

UNC Charlotte Graduate Council

Checklist for reviewing Graduate Proposals in Curriculum

(Revised 01-07-2025)

PROGRAMS

Content

- ☐ Clearly states proposed actions
- ☐ Includes total credit hour changes, if any
- ☐ Program title includes degree, degree and concentration, or certificate
- ☐ Concise description of program
- ☐ Program layout is complete or complete catalog copy is attached

Justification and Impact

- ☐ Justification is logical, linked to proposed actions
- ☐ If affected, pre- and co-requisites, admission, other relevant factors are addressed
- ☐ Proposal describes how quality and/or efficiency of instruction will be improved
- ☐ If new courses are involved, assertion that separate new course proposals submitted
- ☐ Supporting memos from all affected academic units attached
- ☐ If SLO's are affected, includes updated SLO's in template format

Resources

- ☐ Need for additional faculty, GA's, TA's, etc., is addressed
- ☐ Need for physical space, equipment and supplies is addressed
- ☐ Need for additional computing capacity and/or capability is addressed
- ☐ Need for audio/visual or other resources (travel, printing, etc.) is addressed

Graduate Certificate Proposals Only

- ☐ Proposal describes coherent 12- to 15-credit hour program
- ☐ Includes, if applicable, treatment of post-baccalaureate courses (transfer credit is not permitted)
- ☐ Describes admission procedures (transcripts, test scores, etc.)
- ☐ Statement of impact on existing curricula
- ☐ Student Learning Outcomes (SLO's) are included as attachment
- ☐ Includes as attachments relevant letters of support and consultation

Note: For academic degree program name changes, requests should be initiated through the Provost in accordance with the procedure described here:

<http://provost.charlotte.edu/policies/degree-name-change>

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COURSES

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- ☐ Clearly states proposed actions
- ☐ If course taught before, provides qualitative and quantitative data to support permanency
- ☐ Includes proposed changes “with markup” or attaches catalog copy with track changes
- ☐ Course numbering complies with university policy
(<http://provost.charlotte.edu/policies/course-numbering-status>)
- ☐ If cross-listed with undergraduate course, assertion that separate proposal submitted
- ☐ If revising course, impact report included
- ☐ Supporting memos from all affected academic units attached
- ☐ Includes discussion of textbook costs for any new course