

PROPOSAL TO THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATIONAL POLICY

TITLE OF THE PROPOSAL: Veterinary Pathobiology Degree Name Change, College of Veterinary Medicine

SPONSOR: Department of Pathobiology

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BRIEF DESCRIPTION:

This proposal is to change the degree names, currently M.S. and Ph.D. in Veterinary Pathobiology to M.S. and Ph.D. in Pathobiology.

JUSTIFICATION:

This is being done to reflect the current department name and rubric which were changed from the Department of Veterinary Pathobiology to the Department of Pathobiology in July 2005.

BUDGETARY AND STAFF IMPLICATIONS:

- a. *Additional staff and dollars needed:* This change requires no staff changes or additional financing.
- b. *Internal reallocation:* This change requires no changes in class sizes, teaching loads, student-faculty ratio, etc.
- c. *Effect on course enrollment in other departments and explanations of discussions with representatives of those departments:* This change has no direct effect on the enrollments in other departments.
- d. *Impact on library, computer use, laboratory use, equipment, etc.:* This change has no impact on the use of computers, laboratories or other facilities.

GUIDELINES:

This change has no effect on the current graduate education in our degree program. It is merely a better representation of the breadth of the graduate program.

CLEARANCES:

<u>d. 71</u>	<u>11-18-08</u>
Department	Date
<u>William C. Hall</u>	<u>11/18/08</u>
College	Date
<u>Kyle Appenda</u>	<u>Jan 7, 2009</u>
Graduate College	Date
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STATEMENT FOR PROGRAMS OF STUDY CATALOG:

Major: Pathobiology

Degrees Offered: M.S., Ph.D.

Joint Degree Program: Veterinary Medical Scholars Program

Degrees Offered: Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) in Pathobiology and Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (D.V.M.) through the Veterinary Medical Scholars Program

Medical Scholars Program: Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) in Pathobiology and Doctor of Medicine (M.D.) through the Medical Scholars Program

EFFECTIVE DATE: On approval.