

GRADUATE COUNCIL: PROPOSAL FOR CHANGE IN EXISTING COURSE/PROGRAM

Originating Unit

Type of action: change in course change in program

Type of change requested:

Number

Course Title

Description

Prerequisite(s) Program

Drop Course

Requirements

Drop Program*

Other, please specify

**A SACSCOC Drop Program Justification form will need to be completed*

Semester and year course/program will take effect:

Course instructional methodology:

course component types: [ugradcouncil.tcu.edu/forms/Course Component Types.pdf](http://ugradcouncil.tcu.edu/forms/Course%20Component%20Types.pdf)

Current name:

Proposed name:

Appropriate computer abbreviation (30 spaces or less):

Programs Only

Current program code:

(ex:EDCE-PHD)

Proposed code (list 2)

or

Current CIP code:

Does the change require a new or change in CIP code: Yes No

If yes, what is the proposed new CIP code:

*for reference please visit: nces.ed.gov/ipeds/cipcode/resources.aspx?y=56

Is the program already considered TCU STEM: Yes No

Does the change include a request to be a TCU STEM program: Yes No

Description of change (omit if dropping a course or program):

Present Catalog Copy

Proposed Catalog Copy:

Supporting evidence or justification:

Explain how the change(s) will affect the current outcomes and assessment mechanisms?

Additional resources required

Faculty:

Space:

Equipment:

Library:

Financial Aid:

Other:

Change in teaching load:

Does this change affect any other units of the University? Yes No

If yes, submit supporting statement signed by chair of affected unit.

If cross-listed, provide evidence of approval by all curriculum committees appropriate to both the originating and the cross-listed units.

Chair of Originating Unit:

Name:

Unit:

Signature:

Proposed catalog copy with marked-up changes:

Psychology

Students may pursue the Master of Arts, Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy in Experimental Psychology, and a Master of Science in Developmental Trauma. A minor in Quantitative Psychology is also available.

Students who want only a master's degree in psychology and do not plan to complete the doctoral program at TCU are not typically accepted **into the Experimental Psychology program.**

Prerequisites for the MA and MS Degrees in Experimental Psychology: BA or BS in Psychology or a 24-hour equivalent.

Prerequisites for the MS Degree in Developmental Trauma: The Developmental Trauma program is designed for students with background in psychology, child development or a related field.

Prerequisites for the Ph.D. Degree in Experimental Psychology: BA or BS in Psychology or a 24-hour equivalent.

~~The GRE is required but with no minimum score expectation. The GRE score is part of a holistic review of each application and official documentation is required.~~

Students with majors in other disciplines will be considered upon request, but may be required to make up any deficiencies in their undergraduate preparations.

National Honor Society

The Department of Psychology sponsors the TCU chapter of Psi Chi, national honorary society for psychology.