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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Department: Finance email address coughenj@lerner.udel.edu

Action: Revision in degree requirement
(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 09F
(use format 04F, 05W)

Current degree BS - Finance
(Example: BA, BACH, BACJ, HBA, EDD, MA, MBA, etc.)

Proposed change leads to the degree of: BS - Finance
(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: Finance
(Example: Applied Music – Instrumental degree BMAS)

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

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

Graduate Program of Study:
(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 undergraduate education:
http://www.ugs.udel.edu/gened/

Identify other units affected by the proposed changes:
(Attach permission from the affected units. If no other unit is affected, enter “None”)

None

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

ECON251 was mistakenly dropped from ‘Major Requirements’ during our last curriculum revision in 2006. We are simply
We propose to include ECON251 in the list of courses required for the ‘Major Requirements.’

See attached side-by-side comparison.

**EXISTING PROGRAM**

**DEGREE:** BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

**MAJOR:** FINANCE

**CURRICULUM**

**CREDITS**

**UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS**

ENGL 110  Critical Reading and Writing

(With a minimum grade of C-)

3

First Year Experience

0-4

Discovery Learning Experience

3

Three credits in an approved course or courses

stressing Multi-cultural, ethnic, and/or gender-related course content

3

**MAJOR REQUIREMENTS**

Twelve Humanities credits from

12

Art History, History, English (except composition or similar courses), Foreign Languages (up to 6 of the allowable 9 courses may be grammar courses), Philosophy. Music (except credit for participation in instrumental and/or choral organizations), Theatre, Comparative Literature, and literature courses in a foreign language or up to 6 hours of a foreign language. No more than nine credits may be taken in one department.

Economics (300-level or higher, excluding Econ 302)

3

Six credits from

Anthropology, Economics (300-level or higher, excluding Econ 302), Geography, Political Science and International Relations, Psychology or Sociology (except Criminal Justice), Black American Studies, or Women’s Studies (except courses that qualify as under Humanities). No more
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- ECON 151 Introduction to Microeconomics: Prices and Markets (minimum grade C-): 3
- ECON 152 Introduction to Macroeconomics: National Economy (minimum grade C-): 3
- ECON 302 Banking and Monetary Policy: 3
- ACCT 160 Introduction to Business Information Systems I: 3
- ACCT 207 Accounting I (minimum grade C-): 3
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- BUAD 301 Introduction to Marketing (minimum grade C-): 3
- BUAD 306 Operations Management (minimum grade C-): 3
- BUAD 309 Management and Organizational Behavior (minimum grade C-): 3
- BUAD 441 Business Policy (minimum grade C-): 3

Only one of the following will count toward graduation:
- ACCT 261 or ACCT 302

Students must earn a grade of C- or better in all but one of the following: FINC 312, FINC 313, FINC 314, FINC 412, FINC 413, FINC 414, FINC 415, FINC 416, FINC 417, FINC 418.

- FINC 311 Principles of Finance (minimum grade C-): 3
- FINC 312 Intermediate Financial Management: 3
- FINC 314 Investments: 3

Three of the following eight courses: 9
- FINC 313 Financial Markets
- FINC 412 Financial Institutions
- FINC 413 Advanced Corporate Finance
- FINC 414 Bank Management
- FINC 415 International Finance
- FINC 416 Advanced Investments
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