

# Program Change Request

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Viewing: **SCMTPH : Business Administration  
(Supply Chain Management), Doctor of  
Philosophy**

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Catalog Pages Using  
this Program

[Supply Chain Management \(SCMT\)](#)

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Program Status Active

Academic Level Graduate

Type of proposal Major/Field of Study

Select a reason for this modification

Making Minor Changes to an Existing Certificate or Degree (e.g. changing 15 or fewer hours, changing admission/graduation requirements, adding/changing Focused Study or Track)

Are you adding a concentration?

No

Are you adding or modifying a track?

No

Are you adding or modifying a focused study?

No

Effective Catalog Year Fall 2022

## In Workflow

1. WCOB Dean Initial
2. GRAD Dean Initial
3. Director of Curriculum Review and Program Assessment
4. Registrar Initial
5. Institutional Research
6. SCMT Chair
7. WCOB Curriculum Committee
8. WCOB Faculty
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10. Global Campus
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12. University Course and Program Committee
13. Graduate Council
14. Faculty Senate
15. Provost Final
16. Registrar Final
17. Catalog Editor Final

## Approval Path

1. 09/02/21 11:39 am  
Alan Ellstrand  
(aellstra): Approved for WCOB Dean Initial
2. 09/02/21 4:38 pm  
Jim Gigantino  
(jgiganti): Approved

College/School Code

Walton College of Business (WCOB)

Department Code

Department of Supply Chain Management (SCMT)

Program Code

SCMTPH

Degree

Doctor of Philosophy

CIP Code

for GRAD Dean

Initial

3. 09/03/21 9:41 am  
Alice Griffin  
(agriffin): Rollback  
to Initiator
4. 11/03/21 12:04 pm  
Alan Ellstrand  
(aellstra): Approved  
for WCOB Dean  
Initial
5. 11/03/21 2:38 pm  
Pat Koski (pkoski):  
Approved for GRAD  
Dean Initial
6. 11/03/21 4:20 pm  
Alice Griffin  
(agriffin): Approved  
for Director of  
Curriculum Review  
and Program  
Assessment
7. 11/09/21 12:49 pm  
Gina Daugherty  
(gdaugher):  
Approved for  
Registrar Initial
8. 11/09/21 4:03 pm  
Doug Miles  
(dmiles): Approved  
for Institutional  
Research
9. 11/30/21 6:37 am  
Brian Fugate  
(bsfugate):  
Approved for SCMT  
Chair
10. 11/30/21 7:47 am  
Alan Ellstrand  
(aellstra): Approved

for WCOB  
Curriculum  
Committee

11. 11/30/21 7:48 am  
Alan Ellstrand  
(aellstra): Approved  
for WCOB Faculty
12. 11/30/21 7:48 am  
Alan Ellstrand  
(aellstra): Approved  
for WCOB Dean
13. 11/30/21 9:15 am  
Suzanne Kenner  
(skenner): Approved  
for Global Campus
14. 11/30/21 4:17 pm  
Ketevan  
Mamiseishvili  
(kmamisei):  
Approved for  
Provost Review
15. 12/20/21 8:46 am  
Alice Griffin  
(agriffin): Approved  
for University  
Course and Program  
Committee
16. 01/21/22 9:30 am  
Jim Gigantino  
(jgiganti): Approved  
for Graduate  
Council

## History

1. Jun 10, 2015 by  
Charlie Alison  
(calison)
2. May 25, 2017 by  
Karen Turner  
(kjvestal)

3. May 21, 2019 by Karen Boston (kboston)
4. May 28, 2020 by Charlie Alison (calison)
5. Jul 16, 2020 by Lisa Kulczak (lkulcza)

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Program Title

Business Administration (Supply Chain Management), Doctor of Philosophy

Program Delivery

Method

On Campus

Is this program interdisciplinary?

No

Does this proposal impact any courses from another College/School?

No

What are the total hours needed to complete the program? 70

## Program Requirements and Description

Requirements

**Admission Requirements: Students must apply to the Graduate School of Business (GSB) and meet the requirements of both Graduate School and International Education and GSB. Students must be admitted by the departmental admissions committee.**

**Program Requirements** Program Requirements: The PhD program is composed of 70 credit hours. Up to 3 credit hours of prior coursework may be applied to the requirements for the Business Administration (Supply Chain Management) field of study with the recommendation and consent of the student’s Ph.D. Program Advisory Committee.

Required Courses

SCMT 601V Graduate Colloquium

Students will enroll in the departmental doctoral colloquium (SCMT 601V) each semester. In addition,

students will be expected to complete two summer research papers during the first and second summer term.

<u>WCOB 6111</u> Seminar in Business Administration Teaching I	1
Select five courses from the following:	15
<u>SCMT 6413</u> Fundamentals of Logistics and Supply Chain Management	
<u>SCMT 6433</u> Supply Chain Management Research	
<u>SCMT 6443</u> Theory in Supply Chain Management	
<u>SCMT 6453</u> Behavioral Supply Chain Management	
<u>SCMT 6463</u> Research in Retail Supply Chain Management	
<u>SCMT 6473</u> Emerging Topics in Supply Chain Management	
<u>SCMT 6483</u> Supply Chain Economics	
<b><u>SCMT 6513</u> Course SCMT 6513 Not Found (Contemporary Research in Service Supply Chain Management)</b>	
<b><u>SCMT 6523</u> Course SCMT 6523 Not Found (Theory-Driven Archival Supply Chain Management Research)</b>	
Supporting Fields	9
Research Requirements	15
Select five courses from the following:	
<u>ISYS 5203</u> Experimental Design prior course work may be applied toward this requirement	
<u>ISYS 5723</u> Advanced Multivariate Analysis	
<u>ECON 6613</u> Econometrics I	
<u>ECON 6623</u> Econometrics II	
<u>ECON 6633</u> Econometrics III	
<u>MKTG 6433</u> Seminar in Research Methods	
Dissertation	
<u>SCMT 700V</u> Doctoral Dissertation	18
Total Hours	70

## Supporting Courses

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Courses for the supporting fields requirement are made in consultation with the student's Ph.D. Program Advisory Committee. All courses taken for the supporting fields must be at the graduate level and/or taken for graduate credit. A minimum of six hours should be taken in graduate research seminars.

## Candidacy Exam

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Students must take a candidacy examination at the end of their second year in the program. The exam will have two components: a written component that will be administered over a two-day period, and an oral exam. Successful completion of both parts of the comprehensive exam are required for admission to candidacy. Students must complete a minimum of 72 graduate credit hours beyond the bachelor's degree and 42 graduate credit hours beyond the master's degree. Additional hours may be assessed in individual cases to meet specific coursework deficiencies.

Find a complete list of the university's [Graduate School degree requirements](#).

Are Similar Programs available in the area?

No

Estimated Student Demand for Program NA

Scheduled Program 2021-2022

Review Date

Program Goals and

Objectives

**Program Goals and Objectives**

The PhD program in Supply Chain Management has the goal of preparing students for an academic career. In support of this goal, the program has the objectives that graduates will have the content expertise and methodological skills to be proficient in the creation and dissemination of knowledge in supply chain management. They will also gain the professional socialization that will enable them to assimilate and be successful as scholars. ~~NA~~

Learning Outcomes

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Graduates will be able to:

- Use a theory-based approach to conceptualize research problems in Supply Chain Management and related disciplines.
- Use empirical research methodologies to build and test theories in Supply Chain Management and related disciplines.
- Appropriately communicate knowledge of Supply Chain and related disciplines orally and in writing to audiences including students, academics, and practitioners.

~~NA~~

Description and justification of the request

Description of specific change	Justification for this change
<p>Added SCMT 6513 and 6523 as possible choices under the required course list.</p> <p>Updated the admissions paragraph to refer students to a centralized Graduate School of Business catalog page for information.</p> <p>Added the Program Goals and Objectives and Learning Outcomes previously missing from the degree listing.</p>	<p>Standardizing two previous subjects taught under Special Topics as permanent research options for required coursework.</p> <p>The Graduate School of Business has standardized a new, central page for all graduate business admission requirements.</p>

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Reviewer Comments

**Alice Griffin (agriffin) (09/03/21 9:41 am):** Rollback: Please insert program goals and student learning outcomes, which should be available from the current AOL for the BADMPH. Also, please submit two new courses into the approval workflow before submitting the program change.

**Alice Griffin (agriffin) (11/03/21 4:20 pm):** ATTENTION: Due to the changes to the admission criteria, this minor program change will require campus approval.

**Alice Griffin (agriffin) (11/03/21 4:20 pm):** Courses in red have been submitted for approval.