

Program Change Request

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

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Program Status Active

Academic Level Undergraduate

Type of proposal Minor

Select a reason for this modification

Requesting Approval to Offer an Existing Certificate or Degree via Distance
Technology—(LON 13)

Effective Catalog Year Spring 2019

College/School Code
Walton College of Business(WCOB)

Department Code
Department of Supply Chain Management(SCMT)

Program Code WSCM-M

Degree Minor

CIP Code

In Workflow

1. WCOB Dean Initial
2. Provost Initial
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Approval
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21. Catalog Editor Final

Approval Path

1. 04/05/18 7:40 pm

- Karen Boston
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2. 04/07/18 10:22 am
Terry Martin
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for Provost Initial
3. 04/08/18 9:20 pm
Alice Griffin
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Program
Assessment and
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4. 04/09/18 4:55 pm
Lisa Kulczak
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for Registrar Initial
5. 04/09/18 8:32 pm
Gary Gunderman
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Research
6. 04/10/18 7:11 am
Brian Fugate
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Karen Boston
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Committee
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9. 04/10/18 1:16 pm

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10. 04/10/18 2:24 pm
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11. 04/11/18 9:58 am
Terry Martin
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12. 04/22/18 5:44 pm
Alice Griffin
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Course and Program
Committee

History

1. Mar 18, 2015 by
Karen Boston
(kboston)
2. Mar 20, 2018 by
Karen Boston
(kboston)

52.0203 - Logistics, Materials, and Supply Chain Management.

Program Title

Supply Chain Management Minor for Business Majors

Program Delivery

Method

On Campus

Online/Web-based

Is this program interdisciplinary?

No

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

No

What are the total 15

hours needed to
complete the
program?

On-line/Web-based Information

Reason for offering

Web-based Program

The market has moved to online programming to supplement face-to-face courses and/or add to a college's educational offerings. More and more of our peer and aspirant colleges of business have moved to some form of online programming (see for example, <http://www.businessinsider.com/harvard-business-school-online-courses-2013-10>). In addition, offering a degree online strategically positions the College to capture new markets (e.g., students abroad, degree completion, and adult learners). Supply Chain Undergraduate Degree Labor & Market Analysis suggests strong growth for the supply chain labor market. There are seven universities offering online SCMT Bachelor of Science degrees. Cohort schools (SEC and Land-Grant Universities) do not offer online undergraduate degrees in this concentration. There are few state and regional universities that offer supply chain bachelor's degrees (face-to-face or online), which provides an opportunity to serve the needs of the state and region. This is one of the few fields in which Arkansas wage rates are among the highest in the nation. The program also has significant opportunities internationally. The minor for business majors supports college and university interdisciplinary efforts, and provides flexibility for students. All courses are already developed or are in development and being offered online.

Maximum Class Size **60**

for Web-based

Courses

Course delivery
mode

Method(s)
Online

Class interaction
mode

Method(s):
Electronic Bulletin Boards

Percent Online

100% with No Required Campus Component

Provide a List of
Services Supplied by
Consortia Partners or
Outsourced

Organization

N/A

Estimate Costs of the Program over the First 3 Years

N/A All courses are already developed or are in development and being offered online.

List Courses Taught by Adjunct Faculty

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Memorandum of Understanding Forms (if required)

Program Requirements and Description

Requirements

Supply Chain Management Minor for Business Students

The Department of Supply Chain Management offers a minor for Walton College students desiring more knowledge of supply chain management to assist them in their careers. The minor requires the completion of 15 hours of study from the following courses:

[SCMT 3443](#) Transportation and Distribution Management 3

[SCMT 3613](#) Supply Management 3

Select three classes from the following: 9

[ISYS 4213](#) ERP Fundamentals

[SCMT 3623](#) Advanced Inventory Management and Forecasting

[SCMT 3633](#) Behavioral Supply Chain Management

[SCMT 3643](#) International Transportation and Logistics

[SCMT 3653](#) Retail Supply Chain Analysis

[SCMT 4003H](#) Honors Supply Chain Management Colloquium (Irregular)

[SCMT 4103](#) Special Topics in Supply Chain Management (Irregular)

[SCMT 4123](#) Sustainable Logistics and Supply Chain Management (Irregular)

[SCMT 4633](#) Logistics Provider and Carrier Management (Sp, Fa)

[SCMT 4653](#) Supply Chain Strategy (Sp, Fa)

[SCMT 4853](#) Cross-Sector Collaboration for Sustainability (Sp)

Students may also use up to 3 hours of a Walton College Study Abroad course ([WCOB 330V](#)) in Panama or China and/or 3 hours of cooperative education ([WCOB 310V](#)) in supply chain management toward the minor.

Total Hours

15

Students who desire to earn a Supply Chain Management minor must notify the Walton College Undergraduate Programs Office of intent to pursue a minor. All requirements for the minor must be completed prior to the awarding of the student’s undergraduate degree. All specific course prerequisites must be met. Each student must have a 2.00 cumulative grade-point average in the courses offered for the minor. All upper level minor requirements must be taken in residence.

8-Semester Plan

Are Similar Programs available in the area?

No

Estimated Student Demand for Program **30-35 n/a**

Scheduled Program Review Date n/a

Program Goals and Objectives

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n/a

Learning Outcomes

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n/a

Description and justification of the request

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[Supply Chain Management Online Minors for Business Majors Syllabi.pdf](#)

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Reviewer Comments

Alice Griffin (agriffin) (04/08/18 9:20 pm): Inserted approval dates into the LON.

Alice Griffin (agriffin) (04/11/18 1:47 pm): Inserted estimated student demand with input from submitter. Renamed document to match naming convention for BOT materials.

Alice Griffin (agriffin) (04/13/18 9:02 am): Incorrectly uploaded the wrong program's LON - SCMT-M. Uploaded the correct program's LON for WSCM-M.

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