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Dear Colleagues:

The attached proposal to change the name of the following area of emphasis under the major in Agricultural Education (B.S.A.) will be an agenda item for the April 26, 2019, Full University Curriculum Committee meeting:

From: Area of Emphasis in Educational Studies in Agricultural Education

To: Area of Emphasis in Extension Education

Sincerely,

John Maerz, Chair

University Curriculum Committee

cc: Interim Provost Libby V. Morris
Dr. Rahul Shrivastav



**UNIVERSITY OF
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College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences

Office of the Dean and Director

March 22, 2019

Dr. Libby V. Morris
Interim Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost
203 Administration Building
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Dear Provost Morris:

In early February, the faculty of the Department of Agricultural Leadership, Education and Communication (ALEC) voted (11 – Yes, 0 – No; 3 – Non-votes) to approve modifying the existing Agricultural Education Bachelor of Science in Agriculture (BSA) major to include changing the emphasis area from Educational Studies to Extension Education.

We believe this name change modification in the area of emphasis better communicates the careers students are prepared for within the program. This change also fully encompasses the opportunities available for students within the Department and meets the needs of an important stakeholder group, Extension. We believe this change will allow ALEC and the College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences to better target students interested in Extension into an undergraduate degree.

We hope you will support our area of emphasis name change to the existing Agricultural Education BSA.

Sincerely,

Samuel L. Pardue
Dean and Director

NAME CHANGE JUSTIFICATION FORM

School/ College: Agricultural and Environmental Sciences

Department: Agricultural Leadership, Education, and Communication

Major: Agricultural Education (B.S.A.)

Area of Emphasis Name Change:

Current Area of Emphasis Name: Area of Emphasis in Educational Studies in Agricultural Education

Proposed Area of Emphasis Name: Area of Emphasis in Extension Education

Proposed Effective Date: Fall 2019

JUSTIFICATION:

The department believes the name change from the Area of Emphasis in Educational Studies in Agricultural Education to the Area of Emphasis in Extension Education better communicates the careers students are prepared for within the program. This change also fully encompasses the opportunities available for students within the department and meets the needs of an important stakeholder group, Extension. We believe this change will allow ALEC and the College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences to better target students interested in Extension into an undergraduate degree.

Area of Emphasis in Extension Education (15 hours)

The following courses are required for the Area of Emphasis in Extension Education:

ALDR 3900S, Leadership and Service (3 hours)

ALDR 4540/6540, Advanced Leadership Theory, Ethics, and Culture (3 hours)

Choose nine (9) hours from the following:

AGED 4000, Directed Project in Agricultural Education (1-3 hours)

ALDR(AFST)(LACS) 3820, Reflections on Fighting Hunger (3 hours)

OR

ALDR(AFST)(LACS) 3820E, Reflections on Fighting Hunger (3 hours)

ALDR 3910, Internship in Leadership (3 hours)

ALDR 4080/6080, Agriculture and Extension Administration (3 hours)

ALDR 4600/6600, The Global Seminar – Global Issues in Agriculture and the Environment (3 hours)

ALDR(AFST)(LACS) 4710/6710, International Agricultural Development (3 hours)

OR

ALDR(AFST)(LACS) 4710E/6710E, International Agricultural Development (3 hours)

ALDR(AGED)(AGCM) 4800E/6800E, Grantseeking (3 hours)

EETH(AESC) 4190/6190, Agricultural Ethics (1 hour)

Approvals on File

Proposal: Name change of the following area of emphasis under the major in Agricultural Education (B.S.A.):

From: Area of Emphasis in Educational Studies in Agricultural Education

To: Area of Emphasis in Extension Education

College: College of Engineering

Department: Agricultural Leadership, Education, and Communication

Proposed Effective Term: Fall 2019

School/College:

- Department of Agricultural Leadership, Education, and Communication Department Head, Dr. Leslie Edgar, 2/20/2019
- College of Engineering Dean, Dr. Samuel Pardue, 3/22/2019