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**UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY
REQUEST FOR CHANGE IN MASTERS DEGREE PROGRAM**

OFFICE OF THE
SENATE COUNCIL

Program: Manufacturing Systems Engineering

Department/Division: Mechanical Engineering

College: Engineering Bulletin pp: _____

Degree Title (Old): Manufacturing Systems Engineering Major (New): Manufacturing Systems Engineering

CIP Code: 14.3601 (or 14.1701 Industrial/Mfg Engr) HEGIS Code: 0913.00

Accrediting Agency (if applicable): ABET accreditation (optional)

I. CHANGE(S) IN PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

	<u>Current</u>	<u>Proposed</u>
1. Number of transfer credits allowed (Graduate School limit: 9 hours or 25% of coursework)	9	9
2. Residence requirement (if applicable)	N/A	N/A
3. Language(s) and/or skill(s) required	N/A	N/A
4. Termination criteria	Graduate school	Graduate School
5. Plan A requirements*	24 hours plus thesis (6)	24 Hours plus thesis (6)
6. Plan B requirements*	30 hours plus 3 hr project	30 hours
7. Distribution of course levels required (At least one half must be at 600+ level & two thirds must be in organized courses)	per graduate school	per graduate school
8. Required courses (if applicable)	MFS505, MFS605, MFS 606, MFS 611	MFS 505, MFS 507, MFS 606, MFS 613
9. Required distribution of courses within program (if applicable)	4 core, 4or 6 electives plus thesis or project	remove project course
10. Final examination requirements	Oral on thesis or project	Oral on thesis; for non-thesis, final exam at discretion of committee

* If there is only one plan for the degree, plans involving a thesis (or the equivalent in studio work, etc.) should be discussed under Plan A and those not involving a thesis should be discussed under Plan B.

NOTE: To the extent that proposed changes in 5, 6 or 8 above involve the addition of courses in other programs, please submit correspondence from the other program(s) pertaining to the availability of such courses to your students.

