



**ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY
PROPOSAL TO CHANGE THE NAME OF AN ACADEMIC PROGRAM
(Degree, concentration, certificate, minor)**

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.

PROGRAM INFORMATION

Name of existing program: Educational Leadership and Policy Studies (PhD)

Proposed name change to: Educational Policy and Evaluation (PhD)

PROPOSAL CONTACT INFORMATION

(Person to contact regarding this proposal)

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DEAN APPROVAL

This proposal has been approved by all necessary unit and College/School levels of review. I recommend implementation of the proposed name change. (Note: An electronic signature, an email from the dean or dean's designee, or a PDF of the signed signature page is acceptable.)

College/School Dean name: Mari Koerner

College/School Dean signature *Mari Koerner* **Date:** 4/27/12

**Executive Vice Provost for
Academic Affairs and** (Joan Brett)
Graduate College Dean Name: for Maria T. Allison

**Executive Vice Provost for
Academic Affairs and**
Graduate College Dean Signature: *Joan F Brett* **Date:** 6/25/12

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PROGRAM INFORMATION

College/School: Mary Lou Fulton Teachers College, Education

Division/School and/or Department: Division of Educational Leadership and Innovation

If this is a program (i.e. offered by more than one department or college) list all the additional units and college/schools that offer the program. Note: All units offering this program must have collaborated in the proposal development and completed the appropriate unit and college/school approvals.

NA

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Proposed name change to: PHD in Educational Policy and Evaluation

Plan code(s) for the program (If a degree program is being disestablished that has multiple concentrations, list all plan codes impacted): EDLDRSHPHD

Projected effective term: Fall 2013

Check type of program to which the name change will apply:

Program Type (Please mark one; submit a separate form for each program requesting the change)	Degree Type (Please mark one; submit a separate form for each program requesting the change)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Degree/major Please indicate all degrees impacted (e.g., BA, BA/BS, PhD): PhD/Educational Leadership and Policy Studies	<input type="checkbox"/> Undergraduate	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Graduate
<input type="checkbox"/> Concentration for an existing degree program Please indicate degree/major:	<input type="checkbox"/> Undergraduate	<input type="checkbox"/> Graduate
<input type="checkbox"/> Minor		
<input type="checkbox"/> Certificate program	<input type="checkbox"/> Undergraduate	<input type="checkbox"/> Graduate

Briefly describe the proposed change and rationale for the change:

Removing Leadership from the title is appropriate in that there are no courses and no training in leadership. Rather, the emphasis, in line with the field, is on evaluation and policy. The College has an approved graduate certificate in Institutional Research, and we expect that emphasis on evaluation could broaden the pool of applicants, address a need in the policy arena, and effectively utilize the expertise of existing faculty as well as researchers in the Learning Sciences Institute.

Impact on current students:

We anticipate no problems with the students as the name change reflects the current program emphasis.

Cover Sheet with Dean's Approval must be accompanied with this form.