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NEW/CHANGE PROGRAM REQUEST
Graduate Programs

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Program Name		**Effective Date** *(TERM & YEAR)*
MS Supply Chain Managment - Traditional	☐ **New Program***	
	✔ **Change Program***	Spring 2024

Please explain the requested change(s) and offer rationale below or on an attachment.

Remove ISM6404 as a program requirement, and in place of this add MAN6525 as a required course.

A comprehensive review of the curriculum indicates that the addition of MAN6525 (which focuses on Business Process Management) is needed in order to strengthen the manufacturing/process optimization focus of the program. QMB6616 (supply chain analytics) is focused on business analytiscs specifically for supply chain management and related applications, and as such satisfies the needed exposure of business analytics for the SCM students in this program

*All new programs and changes to existing programs must be accompanied by a catalog entry showing the new or proposed changes.

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Consult and list departments that may be affected by the change(s) and attach documentation

Approved by		*Date*
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SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT
MASTER OF SCIENCE (M.S.)

The Master of Science with Major in Supply Chain Management offers a strong curriculum delivering the foundations and principles of Supply Chain Management, Operations Management, Procurement and Sourcing. This curriculum is integrated with concentrated study of Business Analytics, Shipping and Trade to provide students with the key skills and hands-on experience demanded by employers locally, statewide, nationally and internationally. Students are required to complete 30 graduate-level credits with a 3.0 GPA or better to graduate. The program does not offer a thesis option. It is available in person or fully online.

Admission
The College of Business seeks a diverse, highly qualified group of graduate students. Applications are evaluated on several factors emphasizing prior academic performance, GMAT or GRE scores, work experience and the potential for scholarly and professional success. Important factors are:

1. A bachelor's degree in any discipline. No business prerequisites are required;
2. A GPA approximately 3.0 or higher over the last 60 undergraduate credits;
3. GRE/GMAT scores more than five years old are normally not acceptable. The GRE and the GMAT requirement is waived for any student who has a baccalaureate degree from FAU's Department of Information Technology and Operations Management (ITOM) with a GPA of at least 3.25 (out of a possible 4.0) in the last 60 credits attempted prior to graduation;
4. International students from non-English-speaking countries must be proficient in written and spoken English as evidenced by a score of at least 500 (paper-based test) or 213 (computer-based test) or 79 (internet-based test) on the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or a score of at least 6.0 on the International English Language Testing Systems (IELTS); and
5. Students must meet other requirements of the FAU Graduate College.

Degree Requirements
Students are required to complete 30 graduate-level credits or ten 3-credit courses (5000 level or higher) with a GPA of 3.0 or higher to graduate. The program does not offer a thesis option.

Required Courses - 24 credits

Communication Strategies for Business Professionals and Core-Course Follow-Up	GEB 6215	3 **or**
Communication Strategies for Business Professionals (for students in the Professional MSSCM only)	GEB 6217	3
Business Process Improvement Management	MAN 6525	3
~~Introduction to Business Analytics and Big Data~~	~~ISM 6404~~	~~3~~
Information Technology Sourcing Management	ISM 6509	3
Operations Management	MAN 6501	3
International Shipping, Trade and Port Management	MAN 6565	3

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