

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

**Part I**

(Check one)	Department Name	Technology	
<input type="checkbox"/> New Course (Parts II, IV)	College	College of Business and Technology	
<input type="checkbox"/> Course Revision (Parts II, IV)	*Course Prefix & Number		
<input type="checkbox"/> Course Dropped (Part II)	*Course Title (30 characters)		
<input type="checkbox"/> New Program (Part III)	*Program Title	MS in Career and Technical Education	
<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:	Date	Date
Departmental Committee	9/19/2006	Graduate Council*
<i>Is this a SACS Substantive Change?</i>	Yes**** <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Council on Academic Affairs
College Curriculum Committee	10/25/2006	Approved <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Disapproved <input type="checkbox"/>
General Education Committee*	N/A	Faculty Senate**
Teacher Education Committee*	2/27/2007	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 ECU's Office of Institutional Effectiveness.

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

**A. 1. Specific action requested:** (Example: To increase the number of credit hours for ABC 100 from 1 to 2.)  
 Add new option in Master of Science in Career and Technical Education - Agriculture Education

**A. 2. Effective date:** (Example: Fall 2001)  
 Fall, 2007

**A. 3. Effective date of suspended programs for currently enrolled students:** (if applicable)  
 N/A

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**B. The justification for this action:**  
 Graduates will have an in-depth understanding of Agriculture Education. The curriculum is currently available and is being added to provide Agriculture Education majors an Option at the graduate level.

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**C. The projected cost (or savings) of this proposal is as follows:**

**Personnel Impact:**  
 None

**Operating Expenses Impact:**  
 None

**Equipment/Physical Facility Needs:**  
 None

**Library Resources:**  
 None

**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 ~~strickthrough~~ 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 ~~strickthrough~~ for deletions and underlines for additions.)

**MASTER OF SCIENCE**  
**Career and Technical Education**  
 CIP Code: 13.1309

**Admissions** — Applicants are expected to present an appropriate undergraduate technical teaching major and provide proof of acceptable professional and scholarly aptitude. An undergraduate grade point average of 2.5 and a combined Graduate Record Examination score of 700 on the Verbal and Quantitative sections are expected.

**Admission to Candidacy** — A satisfactory score on the Graduate Record Examination is required. Attributes related to professional promise will be reviewed by the department Graduate Studies Committee. Refer to the General Academic Information section of this *Catalog* for degree completion requirements.

**Curriculum for Master of Science in Career and Technical Education**

**Core Courses** ..... 12 hours  
 CTE 865, 888; EPY 869; TEC 830.

**Agriculture Education Option**

**Agriculture Teaching** ..... 12 hours  
AGR 701, 770, 777, 807

**Supporting Work** ..... 6 hours  
Selected from EAD 827, 828; EDF 855; EMS 880; ESE 872.

**Total** ..... 30 hours

**Technology Education Option (GA8)**

**\*Technical Teaching** ..... 12 hours  
 CTE 863, 864; TEC 831, 867.

**Supporting Work** ..... 6 hours  
 Selected from EAD 827, 828; EDF 855; EMS 880; ESE 872.

**Total** ..... 30 hours

**Technical Education Administration Option (GA9)**

**Administrative Core** ..... 6 hours  
 CTE 861, CTE 863.

**Supporting Work** ..... 12 hours  
 CTE 864; EAD 801, 827, 828.

**Total** ..... 30 hours

**Occupational Training and Development Option (GA0)**

**Industrial Instruction** ..... 12 hours  
 CTE 800\*, 801\*, 802 (6 hrs).

**Supporting Work** ..... 6 hours  
 PSY 873, 874, 875 or other courses (approved by advisor).

**Total** ..... 30 hours

\*Those students with a background in education should complete six semester hours of additional support work or six semester hours of TEC 867, Research in Technology, (approved by advisor) rather than CTE 800 and 801.

**Thesis** — The thesis is optional in the Master of Science in Career and Technical Education program.

**Comprehensive Examinations** — The candidate will have an opportunity to show professional growth through a written or oral examination covering the program components during the term in which graduation is scheduled.

\*Students must also meet the general requirements of the Graduate School.

The Master of Arts in Education degree with an option in Technology Education is offered in collaboration with the College of Education. The requirements for the M.A.Ed. degree may be found in the College of Education section of this *Catalog*.