

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:** Walter Cronkite School of Journalism and Mass Comm

**Department/Division/School:** Journalism and Mass Communication

**Proposing Faculty Group**  
(if applicable):

**Proposal Contact**

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**Existing Program Information**

**Program Type:** Certificate **Academic Level:** Graduate

**Degree Type:** Certificate *If other specify*

**Name:** Business Journalism **Concentration (if applicable)** ( )

**Plan code(s) for the program:**

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

**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:** 2018-19

**Briefly describe the rationale for disestablishment:**

This program has been inactive and has not accepted any applications or enrollment since Fall 2015. In its place, the Conkrite School launched an online Master of Science Business Journalism program in Fall 2017

**Impact on other existing programs:**

May include availability of course content for students in other majors who may need it; other.  
 N/A

**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).

Zero students are enrolled in this certificate program. A total of 10 student were accepted to the program between Fall 2014 and Fall 2015, but no students are currently enrolled in the certificate. At this time, all students matriculated to this certificate program are in 'Discontinued' status, and will not be impacted by the disestablishment. No arrangements need to be made for current or future students.

**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.

Disestablishment should be immediate. This program has not accepted applications since Fall 2015.

**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.

There are no current applicants for this certificate.

**Additional information:**

Provide any relevant information not required above that will assist in evaluating the proposal.

<b>DEAN APPROVAL(S)</b>	
<p><b>This proposal has been approved by all necessary unit and College/School levels of review. I recommend implementation of the proposed name change.</b></p>	
<p><b>College/School/Division Dean name:</b></p>	<p><b>Signature</b> _____ <b>Date:</b> <u>3/15/2018</u></p>
<p><b>College/School/Division Dean name:</b> <i>(if more than one college involved)</i></p>	<p><b>Signature</b> _____ <b>Date:</b> <u> / /20</u></p>
<p><i>Note: An electronic signature, an email from the dean or dean's designee, or a PDF of the signed signature page is acceptable.</i></p>	
<b>University Approval(s)</b>	
<p><b>Dean, Graduate College Name:</b> Alfredo Artiles</p>	<p><b>Signature:</b> _____ <b>Date:</b> <u>4/13/2018</u></p>
<p><b>Vice Provost for Undergraduate Education Name:</b></p>	<p><b>Signature:</b> _____ <b>Date:</b> <u> / /20</u></p>