

University of Wisconsin-Whitewater
Curriculum Proposal Form #2
Change in Degree, Major, or Submajor

Effective Term: 2091 (Spring 2009)

Type of Action: Change in Submajor

Degree: MBA

Program Title: Business Administration (M.B.A.) - Operations and Supply Chain
Management Emphasis

GPA Requirement for the Major/Submajor:

Sponsor(s): Sameer Prasad

Department(s): Management

College(s): Business and Economics

Consultation took place: NA Yes (list departments and attach consultation sheet)

Departments:

Proposal Information:

(Procedures can be found at <http://acadaff.uww.edu/Handbook/Procedures-Form2.htm>)

Total number of credit units in program:

Before change

After change

1. Exact description of request:

We are requesting to add **MANGEMNT 793 PRACTICUM IN MANAGEMENT** as one of the possible electives within the *Operations and Supply Chain Management Emphasis*.

From (as listed in catalog and on AR)

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2. Relationship to mission and strategic plan of institution, and/or college and department goals and objectives:

As part of the College of Business and Economics mission statement “Development and support of faculty, significant student-teacher interaction, a varied and relevant curriculum, experiential learning, and high academic standards.” We believe by providing MANGEMNT 793 PRACTICUM IN MANAGEMENT as one of the possible electives within the *Operations and Supply Chain Management Emphasis* creates a more varied and relevant M.B.A. curriculum.

3. Rationale:

This course provides students, under the direction of a faculty advisor, the opportunity to apply their theoretical backgrounds in settings ranging from internships in accounting organizations to other approved activities related to the practice of supply chain management. A learning contract will be developed by the faculty advisor, professional supervisor (if applicable), and student that clearly delineates the expectations and responsibilities of each party involved in the practicum. We believe Management 793 would fit in well within the *Operations and Supply Chain Management Emphasis*.

4. Cost Implications:

This course will be part of the regular course rotation.