

**DEGREE/PROGRAM CHANGE  
FORM C**

**Fields marked with \* are required**

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Department\* Mechanical Engineering  
**Division** School of Engineering      **Program** BSME  
**Branch** Main

**Proposed effective term:**

Semester Spring ▼ Year 2010 ▼

**Course Information**

Select Appropriate Program Undergraduate Degree Program ▼ CIP Code  
Name of New or Existing Program \* BS in Mechanical Engineering  
Catalog Page Number 445 Select Category Degree ▼ Degree Type BSME  
Select Action Revision ▼

**Exact Title and Requirements as they should appear in the catalog.**

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

In section "Admission to Baccalaureate Program" 2nd paragraph, 2nd sentence, change: "A minimum grade point average of 2.50 in those technical courses is required for admission to undergraduate study in Mechanical Engineering." TO "A minimum grade point average of 2.75 in those technical courses is required for admission to undergraduate study in Mechanical Engineering."

**This Change affects other departmental program/branch campuses**

Reason(s) for Request \* (enter text below or upload a doc/pdf file)  
The change is being made to improve retention.

Statements to address budgetary and Faculty Load Implications and Long-range planning \* (enter text below or upload a doc/pdf file)  
Changes actually reduces faculty load by selecting for students more likely to succeed in completing the program.