Course Withdrawals





DEPARTMENT OF ECOSYSTEM SCIENCE AND MANGEMENT

TO:

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Ecosystem Science and Management

FROM:

Dr. Tom Boutton, Associate Department Head for Graduate Programs

Ecosystem Science and Management

DATE:

July 12, 2013

SUBJECT:

Request to eliminate the Certificate Program in Tree Improvement

The Department of Ecosystem Science and Management would like to administratively remove the Certificate Program in Tree Improvement from the existing inventory of certificate programs. We request this change due to lack of student interest in the certificate and lack of forestry faculty available to provide teaching and mentoring in support of the program.

As is clear in the attached correspondence with Dr. Tom Byram, who was involved in establishing the certificate, since the program's inception, no certificates have been awarded. Only one applicable class has been taught—and that only one time as a special topics course. The program was never fully developed, and there is no evidence that this certificate has been active for several years. For this reason, there is no reason to keep it moving forward.

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Texas A&M University Departmental Request for a Change in Course Undergraduate • Graduate • Professional

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GRADUATE STUDIES

l.	Request submitted by (Department or Program Name):			
2.	Course prefix, number and complete title of course: MARA 650 Distribution Logistics	·····		
3.	Attach a brief supporting statement for changes made to items 3a thru 3d, and 6 below. Change requested	0254		
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	a. Prerequisite(s): From: To: b. Withdrawal (reason):			
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	d. Change in course title and description. Enter complete current course title and current course description in item 5; enter propose course title and proposed course description in item 6. Complete item 7 for change in title.	d		
	e. Change in course number, contact hours (lab & lecture), and semester credit hours. Complete item 7. Attach a course syllabus.			
4.	For informational purposes only, please indicate course number if this course will be stacked:			
5.	Complete current course title and current catalog course description: Distribution Logistics			
	The course discusses contemporary distribution logistics and integrated supply chain management. Emphasis is given to customer service, transportation modes, inventory policies, warehousing, order processing, and optimizing the logistics gross margin.			
6.	Complete proposed course title and proposed catalog course description (not to exceed 50 words): Supply Chain Management			
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	Submitted to Coordinating Board by:	Date		
_	Associate Director, Curricular Services Date Effective Date			