

August 25, 2015

MEMORANDUM

TO: Executive Committee of the Academic Senate

FROM: Marilyn Wilson, Chair *MW*
University Graduate Committee

RE: Name Change - M.S. in Rehabilitation Counseling to M.S. Rehabilitation and Mental Health Counseling

The University Graduate Committee reviewed the documentation and heard a presentation from Dr. Jenelle Pitt and Dr. Alicia Brown on the rationale for the name change for the M.S. in Rehabilitation Counseling to M.S. in Rehabilitation Counseling to Rehabilitation and Mental Health Counseling at our meeting on April 28, 2015. The new name is a first step toward revising the curriculum and applying for dual accreditation from CORE and CACREP. This would make the program more attractive to applicants by providing enhanced employment opportunities.

MSC to approve a name change from MS in Rehabilitation Counseling to MS in Rehabilitation and Mental Health Counseling.

MW:vb

CC: James Marshall, Interim Dean of Graduate Studies
Jenelle Pitt, Coordinator of M.S. in Rehabilitation Counseling Program
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Paul Beare, Dean, Kremen School of Education
Sarah Lam, Interim Associate Dean, Kremen School of Education
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