

University of Wisconsin-Whitewater  
Curriculum Proposal Form #4R  
**Change in or Deletion of an Existing Course**

Type of Action (check all that apply)

- Add Cross-listing \*
- Course Deletion
- Number Change
- (other)

- Pre-requisite Change
- Technological Literacy
- Title Change
- Writing Requirement

**Effective Term:** 2111 (Spring 2011)

**Current Course Number** (subject area and 3-digit course number): COUNSED 720

**Cross-listing** (if applicable):

**New Course Number** (subject area and 3-digit course number): **COUNSED 720**

**Cross-listing** (if applicable):

**\*If adding a cross-listing, include the following:**

Required in the major:

Required in the minor:

Number of credits:

Lab hours/week:

Contact hours/week:

Repeatable

**Current Course Title:** Career Development and Information Services

**New Course Title:** **Career Development and Information Services**

**25-Character Abbreviation** (if new title):

**Sponsor(s):** David Van Doren

**Department(s):** Counselor Education

**College(s):** Education

List all programs that are affected by this change:

None

If programs are listed above, will this change affect the Catalog and Advising Reports for those programs? If so, have Form 2's been submitted for each of those programs?

(Form 2 is necessary to provide updates to the Catalog and Advising Reports)

NA  Yes  They will be submitted in the future

Proposal Information: [\*Procedures for form #4R\*](#)

**I. Detailed explanation of changes** (use FROM/TO format)

***FROM:***

The course focuses upon the major theories of career development and sources of occupational and educational information. The course will also cover other areas such as developmental career guidance, career-development exploration techniques, approaches to career decision-making processes, the relationship between career choice, leisure life-style and other factors including multicultural and gender issues. Students will be given opportunities to explore and become involved with career information and theories of career development.

Prereq: COUNSED 718 or consent of instructor; concurrent enrollment permitted.

***TO:***

The course focuses on major theories of career development and decision making models. It addresses sources of career, educational, leisure, occupational and labor market information, career information systems, assessments, techniques pertinent for career planning, placement, and follow-up. Interrelationships between work, family and other life roles as well as multicultural issues in career development are examined. Students will have the opportunity to be involved with career development program planning, implementation, evaluation and theory application.

Corequisite: COUNSED 718

**II. Justification for action**

Changes have been made to clarify the focus of the course and to update the language to more accurately represent the present terminology in the counseling field.