

This template is to be used for proposed name changes included on the Academic Plan and for which the unit has received specific written approval from the Provost's office to proceed with internal proposal development and review. A separate proposal must be submitted for each individual name change. The proposal template should be completed and submitted by the Dean's Office to the University Provost's Office [[mailto: curriculumplanning@asu.edu](mailto:curriculumplanning@asu.edu)]. The name change **may not** be implemented until the Provost's Office notifies the academic unit that the name change proposal has completed the approval process.

College/School/Institute: College of Liberal Arts & Sciences
Department/Division/School: Department of English
Proposing Faculty Group (if applicable) Rhetoric & Composition
Program type: Graduate Concentration
Name of existing program: PhD in English with a concentration in Rhetoric, Composition, and Linguistics
Proposed new name: PhD in English with a concentration in Writing, Rhetorics, and Literacies

Proposal Contact

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DEAN APPROVAL(S)

This proposal has been approved by all necessary unit and College/School levels of review. I recommend implementation of the proposed name change.

College/School/Division Dean name: (See attached)

Signature _____ **Date:** ____ / ____ /20____

College/School/Division Dean name: (if more than one college involved)

Signature _____ **Date:** ____ / ____ /20____

Note: An electronic signature, an email from the dean or dean's designee, or a PDF of the signed signature page is acceptable.

University Approval(s)

Vice Provost for Graduate Education: Andrew N. Webber _____

Signature:  _____ **Date:** 4/2/2014 _____

Provost of the University: Robert E. Page, Jr. _____

Signature: _____ **Date:** ____ / ____ /20____

Name of existing program: PhD in English with a concentration in Rhetoric, Composition, and Linguistics

Proposed new name: PhD in English with a concentration in Writing, Rhetorics, and Literacies

Program type: Graduate Concentration

If graduate/undergraduate degree or concentration is selected, indicate degree type and major (e.g., BA, MBA, PhD)
PhD in English with a concentration in Writing, Rhetorics, and Literacies

Plan code(s) for the program:

If this is a degree program that has multiple concentrations, list all plan codes impacted.

LAENRHTPHD

Requested effective date: (Select Catalog Year)2015-2016

Select the catalog year for which students can begin applying into this program with the new name.

Note:

1. Name changes can only be implemented so as to be effective for a fall semester.
2. All existing and continuing students will be moved to the new name.
3. Students who complete the degree requirements prior to the fall effective date graduate under the old name.

Briefly describe the proposed change and rationale for the change:

The proposed name change is aligned with the request submitted by Karen L. Adams to plan a new degree (PhD in Linguistics and Applied Linguistics). The PhD in English, concentration in Rhetoric, Composition, and Linguistics has been pre-approved for the rename. Once both programs have received final approval through university governance reviews, the new programs will be 1) a PhD in Linguistics and Applied Linguistics; and 2) a PhD in English with a concentration in Writing, Rhetorics, and Literacies.

Discuss the impact of this change on current students and/or enrollment:

All continuing students will have the option to switch to the new PhD in Linguistics and Applied Linguistics degree or to remain in the existing concentration with the new name, if approved. Students who complete the degree requirements before the fall effective date graduate under the old name.

**College of Liberal Arts and Sciences
Approval**

From: Paul LePore [<mailto:Paul.Lepore@asu.edu>]

Sent: Wednesday, March 19, 2014 3:19 PM

To: curriculumplanning@asu.edu

Cc: Jenny Smith; Paul LePore

Subject: Rename program: From: PhD in English (Rhetoric/Composition/Linguistics) To: PhD English (Writing, Rhetorics, and Literacies)

Please accept the attached proposal to rename the PhD in English (Rhetoric/Composition/Linguistics) program to the PhD English (Writing, Rhetorics, and Literacies).

Thank you.

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