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Dear Colleagues:

The attached proposal from the Mary Frances Early College of Education to change the name of the following area of emphasis under the major in Workforce Education (M.A.T.) will be an agenda item for the January 21, 2022, Full University Curriculum Committee meeting:

From: Area of Emphasis in Technology Education
To: Area of Emphasis in Engineering and Technology Education

Sincerely,

Susan Sanchez, Chair
University Curriculum Committee

cc: Provost S. Jack Hu
Dr. Rahul Shrivastav

ACADEMIC PROGRAM NAME CHANGE JUSTIFICATION FORM

Date: September 25, 2021

Department/Division: Career and Information Studies

School/College/Unit: Mary Frances Early College of Education

CIP: 13130901

Proposed Effective Date: Summer 2022

PROGRAM NAME CHANGES:

Current Program Name: Area of Emphasis in Technology Education under the major in Workforce Education (M.A.T.)

Proposed Program Name: Area of Emphasis in Engineering and Technology Education under the major in Workforce Education (M.A.T.)

JUSTIFICATION:

This request is to rename the Area of Emphasis in Technology Education under the Master of Arts in Teaching in Workforce Education. The Georgia Professional Standards Commission (GaPSC) that grants certification to master's-level educators who complete this Area of Emphasis has changed the name of the certification field from Technology Education to Engineering and Technology Education. The GaPSC rule can be found at this link: https://www.gapsc.com/Rules/Current/EducatorPreparation/505-3-.39.pdf?dt=%3C%#Eval('strTimeStamp')%20%%3E.

Candidates who complete this Area of Emphasis under the Master of Arts in Teaching degree already are receiving the Engineering and Technology Education certification on their GaPSC teaching certificate. This name change would align the Area of Emphasis on their university transcript with the state certification record.

Documentation of Approval and Notification

Proposal: Name Change of the Area of Emphasis in Technology Education to the Area of Emphasis in Engineering and Technology Education under the major in Workforce Education (M.A.T.)

College: Mary Frances Early College of Education

Department: Career and Information Studies

Proposed Effective Term: Summer 2022

Department:

- Career and Information Studies Department Head, Dr. Lloyd Rieber, 9/25/21

School/College:

- Mary Frances Early College of Education Associate Dean, Dr. Stacey Neuharth-Pritchett, 11/4/21
- Mary Frances Early College of Education Dean, Dr. Denise Spangler, 9/25/21

Graduate School:

- Graduate School Associate Dean, Dr. Anne Shaffer, 11/15/21