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Cover/Signature Page - Abbreviated Template/Abbreviated Template with Curriculum

Institution Submitting Request: Utah State University
Proposed Title: Combined Clinical / Counseling Psychology; School Psychology
Currently Approved Title: Professional Scientific Psychology
School or Division or Location: College of Education and Human Services
Department(s) or Area(s) Location: Department of Psychology
Recommended Classification of Instructional Programs (CIP) Code¹ (for new programs): 42.2801 (Clinical); 42.2805 (School)
Current Classification of Instructional Programs (CIP) Code (for existing programs): 42.2801
Proposed Beginning Date (for new programs): July 1, 2016
Institutional Board of Trustees' Approval Date: March 4, 2016

Proposal Type (check all that apply):

Regents' General Consent Calendar Items	
<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"/> (CER P) Certificate of Proficiency*
5.2.3	<input type="checkbox"/> (GCR) 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"/> Conditional Three-Year Approval for New Centers, Institutes, or Bureaus
5.4.3	<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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Program Restructure
	<input type="checkbox"/> Program Consolidation
5.5.3	<input 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: February 26, 2016

Printed Name: Laurens H. Smith, Jr.

¹ CIP codes must be recommended by the submitting institution. For CIP code classifications, please see <http://nces.ed.gov/ipeds/cipcode/Default.aspx?y=55>.

Program Request - Abbreviated Template
Utah State University
Psychology PhD Specialization
Change from Professional Scientific Psychology to 1: Clinical/Counseling Psychology;
and 2: School Psychology

Section I: Request

The Department of Psychology at Utah State University requests to restructure its current specialization within the Psychology PhD program in Professional Scientific Psychology to two separate specializations: 1) Combined Clinical / Counseling Psychology and 2) School Psychology. There will be some changes in required coursework as a result of this change. Curricula for these two new specializations are outlined in Section V.

Section II: Need

There are two main reasons for this change. One, the name Professional Scientific Psychology has become outdated and the term Combined is now used to refer to training programs in which more than one area of professional psychology is covered. The Professional Scientific specialization incorporated Clinical, Counseling, and School Psychology. However, the diverse aspects of these areas make it challenging to address all needs within one specialization. Thus, there is a need to create two specializations – one that will focus more specifically on School Psychology and the other than will focus on Combined Clinical / Counseling Psychology.

Section III: Institutional Impact

The proposed change will not impact enrollments or current administrative structures. The restructure of this specialization will not require changes to current faculty and staff appointments. Faculty affiliations will simply shift from one specialization to another. No new physical facilities or modification to existing facilities will be required. The current Professional Scientific specialization is accredited with the American Psychological Association (APA) as a Combined program. This accreditation should carry over to the new specialization in Clinical / Counseling Psychology. The School Psychology specialization will later seek accreditation through the APA and the National Association of School Psychologists.

Students in the current Professional Scientific specialization will be allowed to continue in this specialization or switch to one of the new specializations. Once all students currently in the Professional Scientific specialization have graduated or switched specialization, this specialization will be dropped

Section IV: Finances

No new funding is required to make this change. However, once both new specializations are accredited by APA the department will be required to pay the annual accreditation fee of \$3,750 per program. There also are fees that must be paid when program reviews occur (every 5-10 years). These additional accreditation fees can be paid with existing departmental resources. No increases or decreases in revenue as a result of the change are anticipated.

Section V: Program Curriculum

All Program Courses (with New Courses in Bold)

Clinical / Counseling Specialization

Course Prefix and Number	Title	Credit Hours
Required Courses		
Psy 6100	History and Systems	3
Pay 6150	Empirically-Based Practice I: Children and Adolescents	2
Psy 6290	Diversity Issues in Treatment and Assessment	3
Psy 6310	Intellectual Assessment	3
Psy 6320	Objective Assessment of Personality, Affect, and Behavior	3
Psy 6350	Introduction to Theories of Intervention in Psychology	3
Psy 6510	Social Psychology	3
Psy 6570	Introduction to Psychological and Educational Research	3
Psy 6600	Research Design and Analysis I	3
Psy 6650 or Psy 6660	Theories of Learning or Cognition and Instruction	3
Psy 6750	Empirically Based Practice II: Adults	2
Psy 6850	Orientation Seminar	1
Psy 7100	Biological Basis of Behavior	3
Psy 7250	Professional Ethics and Standards	3
Psy 7270	Lifespan Psychopathology	3
Psy 7350, 7360, and/or 7370	Practicum	12
Psy 7530	Advanced Developmental Psychology	3
Psy 7610	Research Design and Analyses II	3
Psy 7630	Supervision and Consultation in Applied Psychology	1
Psy 7780 (or other approved research course)	Multivariate Analysis I (or other approved research course)	3
Psy 7850	Internship Preparation and Professional Development	1
Psy 7950	Internship	3
Psy 7970	Dissertation	12
Sub-Total		79
Elective Courses (examples; must take 9 credits)		
Psy 6220	Group Therapy	3
Psy 6410	Psychoeducational Assessment	
Psy 6470	Health Psychology	3
Psy 6760	Fundamentals of Acceptance and Commitment Therapy	3
Psy 7790	Multivariate Analysis II	3
Psy 7820	Neuropsychology	2 or 4
Sub-Total		9

Course Prefix and Number	Title	Credit Hours
Total Number of Credits		88

Program Schedule

<u>Fall</u>	<u>Spring</u>
<u>Year 1</u>	
Psy 6150	Psy 6320
Psy 6310	Psy 6750
Psy 6350	Psy 6570
Psy 6850	
<u>Year 2</u>	
Psy 7270	Psy 7350
Psy 7350	Psy 6290
Psy 6600	Psy 7610
<u>Year 3</u>	
Psy 7370	Psy 7370
Psy 6760	Psy 6660
Psy 7250	Psy 6510
<u>Year 4</u>	
Psy 7780	Psy 7100
Psy 7630	Psy 6470
Psy 7970	Psy 7970
<u>Year 5</u>	
Psy 7530	Psy 7850
Psy 6220	Psy 6100
Psy 7970	Psy 7970
<u>Year 6</u>	
Psy 7950	Psy 7950

School Psychology specialization

Course Prefix and Number	Title	Credit Hours
Required Courses		
Psy 6100	History and Systems	3
Pay 6150	Empirically-Based Practice I: Children and Adolescents	2
Psy 6230	Effective Interventions with Parents	3*
Psy 6290	Diversity Issues in Treatment and Assessment	3
Psy 6310	Intellectual Assessment	3
Psy 6410	Psychoeducational Assessment	3
Psy 6440	Legal / Ethical Issues in School Psychology	3**
Psy 6350	Introduction to Theories of Intervention in Psychology	3
Psy 6510	Social Psychology	3
Psy 6570	Introduction to Psychological and Educational Research	3
Psy 6600	Research Design and Analysis I	3
Psy 6620	Instructional Interventions and Consultation	3
Psy 6630	Supervision and Consultation in Psy and Ed Settings	3
Psy 6650 or Psy 6660	Theories of Learning or Cognition and Instruction	3
Psy 6890	Assessment of Child/Adolescent Psychopathology	3
Psy 7100	Biological Basis of Behavior:	3
Psy 7270	Lifespan Psychopathology	3
Psy 7350, 7360, and/or 7370	Practicum [^]	18
Psy 7530	Advanced Developmental Psychology	3
Psy 7610	Research Design and Analyses II	3
Psy 7780 (or other approved research course)	Multivariate Analysis I (or other approved research course)	3
Psy 7950	Internship	3
Psy 7970	Dissertation	12
Psy XXX	Systems and Crisis Intervention in School Psychology	3
Sub-Total		95
Elective Courses (examples; none are required)		
Psy 6220	Group Therapy	3
Psy 6470*	Health Psychology	3
Psy 6760	Fundamentals of Acceptance and Commitment Therapy	3
Psy 7790	Multivariate Analysis II	3
Psy 7820	Neuropsychology	2 or 4
Total Number of Required Credits		95

*course title will be modified and credits changed from 1 to 3; **credits will be changed from 2 to 3

[^]Practicum courses will be restructured and renamed

	<u>Fall</u>	<u>Spring</u>	<u>Summer</u>
<u>Year 1</u>	Psy 6150 Psy 6310 Psy 6350	Psy 6410 Psy 6440 Psy 6570	Psy 6600
<u>Year 2</u>	Psy 7270 Psy 7350 Psy 6890	Psy 7350 Psy 6290 Psy XXX	Psy 7610
<u>Year 3</u>	Psy 7370 Psy 6620 Psy 6230	Psy 7370 Psy 6630 Psy 6660	
<u>Year 4</u>	Psy 7360 Psy 7780 Psy 7970	Psy 7360 Psy 7100 Psy 7970	
<u>Year 5</u>	Psy 7530 Psy 6760 Psy 7970	Psy 6100 Psy 6510 Psy 7970	
<u>Year 6</u>	Psy 7950	Psy 7950	