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 Office of the University Provost to proceed with internal proposal development and review. A separate proposal must be submitted for each individual name change. The proposal template should be completed and submitted by the Dean’s Office to the Office of the University Provost [mailto:curriculumplanning@asu.edu]. The name change may not be implemented until the Office of the University Provost notifies the academic unit that the name change proposal has completed the approval process.

College/School/Institute: Herberger Institute for Design and the Arts
Department/Division/School: Music Education/School of Music

Proposing Faculty Group (if applicable): Music Education Faculty

Proposal Contact

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Existing Program Information

Program Type: Degree  Academic Level: Graduate
Degree Type: Other If other specify PhD
Name: PhD in Music
Concentration (if applicable) (Music Education)

Proposed Program Name

Name: PhD in Music  Concentration (if applicable) (Music Learning and Teaching)

Plan code(s) for the program:
If this is a degree program that has multiple concentrations, list all program names and plan codes impacted.
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Requested effective date: 2020-21
Select the catalog year for which students can begin applying into this program with the new name.
Note:
1. Name changes can only be implemented so as to be effective for a fall semester.
2. All existing and continuing students will be moved to the new name.
3. Students who complete the degree requirements prior to the fall effective date graduate under the old name.
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Briefly describe the proposed change and rationale for the change:
The School of Music proposes a name change to the PhD in Music, Music Education concentration to Music Learning and Teaching. This change communicates how the program addresses music learning and teaching in the most inclusive and diverse settings possible. The name change also avoids misperceptions that the program focuses solely on K-12 music education. The phrase music education has strong associations with K-12 contexts. While the PhD program focuses on K-12 teacher education and research, it also includes research about music learning and teaching not solely based in K-12 schools.

Discuss the impact of this change on current students and/or enrollment:
The name change will not impact our students or their curriculum. The name change implies a more expansive application for our program outcomes: music learning and teaching is for multiple music education venues beyond just K-12 schools.

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: Steven Tepper

Signature: ___________ Date: 10/13/2019

College/School/Division Dean name: (If more than one college involved)

Signature: ___________ Date: ___________

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)

Graduate College (If applicable)

Name: ___________

Signature: ___________ Date: ___________

Office of the University Provost

Name: ___________

Signature: ___________ Date: ___________
We have no concerns about the name change to any of these programs.

Best-

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On Nov 16, 2019, at 4:03 PM, Heather Landes <Heather.Landes@asu.edu> wrote:

Dear Dean Bastille,

The music education faculty in the School of Music are in the process of changing the name of the area and all degrees to Music Learning and Teaching.

They explain their rationale in the proposal, “This change communicates how the program addresses music learning and teaching in the most inclusive and diverse settings possible. The name change also avoids misperceptions that the program focuses solely on K-12 music education. The phrase music education has strong associations with K-12 contexts. While the undergraduate and graduate programs lead to K-12 certification, it now prepares students for varied career pathways that may or may not include K-12 schools.”

The Provost’s Office has requested that we obtain an impact statement from the Mary Lou Fulton Teachers College for the undergraduate degree name change. I’ve also added the MM and PhD name change documents to this in the event that the Graduate College also requests an impact statement for these name changes as well.

Can you please review this with your college and let me know if you have any questions? We’d like to submit the impact statement by December 1.

Sincerely,

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