



**SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF REGENTS  
ACADEMIC AFFAIRS FORMS**

**Substantive Program Modification Form**

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| <b>UNIVERSITY:</b>                  | <b>SDSU</b>  |
| <b>CURRENT PROGRAM DEGREE:</b>      | <b>Bachelor of Science (B.S.)</b>                                  |
| <b>CURRENT PROGRAM MAJOR/MINOR:</b> | <b>Economics</b>   |
| <b>CURRENT SPECIALIZATION:</b>      | <b>Agricultural Economics</b>                                      |
| <b>CIP CODE:</b>                    | <b>45.0601 Major CIP<br/>01.0103 Specialization CIP</b>            |
| <b>UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENT:</b>       | <b>Ness School of Management and<br/>Economics</b>                 |
| <b>BANNER DEPARTMENT CODE:</b>      | <b>SSME</b>  |
| <b>UNIVERSITY COLLEGE:</b>          | <b>College of Agriculture, Food and<br/>Environmental Sciences</b> |
| <b>BANNER COLLEGE CODE:</b>         | <b>3F</b>  |

**University Approval**

Yes  No

- a. If yes, will the articulation agreement need to be updated with the partner institution following the approve of the program change? Please explain:

**7. Primary Aspects of the Modification:**

*Existing Curriculum*

*Proposed Curriculum (highlight changes)*

| Pref.   | Num.            | Title  | Cr.Hrs.      | Pref.   | Num.            | Title  | Cr.Hrs.      |
|---|-----------------|--|--------------|---|-----------------|--|--------------|
| <b>Systems General Education Requirements</b>             |                 |  | <b>25-26</b> | <b>Systems General Education Requirements</b>             |                 |  | <b>25-26</b> |
| <b>Systems General Education Requirements - Electives</b> |                 |  | <b>21</b>    | <b>Systems General Education Requirements - Electives</b> |                 |  | <b>21</b>    |
|   |                 | SGR I – Written Communication                                      | 6            |   |                 | SGR I – Written Communication                                      | 6            |
|   |                 | SGR 2 – Oral Communication   | 3            |   |                 | SGR 2 – Oral Communication   | 3            |
|   |                 | SGR 4 – Arts and Humanities  | 6            |   |                 | SGR 4 – Arts and Humanities  | 6            |
|   |                 | SGR 6 – Natural Sciences   | 6            |   |                 | SGR 6 – Natural Sciences   | 6            |
| <b>Systems General Education Requirements - Required</b>  |                 |  | <b>4-5</b>   | <b>Systems General Education Requirements - Required</b>  |                 |  | <b>4-5</b>   |
| ABS   | 203             | Global Food Systems (SGR #3)<br>(Supporting Coursework)            | --           | ABS   | 203             | Global Food Systems (SGR #3)<br>(Supporting Coursework)            | --           |
| ECON  | 201             | Principles of Microeconomics (SGR #3)<br>(Major Requirement)       | --           | ECON  | 201             | Principles of Microeconomics (SGR #3)<br>(Major Requirement)       | --           |
| MATH<br>OR<br>MATH  | 121-121L<br>123 | Survey of Calculus and Lab (5) (SGR #5)<br>Calculus I (4) (SGR #5) | 4-5          | MATH<br>OR<br>MATH  | 121-121L<br>123 | Survey of Calculus and Lab (5) (SGR #5)<br>Calculus I (4) (SGR #5) | 4-5          |
| <b>Major Requirements</b>                                 |                 |  | <b>47</b>    | <b>Major Requirements</b>                                 |                 |  | <b>50</b>    |
| ACCT  | 210             | Principles of Accounting I   | 3            | ACCT  | 210             | Principles of Accounting I   | 3            |
| ACCT  | 211             | Principles of Accounting II  | 3            | ACCT  | 211             | Principles of Accounting II  | 3            |

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|---|-------------|--------------|----------------|---|-------------|--------------|----------------|
| Total number of hours required for degree |             |              | 120            | Total number of hours required for degree |             |              | 120            |

**Academic Requirements**

*Current:*

Students must earn a grade of "C" or better in ECON 485 - Economics Capstone.

If a student chooses to double major in two majors offered through the Ness School of Management and Economics (Economics, Agricultural Business, Business Economics and Entrepreneurial Studies), the second major needs to have at least 15 credits that are distinct from the first major.