



ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY
PROPOSAL TO CHANGE THE NAME OF AN ACADEMIC PROGRAM

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PROGRAM INFORMATION

Name of existing program: BS in Construction

Proposed name change to: BS in Construction Management

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: Deirdre R. Meldrum, Dean

College/School Dean signature [Signature] Date: 3/11/10
Paul C. Johnson, Executive Dean

College/School Dean name:

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**PROGRAM INFORMATION**

**College/School:** Ira A. Fulton Schools of Engineering

**Division/School and/or Department:** School of Sustainable Engineering and the Built Environment

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

This is not a joint degree

**Name of existing program:** Bachelor of Science in Construction

**Proposed name change to:** Bachelor of Science in Construction Management

**Projected effective term:** Fall and year: 2010

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

<b>Program Type</b> (Please mark one; submit a separate form for each program requesting the change)	<b>Degree Type</b> (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): BS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Undergraduate	<input 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:**

The change of this undergraduate degree name to "BS in Construction Management" is more consistent with our school's mission, direction, vision, and curriculum. Most construction-related programs such as ours that are accredited by the American Council of Construction Education (ACCE) are named "construction management". This change will also differentiate this program from the new construction engineering program that is proposed for fall 2010.

**Impact on current students:** In general, all students with a "catalog year" for the program prior to the effective date will maintain the current name of the program regardless of when they complete the requirements. If a current student wants to have the new title for their program, they may change their catalog year/program code to align with the date of the title change.

The new degree name will be applicable only for those who are in the 2010-2011 catalog year and forward. Current students who wish to graduate under this new degree name will need to move to a catalog year of 2010-2011 or forward.

The change in the degree name would have a positive significant impact on students. The change would allow for students to become more marketable with their degree as the name would best reflect the curriculum content that they have studied.