

Curriculum Change Form
(Present only one proposed curriculum change per form)
(Complete only the section(s) applicable.)

Part I

<input type="checkbox"/> (Check one) New Course (Parts II, IV)	Department Name	Safety, Security & Emergency Management (SSEM)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Course Revision (Parts II, IV)	College	Justice & Safety	
<input type="checkbox"/> Hybrid Course ("S," "W")	*Course Prefix & Number		
<input type="checkbox"/> Course Dropped (Part II)	*Course Title (30 characters)		
<input type="checkbox"/> New Program (Part III)	*Program Title	SSEM Ergonomics	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Program Revision (Part III)		(Major ____, Option <u>X</u> __; Minor ____; or Certificate ____)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Program Suspended (Part III)	*Provide only the information relevant to the proposal.		

Proposal Approved by:	<u>Date</u>		<u>Date</u>
Departmental Committee	10/19/09	Graduate Council* Approved	Dec 18.2009
<i>Is this a SACS Substantive Change?</i>	Yes**** <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Council on Academic Affairs	
College Curriculum Committee	Oct. 27, 2009	Approved <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Disapproved <input type="checkbox"/>	5/20/10
General Education Committee*	NA	Faculty Senate**	
Teacher Education Committee*	NA	Board of Regents**	
		Council on Postsecondary Edu.***	

*If Applicable (Type NA if not applicable.)
**Approval needed for new, revised, or suspended programs
***Approval/Posting needed for new degree program or certificate program
****If "yes", SACS must be notified before implementation. Please contact EKU's Office of Institutional Effectiveness.

Completion of A, B, and C is required: (Please be specific, but concise.)

<p>A. 1. Specific action requested: (Example: To increase the number of credit hours for ABC 100 from 1 to 2.) Approval for Safety, Security & Emergency Management (SSE) Ergonomics Option (4 course option- 4 new courses)</p> <p>A. 2. Effective date: (Example: Fall 2001) Fall, 2010</p> <p>A. 3. Effective date of suspended programs for currently enrolled students: (if applicable)</p>	<p>B. The justification for this action: Courses have already been created at the Bachelor level, the College of Justice & Safety has a national reputation in areas that comprise homeland security, emergency response, fire protection, hazardous materials, security, emergency medicine and risk management. Expressed interest from professionals in the field and current SSE students for the opportunity to specialize in Ergonomics at the masters of science level.</p>
<p>C. The projected cost (or savings) of this proposal is as follows: Funding will be provided for personnel, expenses and equipment as needed in accordance with our agreement with the ECU Board of Regents.</p> <p>Personnel Impact: None</p> <p>Operating Expenses Impact: None</p> <p>Equipment/Physical Facility Needs: None</p> <p>Library Resources: None</p>	

Part II. Recording Data for New, Revised, or Dropped Course

(For a **new required course**, complete a separate request for the appropriate program revisions.)

1. For a new course, provide the catalog text.
2. For a revised course, provide the current catalog text with the proposed text using ~~striketrough~~ for deletions and underlines for additions.
3. For a dropped course, provide the current catalog text.

Part III. Recording Data for New, Revised, or Suspended Program

1. For a new program, provide the catalog description as being proposed.
2. For a revised program, provide the current program requirements using ~~striketrough~~ for deletions and *underlines* for additions.
3. For a suspended program, provide the current program requirements as shown in catalog. List any options and/or minors affected by the program's suspension.

New or Revised* Program Text
 (*Use ~~strikethrough~~ for deletions and underlines for additions.)

Master of Science

Safety, Security & Emergency Management Program

Core Requirements.....18 Hours

SSE 815, 822, 826, 833, 865, 880

Support Courses.....12 Hours

Twelve Hours selected from the following:

SSE 820, 824, 825, 827, 828, 829, 832, 834, 839**, 841**, 845, 890*, 897**

HLS 800, 810, 820, 830, INS 876, 878

Thesis or Electives.....6 Hours

SSE 898 or electives

Total Curriculum Requirements.....36 Hours

*SSE 890 may be taken for a maximum of 6 credit hours.

** Only nine credit hours of SSE 839, 841, 897 will count toward degree completion.

Master of Science

Option in (SSE) – Ergonomics

Core Requirements.....18 Hours

SSE 815, 822, 826, 833, 865, 880

Option Requirements.....12 Hours

SSE 850, 851, 852, 853

Thesis or Electives.....6 Hours

SSE 898 or Approved Electives

Total Curriculum Requirements.....36 Hours

The Master of Science degree in Safety, Security & Emergency Management (SSEM) which includes the Option in Ergonomics may be completed online. In addition to satisfying Eastern Kentucky University's (EKU) requirements for admission or for provisional admission, to an online program requires either that students reside at least 60 miles from campus, or if they reside closer, demonstrate a rationale that is satisfactory to the department for pursuing requirements online. Contact the SSEM Graduate Coordinator for additional details.