



Revision Of Undergraduate And Graduate Programs

Format For Review By University Curriculum Committee (UCC) and Graduate Council.

1. Proposing College / School:	College of Education		
Department:	Educ. Found. Lead. and Tech.		
2. Title of Affected Program:	Graduate Certificate - Program Evaluation		
3. CIP Code of Affected Program:	13.0301	4. Proposed Implementation Date:	Fall 2015

(If applicable)

5. Justification:

(Include a concise, yet adequate rationale for the revision of the program, citing accreditation, assessments (faculty, graduate, and/or external) where applicable.)

Requirements are being simplified to be more inclusive of different research methodologies. Additional courses are also included as options.

6. Current Degree Requirements (Including All Formal Options):

(Provide the current curriculum model for the program, as well as for each formal option.)

The Program Evaluation certificate requires completion of 18-21 hours of courses as follows:

Required Courses (9 hrs)

3 hrs ERMA 7210 Theory & Method of Qualitative Research

3 hrs ERMA 8100 Program Evaluation

3 hrs ERMA 8200 -or-- 8206 Survey Research Methods

Choose one of the following group options (6-9 hrs)

Group A

3 hrs ERMA 7300 - or - 7306 Design& Analysis I

3 hrs ERMA 7310 - or - 7316 Design & Analysis II

3 hrs ERMA 8320 Design & Analysis II

Group B

3 hrs ERMA 7300 - or - 7306 Design & Analysis I

3 hrs ERMA 8330 Non-Parametric Data Analysis

Electives

3 hrs EDLD 8200 or other certificate coordinator approved course

7. Proposed Degree Requirements (Including All Formal Options):

(Provide the proposed curriculum model for the program, as well as for each formal option.)

The Program Evaluation certificate requires completion of 18 hours of courses as follows:

Required Courses (9 hrs)

3 hrs ERMA 7210 Theory & Method of Qualitative Research

3 hrs ERMA 8100 Program Evaluation -or- ERMA 8106 Program Evaluation (Distance)

3 hrs ERMA 8200 -or-- ERMA 8206 Survey Research Methods

Research Electives (9 hrs) - choose 9 semester hours from the following list

3 hrs ERMA 7220 - Applied Qualitative Methods -or-

3 hrs ERMA 7310/7316 - Design and Analysis 2 -or-
3 hrs ERMA 7320/7326 - Applied Quantitative Research -or-
3 hrs ERMA 8320/8326 - Design and Analysis 3 -or-
3 hrs ERMA 8330 - Non-Parametric Data Analysis in Educational Research -or-
3 hrs ERMA 8340 - Structural Equation Modeling -or-
3 hrs ERMA 8350 - Advanced Measurement Theory -or-
3 hrs other certificate coordinator approved course (e.g. EDLD 8200, COUN 8300, POLI 8020)

8. New Courses Required:

(Indicate which courses -- if any -- are part of the curriculum that are not currently offered.)

ERMA 8106 is under review

9. Relationship of Proposed Program to Other Auburn University Programs:

(If the proposed program revision affects any other unit and/or covers material offered by another college/school, attach correspondence with relevant unit.)

Will the program revision affect other program(s) and/or units at Auburn University? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Will the program revision replace any existing program(s), or specializations / options / concentrations within existing program(s) at Auburn University? ☐ Yes ☒ No

10. New or Additional Resources / Resource Shifting Required:

(If "yes" for any item, please provide explanation in the space provided below.)

Will additional faculty lines be required? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Will new or additional space (e.g.: laboratory or classroom) be required? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Will additional library resources be required? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Will additional GTA support be required? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Explanation of or provision for new or additional resources / explanation of program's support or replacement of other programs:

11. Distance Education:

(If Distance Education will be incorporated in the delivery of the proposed program, provide details of implementation, scope, etc.)

There are distance education course options available to students in this certificate. With the exception of ERMA 8106 (currently under review), these courses have already been approved to be offered as DE courses, as well as have consistently been offered in that format during the last 5 semesters. Since all courses are housed in the same department, signature of the department head is indication of full support.

Approvals

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11/4/2014

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College / School Curriculum Committee

Date

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