This proposal template should be completed and submitted to the University Provost’s Academic Council [mailto: curriculumplanning@asu.edu]. The disestablishment may not be implemented until the Provost’s Office notifies the academic unit that the disestablishment proposal has completed the approval process.

PROGRAM INFORMATION

Name of program to be disestablished: Master of Science (MS) in Kinesiology

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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 program disestablishment. (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: Bernadette Melnyk

College/School Dean signature ___________ Date: 4/19/11

Executive Vice Provost for Academic Affairs and Graduate College Dean Name: Maria T. Allison 5/2/2011

Executive Vice Provost for Academic Affairs and Graduate College Dean Signature: ___________ Date: 5/2/2011
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Plan code(s) for the program (If a degree program is being disestablished that has multiple concentrations, list all plan codes impacted): LAKINEMS

Projected effective term: Select term and year: Fall 2011

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Briefly describe the rationale for disestablishment:
During Spring 2010 semester, the Department of Kinesiology (KIN) was disestablished; the Master of Science (MS) in Kinesiology degree program was transferred to the College of Nursing and Health Innovation. At that time, the Provost's office indicated that Kinesiology was to transition to an undergraduate program – only those graduate students currently enrolled in Kinesiology degree programs were to be supported. No new Kinesiology graduate students were to be accepted into the program. The MS in Kinesiology has been inactive for several years (no new MS in KIN students accepted since 2007).

Impact on other existing programs: Could include availability of course content for students in other majors who may need it; other. At this time, there are no majors that require any graduate level KIN course. The majority of courses that had formed the basis of the MS in Kinesiology were [a] cross-listed with 400 level KIN courses that are still offered or [b] omnibus 500 level courses that were based on a rotation of special topics reflecting the interests/expertise of the instructor.

Impact on current students: Estimate number of students still enrolled; anticipated date of last graduates; arrangements for continuing students and students in articulated transfer pathways (ex. MAPP, TAG).
There is one student currently enrolled in the MS in Kinesiology program. That student has applied to graduate in May 2011.

**Additional information:** Provide any relevant information not required above that will assist in evaluating the proposal.
As noted above, most of the courses taken by previous MS in Kinesiology students were cross-listed with 400-level counterparts; those courses remain available for qualified ASU students to take.