PROPOSAL TO DISESTABLISH AN ACADEMIC PROGRAM (Degree, concentration, certificate, minor)

This template is to be used for proposed disestablishments included on the Academic Plan and for which the unit has received specific written approval from the Office of the University Provost to proceed with internal proposal development and review. This proposal template should be completed and submitted by the Dean’s Office to the Office of the University Provost [mailto: curriculumplanning@asu.edu]. The disestablishment may not be implemented until the Office of the University Provost notifies the academic unit that the disestablishment proposal has completed the approval process.

UNIT AND PROGRAM INFORMATION

College/School/Institute: Ira A. Fulton Schools of Engineering
Department/Division/School: The Polytechnic School
Proposing Faculty Group (if applicable): Department of Technological Entrepreneurship and Management

Proposal Contact
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Existing Program Information

Program Type: Degree
Academic Level: Graduate
Degree Type: Other If other specify MSTech
Name: Technology
Concentration: (Global Technology and Entrepreneurship)

Plan code(s) for the program:
If this is a degree program that has multiple concentrations, list all program names and plan codes impacted.
TSGEMSTECH

Implementation information: Degree Search is our official record of the academic catalog. Therefore, all academic programs which are active and have students enrolled are required to be listed on Degree Search. Upon request by the Dean's Office, an academic program can be removed from the undergraduate or graduate application; however, the program will remain in degree search with the notation “This program is no longer accepting applications,” until the approved effective date of the disestablishment.

Requested effective date: 2017-18

Briefly describe the rationale for disestablishment:
This degree has low enrollments and has not been competitive in the market place. Currently, the Technological Entrepreneurship and Management program has the MSTech in Technology (Management of Technology) program with higher enrollment. The faculty and School believe it is a better use of resources to disestablish the MSTech in Technology (Global Technology and Entrepreneurship) program and promote the MSTech in Technology (Management of Technology) program.

Impact on other existing programs:
May include availability of course content for students in other majors who may need it; other.
This disestablishment will not have an impact on any other majors in FSE or ASU. All course work for this degree is part of the MSTech in Technology (Management of Technology) and is available to students needing it.
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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 (e.g., MAPP, TAG).
There is one student left in this program with a scheduled graduation date of Spring 2017.

Applications:
What term should applications close? If this change should be made immediately upon approval, please indicate this. Please note that the program will remain on Degree Search until such a time that no students remain enrolled in the program.
Immediately upon approval of the disestablishment.

Current applicants:
Describe actions that will be taken regarding admitted students or students who have applied to this program? If current applicants should be moved to a new program, please indicate the plan code of that program.
The remaining student in this program will graduate on time with the required courses. If necessary, acceptable substitutions will be made with the help and consent of graduate advising.

Additional information:
Provide any relevant information not required above that will assist in evaluating the proposal.
This degree program was established under the College of Technology and Innovation and was marketed as a technology degree with emphasis on STEM classes. It has struggled to receive acceptance in the market place and the resources required to administer this degree can be used to promote the MSTech in Technology (Management of Technology) program offered by the department.

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: James S. Collofello

Signature: [Signature]
Date: 3/12/2017
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)

Dean of the Graduate College
Name:
Signature: [Signature]
Date: 3/12/2017

Vice Provost for Undergraduate Education
Name:
Signature: [Signature]
Date: 1/20/20