

ACADEMIC COUNCIL REPORT

ACTION REQUESTED:

Recommendation
Decision
Discussion/Direction
Information

DATE: 22 March 2022

FROM: Undergraduate Studies Committee

SUBJECT: Minor Program Adjustment – Bachelor of Engineering in Automotive Engineering Programs

COMMITTEE MANDATE:

In accordance with Section 1. b) of the Undergraduate Studies Committee (USC) Terms of Reference, USC has the responsibility “to approve minor program adjustments and report them to Academic Council for information.”

BACKGROUND/CONTEXT & RATIONALE:

The Faculty proposed to move some courses to better align the requirements. Additionally, AUTE 3010U: Introduction to Automotive Engineering will be renamed to Fundamentals of Automotive Engineering; MECE 3390U will be removed and replaced with AUTE 3500U; MECE 4210U will be removed as a core course and added to the list of approved Engineering Electives; AUTE 4080U will be added to the list of required courses, and AUTE 4100U will be added to the list of approved Engineering Electives.

RESOURCES REQUIRED:

None, the number of courses does not change.

TRANSITION PLAN:

Fall 2021 (starting Year 2 in Fall 2022), Fall 2022 (starting Year 1), and future cohorts - Follow new program map.

Fall 2020 (starting Year 3) - Take AUTE 3500U instead of MECE 3390U.

Fall 2019 (starting Year 4) - Take AUTE 4080U instead of MECE 4210U.

Fall 2018 and earlier cohorts - Follow existing program map.

CONSULTATION AND APPROVAL:

USC: 15 February 2022

Faculty Council: 31 January 2022

ECC: 17 January 2022

NEXT STEPS:

This change will be included in the 2022-2023 Academic Calendar.

SUPPORTING REFERENCE MATERIALS:

- [Minor Program Adjustment Proposal](#)
- New Courses: [AUTE 3500U](#), [AUTE 4100U](#)
- Course Changes: [AUTE 4080U](#), [AUTE 4090U](#), [AUTE 3010U](#)