

Graduate Certificate in New Venture Management

2 Graduate Degree/Certificate Name Change Form 2022-23

I. General Information

The faculty member originating this proposal is to complete sections I and II.

Before starting this form, please review graduate curriculum website on policies and processes: <https://www.unlv.edu/graduatecollege/curriculum>

Click "**validate and launch proposal**" **button below.** Once the pop-up window comes up and displays an error message, click on the "show me" button (on the pop-up). This will highlight in red the required fields of this form. Fill in **ONLY** the red (required) fields.

With all red fields completed, click on the "**validate and launch proposal**" **button** again to launch the proposal. The pop-up this time should not display an error, and will display instead a "**launch proposal**" **button.** Click on the "**launch proposal**" **button** to launch.

After launch, please fill in all remaining fields in the form to reflect your intended changes.

Department:*

Management Entrepreneurship and Technology

Current Degree or Certificate Name:*

Graduate Certificate in New Venture Management

Proposed New Degree or Certificate Name:*

Graduate Certificate in Entrepreneurship and Innovation

Degree Type:*

Graduate and Advanced Graduate Certificate

Program Type:*

Certificate

Effective Term:*

Fall 2022

Brief summary of impact and rationale behind the name change:*

We intend to make the certificate program more accessible to all graduate students at UNLV. Students from non-business disciplines (e.g., engineering, sciences, medicine, hospitality, arts, fine arts, law, political sciences) may have entrepreneurial or innovative ideas or hope to receive education in entrepreneurship and innovation. However, our communication with others including the Associate Dean of the College of Engineering indicates that the current name of the certificate is not as clear or appealing to non-business students. Our analysis of the programs in AAU schools (a select group of R1 schools) suggests that Certificate in Entrepreneurship (and Innovation) is used in other schools such as Harvard, Iowa State, and Kansas, and we could only find courses named as "new venture management" but not certificate programs so named among the AAU schools.

II. Degree/Certificate Information

Is this Degree/Certificate currently on hold?* Yes No

How many students are active in the Degree/Certificate?* 11

Last term of Admission to Degree/Certificate under current name:* Fall 2021

Impact on Current Students:

Current students cannot be required to complete the Degree or Certificate under the proposed new Degree or Certificate name. However, they can be given the option of switching. Students must adhere to the catalog requirements for their chosen degree year (if approved).

Please take note of the following guidelines for transition of students from current to new name:

Master's & Certificates: 2 years after last term of admission, all students will need to graduate using the new name.

Post-Master's Doctoral degrees and Education Specialist: 3 years after last term of admission, all students will need to graduate using the new name.

Post-Bachelor's Doctoral degrees: 4 years after last term of admission, all students will need to graduate using the new name.

Check this box to acknowledge the above statement:* Acknowledgement

Current students have the option to switch to the newly named degree/certificate or remain in the old program. It is **required** that all current students indicate whether they will be graduating under the old or new degree/certificate by submitting a Degree Name Change Acknowledgement form to the Graduate Coordinator and the Graduate College.

Contact gradcurriculum@unlv.edu for the Degree Name Change Acknowledgement form.

Check this box to acknowledge the above statement: Acknowledgement *

Required Additional Documents



Please attach required documents (available at the [Office of the Vice Provost for Academic Programs](#) website) by navigating to the “attach a file” icon at the right of this form.


Graduate Academic Program, Degree, Major, or Primary Field of Study Name Change Coversheet.
NSHE Academic Program Change form.

Required NSHE Documents (please attach and check boxes): Name Change Coversheet NSHE Academic Program Change form

READY TO SUBMIT?

After making all your intended changes, please follow these steps:

1. Finish the launch of your proposal by clicking the decisions icon  located to the right of the form. This will display a new decision/approval field on the top right.
2. Click on "approve", add an optional comment if necessary, and then click on the "Make My Decision" button at the bottom to move the proposal forward to the next step. You will see a notification indicating that the proposal has moved forward. You will not be able to edit after moving the proposal forward.
3. Please note that it is your responsibility as the proposer to see that the proposal is reviewed and receives all necessary approvals. Please be encouraged to reach out to reviewers on each step, if necessary.
4. You can check the status of the proposal by clicking on the workflow status icon  to verify that the proposal has gone to the next step.


The workflow status icon  will also show you the current step of the proposal at any given time, and who are the reviewers at that step.


QUESTIONS? contact gradcurriculum@unlv.edu

III. Department Vote Information

Note: This section is to be filled out by the Department Chair on behalf of the department committee.

(The role has been assigned to the corresponding person on this step. If incorrect, please notify gradcurriculum@unlv.edu).

1. Review the proposal. Discuss and make appropriate revisions.
2. Fill in vote information in the fields below, along with the approval. If Dual or Interdisciplinary: add votes from all departments/colleges involved.
3. Then approve/reject by clicking the decisions icon  located to the right of the form. This will display a new decision/approval field on the top right. Click on "approve", add an optional comment if necessary, and then click on the "Make My Decision" button at the bottom to move the proposal forward to the next step. You will see a notification indicating that the proposal has moved forward. You will not be able to edit after moving the proposal forward.

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If there were any modifications to the proposal, please enter them in the comments box below:

Comments:

Date Faculty Voted on 4
Proposal:


Result of Vote: 4


Manner of Vote: online, email

IV. College Vote Information

Note: This section is to be filled out by the Academic Associate Dean on behalf of the college/school committee.

(The role has been assigned to the corresponding person on this step. If incorrect, please notify gradcurriculum@unlv.edu).

1. Review the proposal. Discuss and make appropriate revisions.
2. Fill in vote information in the fields below, along with the approval. If Dual or Interdisciplinary: add votes from all departments/colleges involved.
3. Then approve/reject by clicking the decisions icon  located to the right of the form. This will display a new decision/approval field on the top right. Click on "approve", add an optional comment if necessary, and then click on the "Make My Decision" button at the bottom to move the proposal forward to the next step. You will see a notification indicating that the proposal has moved forward. You will not be able to edit after moving the proposal forward.

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Date Faculty Voted on Proposal: 03/24/2022

Result of Vote: 6/0/0

Manner of Vote: online

V. Graduate College Use Only - Code Request Items

Note: This section is for graduate college use only.

Academic Organization:

Academic Program Code:

Academic Plan Code:

Plan Description (30 chars.):

Transcript Description:

Effective Date and First Term Valid:

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Plan Description

The Graduate Certificate in New Venture Management (GCNVM) is comprised of graduate classes currently offered through the Business Administration M.B.A. curriculum. The Graduate Certificate is designed for those students wishing to gain knowledge or update their knowledge in the specific area of New Venture Management. The Graduate Certificate is not a degree program and completion of this program indicates an expertise in a narrow specialty, not general expertise in all areas of business.

For more information about your program, including your graduate program handbook and learning outcomes, please visit the Degree Directory.

Plan Admission Requirements

Application deadlines

Applications available on the UNLV Graduate College website.

Admission requirements include an undergraduate degree with a GPA of 3.00 or higher, and either relevant work experience or a GMAT of 550 or higher. Relevant work experience is a minimum of 3 years experience in a relevant business-related position. The determination of what is considered relevant work experience will be made by the Coordinator of Non Degree Programs in the College of Business.

If desired, upon successful completion of the Graduate Certificate in New Venture Management, students may apply for admittance into the Business Administration M.B.A.

All applicants must review and follow the Graduate College Admission and Registration Requirements.

Students are accepted into a certificate program as described in the Graduate Catalog. The faculty and corresponding sub-disciplines and sub-plans within the described programs are subject to change at any time.

Plan Requirements

Total Credits Required: 15

Course Requirements

Required Courses – Credits: 9

MGT 709 New Venture Feasibility	3
MGT 710 New Venture Creation	3
MBA 767 Market Opportunity Analysis	3

Elective Courses – Credits: 6

Complete 6 credits of advisor-approved coursework.

Certificate Requirements

Completion of a minimum of 15 credits.

A grade point average of at least 3.00 for course work required for the certificate.

No grade lower than C is acceptable.

There are no pre-requisites for MBA 767; however, the remaining courses require the completion of the MBA Core or admission to the Graduate Certificate in New Venture Management as a pre-requisite.

Students with unsatisfactory progress toward the certificate requirements are subject to dismissal. A student with a grade of C or lower in any of the required courses will be put on probation for one semester. Conditions and deadlines for the removal of probation will be specified. Failure to meet the condition will result in departure from the program. A student with two grades of C or lower will be dropped from the program.

Plan Certificate Completion Requirements

The student must submit all required forms to the Graduate College and then apply for graduation in MyUNLV by the appropriate deadline.

Comments for Graduate Certificate in New Venture Management

Curriculog	3/24/2022 10:28 pm Reply
Business Associate Dean has approved this proposal on School/College Associate Dean/ Dean.	
Curriculog	3/24/2022 10:27 pm Reply
Business Associate Dean has approved this proposal on School/College Committee.	
Curriculog	3/24/2022 5:06 pm Reply
MBA Director has approved this proposal on School/College Committee.	
Curriculog	3/24/2022 4:43 pm Reply
Ian Mcdonough has approved this proposal on School/College Committee.	
Gregory Moody	3/24/2022 3:25 pm Reply
Approved	
Curriculog	3/24/2022 3:25 pm Reply
Gregory Moody has approved this proposal on School/College Committee.	
Curriculog	3/23/2022 9:12 am Reply
Han fen Hu has approved this proposal on School/College Committee.	
Curriculog	3/22/2022 12:55 pm Reply
Kimberly Charron has approved this proposal on School/College Committee.	
Curriculog	3/22/2022 12:51 pm Reply
Jianxin Chi has approved this proposal on School/College Committee.	
Curriculog	3/21/2022 11:45 am Reply
MET Chair has approved this proposal on Department Chair.	
MET Graduate Coordinator	3/21/2022 9:25 am Reply
The department voted on 3/20: 16-0 in favor.	

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Curriculog 3/21/2022 9:25 am [Reply](#)

MET Graduate Coordinator has approved this proposal on Graduate Coordinator.

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Graduate Curriculum has force approved this proposal.

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Graduate Curriculum has approved this proposal on Technical Review.

Curriculog 3/11/2022 4:55 pm [Reply](#)

Emily Lin has approved this proposal on VPAP/ Graduate College Dean Review Step.

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Gail Griffin has approved this proposal on VPAP/ Graduate College Dean Review Step.

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EVP Academic Assessment has approved this proposal on VPAP/ Graduate College Dean Review Step.

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Graduate Curriculum has approved this proposal on VPAP/ Graduate College Dean Review Step.

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Yong Li has approved this proposal on Originator.

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Yong Li has launched this proposal.

Curriculog 3/9/2022 3:27 pm [Reply](#)

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