Graduate Faculty Executive Committee Actions
Academic Year 2020-2021

Notices of Intent
• MS-Sports Leadership (December 2020)

Established

Doctoral/Master’s Degrees
• Information PhD. Effective Fall 2021. (December 2020)
• MS-Environmental Remediation and Management. Effective Fall 2021. (December 2020)
• MS-Sports Leadership. Effective Fall 2022. (March 2021)

Named Options
• MS-Psychology Named Option “Data Science in Human Behavior”. Effective Fall 2021. (October 2020)
• MS-Psychology Named Option “Research”. Effective Fall 2021. (October 2020)
• MS-Pharmaceutical Science Named Option “Psychoactive Pharmaceutical Investigation”. Effective Fall 2021. (January 2021)

Doctoral Minors
• Medieval Studies. Effective Fall 2021. (May 2021)

Graduate/Professional Certificates
• Applied Bioinformatics. Effective Fall 2021. (December 2020)
• Global Health Online. Effective Fall 2021. (January 2021)
• Science Communication. Effective Fall 2021. (February 2021)

Capstone Certificates
• Clinical and Health Informatics. Effective Summer 2021. (October 2020)
• French Studies for Teachers. Effective Summer 2021. (November 2020)
• Applied Bioinformatics. Effective Fall 2021. (December 2020)
• Global Health Online. Effective Fall 2021. (January 2021)
• Psychoactive Pharmaceutical Investigation. Effective Fall 2021. (January 2021)

Renamed

Doctoral/Master’s Degrees/Doctoral Minor
• “Zoology” to “Integrative Biology” for PhD/MS/Doctoral Minor. Effective Fall 2021. (March 2021)

Substantially Redirect

Doctoral/Master’s Degrees
• MBA-Business: Marketing. Effective Fall 2022. (May 2021)

Named Options
• MS-Educational Psychology Named Option “Professional Educator”. Effective Fall 2021. (January 2021)
Admitting Status Changed
None

Admissions Suspended

Doctoral/Master’s Degrees
• MS-Biometry. Effective Fall 2021. (March 2021)
• MBA-Business: Arts Administration. Effective Fall 2022. (April 2021)

Named Options
• MBA-Business: General Management Named Option “Evening MBA.” Effective Fall 2021. (October 2020)
• MS-Agricultural and Applied Economics Named Option “Resource and Energy Demand Analysis”. Effective Fall 2021. (March 2021)
• MBA-Business: Marketing Named Option “Marketing Analytics and Insights”. Effective Fall 2022. (May 2021)
• MBA-Business: Marketing Named Option “Product Management”. Effective Fall 2022. (May 2021)

Graduate/Professional Certificates
• Public Humanities. Effective Fall 2021. (April 2021)

Capstone Certificates
• Global Health. Effective Fall 2021. (January 2021)

Discontinued

Doctoral/Master’s Degrees
• Development PhD. Effective Fall 2025. (December 2020)
• MS-Biometry. Effective Fall 2023. (March 2021)
• PhD-Classical and Ancient Near Eastern Studies Named Option “Hebrew Bible”. Effective Fall 2022. (March 2021)
• MBA-Business: Arts Administration. Effective Fall 2024. (April 2021)

Named Options
• MS-Agricultural and Applied Economics Named Option “Resource and Energy Demand Analysis”. Effective Fall 2021. (March 2021)
• MA-Classical and Ancient Near Eastern Studies Named Option “Hebrew Bible”. Effective Fall 2021. (March 2021)
• MBA-Business: Marketing Named Option “Marketing Analytics and Insights”. Effective Fall 2023. (May 2021)
• MBA-Business: Marketing Named Option “Product Management”. Effective Fall 2023. (May 2021)

Doctoral Minors
• Development. Effective Fall 2021. (December 2020)
Capstone Certificates

- Nurse Educator. Effective Spring 2021. (September 2020)
- Clinical Nurse Specialist-Adult/Gerontology. Effective Spring 2021. (September 2020)
- Global Health. Effective Summer 2024. (January 2021)

Three-Year Check-Ins

Doctoral/Master’s Degrees

- Occupational Therapy OTD (November 2020)

Named Options

- MS-Electrical Engineering Named Option “Machine Learning and Signal Processing”. (November 2020)
- MS-Mechanical Engineering Named Option “Automotive Engineering”. (November 2020)
- MS-Industrial Engineering Named Option “Systems Engineering and Analytics”. (November 2020)
- MS-Industrial Engineering Named Option “Human Factors and Health Systems Engineering”. (November 2020)
- ME-Engineering Named Option “Engineering Data Analytics”. (December 2020)

Capstone Certificates

- User Experience Design. (January 2021)

Discussion

- Proposal to remove current question #2 on the 3-year Check-in form and replace with:
  “Please reflect on the diversity of your student population using the data provided by the Graduate School. What efforts have you made to recruit a diverse student population, and what inclusion efforts have you made to ensure the success of the diverse population of students in the program? What areas of opportunity exist for future recruitment of diverse populations? (See here for Institutional statement and working definition of diversity.” (September 2020)
- Graduate School’s guidance and communications during COVID (October 2020)
- Additions to Lumen Proposals: Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion questions (November 2020)
- Discontinuation of the Department of Comparative Literature and Folklore Studies (November 2020)
- Graduate Student Experience Survey presentation (December 2020)
- GFEC term lengths (January 2021)
- Breadth Policy (February 2021)
- Request to approve addition and modifications to the UW-1200 Policy on Minor/Breadth Requirement in Doctoral Training. Effective for students becoming dissertators beginning Fall 2021. (March 2021)
- Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Self-Assessment Summary (April 2021)