DOCUMENTS OF THE GENERAL FACULTY

PROPOSED CHANGES TO THE BBA IN THE SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT DEGREE PROGRAM IN THE RED MCCOMBS SCHOOL OF BUSINESS CHAPTER IN THE UNDERGRADUATE CATALOG, 2016-2018

Dean Thomas W. Gilligan, in the Red McCombs School of Business has filed with the secretary of the Faculty Council the following changes to the Undergraduate Catalog, 2016-2018. On April 22, 2015, the faculty representatives from department approved the proposal. On May 27, 2015, the college curriculum committee and the dean approved it. The secretary has classified this proposal as legislation of exclusive interest to a single college or school.

The Committee on Undergraduate Degree Program Review recommended approval of the changes on October 7, 2015, and forwarded them to the Office of the General Faculty. The Faculty Council has the authority to approve this legislation on behalf of the General Faculty. The authority to grant final approval on this legislation resides with UT System.

If no objection is filed with the Office of the General Faculty by the date specified below, the legislation will be held to have been approved by the Faculty Council. If an objection is filed within the prescribed period, the legislation will be presented to the Faculty Council at its next meeting. The objection, with reasons, must be signed by a member of the Faculty Council.

To be counted, a protest must be received in the Office of the General Faculty by October 15, 2015.

Hillary Hart, Secretary
General Faculty and Faculty Council

Posted on the Faculty Council website (http://www.utexas.edu/faculty/council/) on October 9, 2015.
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Type of Change ☒ Academic Change
☐ Degree Program Change (THECB form required)

Proposed classification ☒ Exclusive ☐ General ☐ Major

1. IF THE ANSWER TO ANY OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS IS YES, THE COLLEGE MUST CONSULT LINDA DICKENS, DIRECTOR OF ACCREDITATION AND ASSESSMENT, TO DETERMINE IF SACS-COC APPROVAL IS REQUIRED.
   • Is this a new degree program? Yes ☐ No ☒
   • Does the program offer courses that will be taught off campus? Yes ☐ No ☒
   • Will courses in this program be delivered electronically? Yes ☐ No ☒

2. EXPLAIN CHANGE TO DEGREE PROGRAM AND GIVE A DETAILED RATIONALE FOR EACH INDIVIDUAL CHANGE:
   1. Add OM 334M Healthcare Operations Management as accepted to satisfy the OM 335 course requirement.
      Rationale: OM 334M is a course being created for the new Business of Healthcare Certificate. It will cover all the same conceptual requirements as the standard OM 335 class, but will use healthcare case studies and examples in class and homework, as well as emphasizing some topics (e.g. waiting line management), which are relatively more important in a healthcare than in a manufacturing environment. It should be accepted to satisfy OM 335.
   2. Remove specified OM electives courses, to accept any OM upper-division electives for the 6 additional hours requirement.
      Rationale: This provides more flexibility for students and the department, as new OM courses may be offered in the future, and should be accepted to fulfill major elective requirements.
   3. Formatting only: Remove preliminary words preceding listings of specific Operations Management courses. Change how courses are listed.
      Rationale: Make consistent with the formatting for the other course listings, and make consistent with how required courses are listed for other business majors.

3. THIS PROPOSAL INVOLVES (Please check all that apply)
   ☐ Courses in other colleges ☐ Courses in proposer’s college that are frequently taken by students in other colleges ☐ Flags
   ☐ Course in the core curriculum ☐ Change in course sequencing for an existing program ☒ Courses that have to be added to the inventory
   ☐ Change in admission requirements (external or internal) ☐ Requirements not explicit in the catalog language (e.g., lists of acceptable courses maintained by department office)

4. SCOPE OF PROPOSED CHANGE
   a. Does this proposal impact other colleges/schools? Yes ☐ No ☒
      If yes, then how?
   b. Do you anticipate a net change in the number of students in your college? Yes ☐ No ☒
      If yes, how many more (or fewer) students do you expect?
   c. Do you anticipate a net increase (or decrease) in the number of students from outside of your college taking classes in your college? Yes ☐ No ☒
If yes, please indicate the number of students and/or class seats involved.

d. Do you anticipate a net increase (or decrease) in the number of students from your college taking courses in other colleges?  

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, please indicate the number of students and/or class seats involved.

If 4 a, b, c, or d was answered with yes, please answer the following questions. If the proposal has potential budgetary impacts for another college/school, such as requiring new sections or a non-negligible increase in the number of seats offered, at least one contact must be at the college-level.

How many students do you expect to be impacted?

Impacted schools must be contacted and their response(s) included:

Person communicated with:
Date of communication:
Response:

e. Does this proposal involve changes to the core curriculum or other basic education requirements (42-hour core, signature courses, flags)? If yes, explain: No

If yes, undergraduate studies must be informed of the proposed changes and their response included:

Person communicated with:
Date of communication:
Response:

f. Will this proposal change the number of hours required for degree completion? If yes, explain: No

5. COLLEGE/SCHOOL APPROVAL PROCESS

Department approval date: April 22, 2015  Approved by the Departmental Curriculum Committee
College approval date: May 27, 2015  Approved by the Undergraduate Program Committee  (faculty reps from all departments and programs)
Dean approval date: May 27, 2015  Dean Thomas W. Gilligan

PROPOSED NEW CATALOG TEXT:

Catalogs > Undergraduate > Red McCombs School of Business > Degrees and Programs > Bachelor of Business Administration > Supply Chain Management

SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

The requirements of this program are:

1. The Core Curriculum requirements and the BBA Degree Requirements.
2. Management 336 or 336H (both may fulfill the ethics and leadership flag).
3. [The following courses:] Operations Management 335 or 335H or 334M.
4. Operations Management 337 (Topic 2: Supply Chain Modeling and Optimization) (may fulfill the quantitative reasoning flag), 337 (Topic 3: Procurement and Supplier Management) (may fulfill the writing and independent inquiry flags), 367, and 368.
   [a. Operations Management 337 (Topic 2: Supply Chain Modeling and Optimization) (may carry the quantitative reasoning flag)]
   [b. Operations Management 337 (Topic 3: Procurement and Supplier Management) (may carry the writing and independent inquiry flags)]
   [c. Operations Management 367]
   [d. Operations Management 368]

6. Additional elective coursework, if necessary, to provide a total of at least 120 semester hours.