

**DEGREE/PROGRAM CHANGE  
FORM C  
Form Number: C1663**

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**Proposed effective term**

Semester Spring  Year 2017

**Course Information**

Select Appropriate Program Graduate Degree Program   
Name of New or Existing Program Doctor of Physical Therapy  
Select Category Degree  Degree Type Doctoral  
Select Action Revision

Exact Title and Requirements as they should appear in the catalog. If there is a change, upload current and proposed requirements.

See current catalog for format within the respective college (upload a doc/pdf file)

Does this change affect other departmental program/branch campuses? If yes, indicate below.

Reason(s) for Request (enter text below or upload a doc/pdf file)

Deletion of the two courses, PT623 and PT681 are replace with PT622 and PT680. Please see attachment.

[Rationale for Form C Fall 2015.docx](#)

Upload a document that includes justification for the program, impact on long-range planning, detailed budget analysis and faculty workload implications. (upload a doc/pdf file)

Are you proposing a new undergraduate degree or new undergraduate certificate? If yes, upload the following documents.

Upload a two-page Executive Summary authorized by Associate Provost. (upload a doc/pdf file)

Upload memo from Associate Provost authorizing go-ahead to full proposal. (upload a doc/pdf file)

As a result of a review of the curriculum by the program faculty and student comments, it was decided to combine the content of Admin/Sup 1 and 2 as well as Psych/soc/cultural competence 1 and 2. This will allow the various faculty members to write cases together to incorporate the most important elements needed for each course. PT 680 Admin Sup will combine the two one-credit courses into one two-credit course. PT 622 Psych/Soc/Cultural Competence will combine the current one and two credit courses into one three-credit course.

Effect: Deletion of the two courses, PT623 and PT681 does not affect the PT program or its budget, as the total credits do not change. This change does not affect the branch campuses.