Catalog Year	Spring 2019		
College/School Code			
Walton College of Business(WCOB)			
Department Code			
Department of Supply Chain Management(SCMT)			
Program Code	WSCM-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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19. Provost's Office-- Notification of Approval
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Approval Path

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Karen Boston
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Initial

History

1. Mar 18, 2015 by
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2. Mar 20, 2018 by
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52.0203 - Logistics, Materials, and Supply Chain Management.

Program Title

Supply Chain Management Minor for Business Majors

Program Delivery

Method

On Campus

Online/Web-based

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?

On-line/Web-based Information

Reason for offering

Web-based Program

The market has moved to online programming to supplement face-to-face courses and/or add to a college's educational offerings. More and more of our peer and aspirant colleges of business have moved to some form of online programming (see for example, <http://www.businessinsider.com/harvard-business-school-online-courses-2013-10>). In addition, offering a degree online strategically positions the College to capture new markets (e.g., students abroad, degree completion, and adult learners). Supply

Chain Undergraduate Degree Labor & Market Analysis suggests strong growth for the supply chain labor market. There are seven universities offering online SCMT Bachelor of Science degrees. Cohort schools (SEC and Land-Grant Universities) do not offer online undergraduate degrees in this concentration. There are few state and regional universities that offer supply chain bachelor's degrees (face-to-face or online), which provides an opportunity to serve the needs of the state and region. This is one of the few fields in which Arkansas wage rates are among the highest in the nation. The program also has significant opportunities internationally. The minor for business majors supports college and university interdisciplinary efforts, and provides flexibility for students. All courses are already developed or are in development and being offered online.

Maximum Class Size **60**
for Web-based
Courses

Course delivery
mode

Method(s)
Online

Class interaction
mode

Method(s):
Electronic Bulletin Boards

Percent Online
100% with No Required Campus Component

Provide a List of
Services Supplied by
Consortia Partners or
Outsourced
Organization
N/A

Estimate Costs of the
Program over the
First 3 Years **N/A All courses are
already developed
or are in
development and
being offered online.**

List Courses Taught
by Adjunct Faculty

Upload
Memorandum of
Understanding Forms

(if required)

Program Requirements and Description

Requirements

Supply Chain Management Minor for Business Students

The Department of Supply Chain Management offers a minor for Walton College students desiring more knowledge of supply chain management to assist them in their careers. The minor requires the completion of 15 hours of study from the following courses:

SCMT 3443	Transportation and Distribution Management	3
SCMT 3613	Supply Management	3
Select three classes from the following:		9

ISYS 4213	ERP Fundamentals
SCMT 3623	Advanced Inventory Management and Forecasting
SCMT 3633	Behavioral Supply Chain Management
SCMT 3643	International Transportation and Logistics
SCMT 3653	Retail Supply Chain Analysis
SCMT 4003H	Honors Supply Chain Management Colloquium (Irregular)
SCMT 4103	Special Topics in Supply Chain Management (Irregular)
SCMT 4123	Sustainable Logistics and Supply Chain Management (Irregular)
SCMT 4633	Logistics Provider and Carrier Management (Sp, Fa)
SCMT 4653	Supply Chain Strategy (Sp, Fa)
SCMT 4853	Cross-Sector Collaboration for Sustainability (Sp)

Students may also use up to 3 hours of a Walton College Study Abroad course ([WCOB 330V](#)) in Panama or China and/or 3 hours of cooperative education ([WCOB 310V](#)) in supply chain management toward the minor.

Total Hours 15

Students who desire to earn a Supply Chain Management minor must notify the Walton College Undergraduate Programs Office of intent to pursue a minor. All requirements for the 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 level minor requirements must be taken in residence.

8-Semester Plan

Are Similar Programs available in the area?

Estimated Student Demand for Program n/a

Demand for Program

Scheduled Program Review Date n/a

Review Date

Program Goals and Objectives

Program Goals and Objectives
n/a

Learning Outcomes

Learning Outcomes
n/a

Description and justification of the request

Description of specific change	Justification for this change
Offer an existing Minor in Supply Chain Management for Business Majors via Distance Technology.	The market has moved to online programming to supplement face-to-face courses and/or add to a college’s educational offerings. More and more of our peer and aspirant colleges of business have moved to some form of online programming (see for example, http://www.businessinsider.com/harvard-business-school-online-courses-2013-10). In addition, offering a degree online strategically positions the College to capture new markets (e.g., students abroad, degree completion, and adult learners). Supply Chain Undergraduate Degree Labor & Market Analysis suggests strong growth for the supply chain labor market. There are seven universities offering online SCMT Bachelor of Science degrees. Cohort schools (SEC and Land-Grant Universities) do not offer online undergraduate degrees in this concentration. There are few state and regional universities that offer supply chain bachelor’s degrees (face-to-face or online), which provides an opportunity to serve the needs of the state and region. This is one of the few fields in which Arkansas wage rates are among the highest in the nation. The program also has significant opportunities internationally. The minor for business majors supports college and university interdisciplinary efforts, and provides flexibility for students. All courses are already developed or are in development and being offered online.

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