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Institution Submitting Request: Utah Valley University
Proposed Title: Department of Engineering Design Technology
Currently Approved Title: Department of Engineering Graphics and Design Technology
School or Division or Location: College of Technology and Computing
Department(s) or Area(s) Location: Department of Engineering Graphics and Design Technology
Proposed Beginning Date (for new programs): Fall 2016
Institutional Board of Trustees' Approval Date: Pending

Proposal Type (check all that apply):

| Regents' General Consent Calendar Items | |
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| <i>R401-5 OCHE Review and Recommendation; Approval on General Consent Calendar</i> | |
| SECTION NO. | ITEM |
| 5.1.1 | <input type="checkbox"/> Minor* |
| 5.1.2 | <input type="checkbox"/> Emphasis* |
| 5.2.1 | <input type="checkbox"/> Certificate of Proficiency* |
| 5.2.3 | <input type="checkbox"/> Graduate Certificate* |
| 5.4.1 | <input type="checkbox"/> New Administrative Unit |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Administrative Unit Transfer |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Administrative Unit Restructure |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Administrative Unit Consolidation |
| 5.4.2 | <input type="checkbox"/> New Center |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> New Institute |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> New Bureau |
| 5.5.1 | <input type="checkbox"/> Out-of-Service Area Delivery of Programs |
| 5.5.2 | <input type="checkbox"/> Program Transfer |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Program Restructure |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Program Consolidation |
| 5.5.3 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Name Change of Existing Programs |
| 5.5.4 | <input type="checkbox"/> Program Discontinuation |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Program Suspension |
| 5.5.5 | <input type="checkbox"/> Reinstatement of Previously Suspended Program |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Reinstatement of Previously Suspended Administrative Unit |

*Requires "Section V: Program Curriculum" of Abbreviated Template

Chief Academic Officer (or Designee) Signature:

I certify that all required institutional approvals have been obtained prior to submitting this request to the Office of the Commissioner.

Signature **Date:** 3/23/16
Printed Name: Jeffery Olson, Senior VP for Academic Affairs

Program Request - Abbreviated Template
Utah Valley University
Department Name Change
08/01/2015

Section I: Request

The Department of Engineering Graphics and Design Technology in the College of Technology and Computing at Utah Valley University requests a name change to Department of Engineering Design Technology effective Fall 2016.

Section II: Need

This change is necessary to align the department name with the industry served. It is also needed to avoid a persistent confusion that this is a graphic design program. Drafting/Design programs across the state and nation are modernizing their names to either Design Technology, in the case of most high schools and community colleges, and to Engineering Design Technology or variant of this at most universities. For example, Weber State University has a similar department and programs and has recently changed their Department name to Engineering Technology and their AAS and BS degree names to Design Engineering Technology. The degrees in this department have already had name changes submitted and approved.

Section III: Institutional Impact

The name change is expected to provide greater clarity to students, other departments, and administrative units on campus. It is also expected to have a positive effect on enrollments.

No new resources are anticipated to support the name change.

The Department of Engineering Design Technology will remain focused on preparing future professionals to engage in diverse design, modeling, and drafting disciplines.

Section IV: Finances

No new funds will be required for this change.