

### **Academic Degree Program Discontinuation/Consolidation Requests University of North Carolina at Greensboro**

#### **Bachelor of Arts in Anthropology (BA) (CIP 45.0201)**

The Bachelor of Arts in Anthropology (45.0201) will be discontinued effective fall 2024. The request to discontinue a degree program has been reviewed by the appropriate institutional committees and the appropriate academic authorities. The request to discontinue the Bachelor of Arts in Anthropology is due to the institution's request to curtail the program. Individualized plans of study have been developed for students enrolled in the program to ensure that the courses they need for timely degree completion will be offered. Students who make appropriate progress will be able to complete the program by spring 2028.

#### **Bachelor of Arts in Religious Studies (BA) (CIP 38.0201)**

The Bachelor of Arts in Religious Studies (38.0201) will be discontinued and consolidated effective fall 2024. The request to discontinue a degree program has been reviewed by the appropriate institutional committees and academic authorities. The Bachelor of Arts in Religious Studies will be discontinued and consolidated into the Bachelor of Arts in Liberal and Interdisciplinary Studies (30.0000). The discontinuation and consolidation will prevent unnecessary overlap between the programs. Current students can choose to remain in the Bachelor of Arts in Religious Studies or move to the Bachelor of Arts in Liberal and Interdisciplinary Studies. Students who remain in the program and make appropriate progress will be able to complete the program by spring 2028.

#### **Bachelor of Science in Physical Education, Teacher Education (K-12) (BS) (CIP 13.1314)**

The Bachelor of Science in Physical Education, Teacher Education (K-12) (13.1314) will be discontinued effective fall 2024. The request to discontinue a degree program has been reviewed by the appropriate institutional committees and academic authorities. The request to discontinue the Bachelor of Science in Physical Education, Teacher Education (K-12) is due to low student enrollments. Individualized plans of study have been developed for students enrolled in the program. Students who make appropriate progress will be able to complete the program by 2027.

#### **Bachelor of Science in Physics (BS) (CIP 40.0801)**

The Bachelor of Science in Physics (40.0801) will be discontinued effective fall 2024. The request to discontinue a degree program has been reviewed by the appropriate institutional committees and academic authorities. The request to discontinue the Bachelor of Science in Physics is due to low enrollment and comparatively poor rates of successful course completion. Individualized plans of study have been developed for students enrolled in the program. Students who make appropriate progress will be able to complete the program by spring 2028.

#### **Master of Arts in Mathematics (MA) (CIP 27.0101)**

The Master of Arts in Mathematics (27.0101) will be discontinued effective fall 2024. The request to discontinue a degree program has been reviewed by the appropriate institutional committees and academic authorities. The request to discontinue the Master of Arts in Mathematics is due to the institution's desire to redirect faculty resources to undergraduate programs. Individualized plans of study have been developed for students enrolled in the program. Students who make appropriate progress will be able to complete the program by spring 2028.

#### **Master of Fine Arts in Interior Architecture (MFA) (CIP 04.0501)**

The Master of Fine Arts in Interior Architecture (04.0501) will be discontinued effective fall 2024. The request to discontinue a degree program has been reviewed by the appropriate institutional committees and the appropriate academic authorities. The request to discontinue the Master of Fine Arts in Interior Architecture is due to low enrollment. Faculty will concentrate their efforts on growing and supporting the undergraduate program. Individualized plans of study have been developed for students enrolled in the program. Students who make appropriate progress will be able to complete the program by spring 2028.

**Master of Science in Nursing/Master of Business Administration in Health Management (MSN/MBA)  
(CIP 51.0701)**

The Master of Science in Nursing/Master of Business Administration in Health Management (51.0701) will be discontinued effective fall 2024. The request to discontinue a degree program has been reviewed by the appropriate institutional committees and academic authorities. The request to discontinue the Master of Science in Nursing/Master of Business Administration in Health Management dual degree program is due to low enrollment. Students who make appropriate progress will be able to complete the dual degree program by spring 2027.

**Doctor of Philosophy in Communication Sciences and Disorders (Ph.D.) (CIP 51.0201)**

The Doctor of Philosophy in Communication Sciences and Disorders (51.0201) will be discontinued effective fall 2024. The request to discontinue a degree program has been reviewed by the appropriate institutional committees and appropriate academic authorities. The request to discontinue the Doctor of Philosophy in Communication Sciences and Disorders is due to limited faculty availability for doctoral students and a low percentage of students completing the program within the seven-year time frame. Faculty workload will be reassigned to support other programs in the Communication Sciences and Disorders department. Individualized plans of study have been developed for students enrolled in the program. Students who make appropriate progress will be able to complete the program by spring 2028.

**Doctor of Philosophy in Computational Mathematics (Ph.D.) (CIP 27.0303)**

The Doctor of Philosophy in Computational Mathematics (27.0303) will be discontinued effective fall 2024. The request to discontinue a degree program has been reviewed by the appropriate institutional committees and appropriate academic authorities. The request to discontinue the Doctor of Philosophy in Computational Mathematics is due to the benefits of redirecting faculty resources to undergraduate programs. Individualized plans of study have been developed for students enrolled in the program. Students who make appropriate progress will be able to complete the program by spring 2030.

**Bachelor of Arts in Geography, Secondary Education (BA) (CIP 13.1317)**

The Bachelor of Arts in Geography, Secondary Education (13.1317) will be discontinued effective fall 2024. The request to discontinue a degree program has been reviewed by the appropriate institutional committees and by the appropriate academic authorities. The request to discontinue the Bachelor of Arts in Geography, Secondary Education is due to low enrollment. There are no students enrolled in the program.

**Master of Arts in Applied Geography (MA) (CIP 45.0701)**

The Master of Arts in Applied Geography (45.0701) will be discontinued effective fall 2024. The request to discontinue a degree program has been reviewed by the appropriate institutional committees and the appropriate academic authorities. The request to discontinue the Master of Arts in Applied Geography is due to low enrollment. Individualized plans of study have been developed for students enrolled in the program. Students who make appropriate progress will be able to complete the program by spring 2028.

**Master of Arts in Languages, Literatures and Cultures (MA) (CIP 16.0900)**

The Master of Arts in Languages, Literatures and Cultures (16.0900) will be discontinued effective fall 2024. The request to discontinue a degree program has been reviewed by the appropriate institutional committees and the appropriate academic authorities. The request to discontinue the Master of Arts in Languages, Literatures and Cultures is due to low enrollment. Faculty will concentrate their efforts on growing and supporting the Bachelor of Arts in Language, Literatures and Cultures. Individualized plans of study have been developed for students enrolled in the program to ensure that the courses they need for timely degree completion will be offered. Students who make appropriate progress will be able to complete the program by spring 2028.

**Master of Education in Special Education: General Curriculum (MEd) (CIP 13.1001)**

The Master of Education in Special Education: General Curriculum (13.1001) will be discontinued effective fall 2024. The request to discontinue a degree program has been reviewed by the appropriate institutional committees and academic authorities. The request to discontinue the Master of Education in Special Education: General Curriculum is due to low enrollment. Faculty will be reassigned to other courses offered by the Specialized Education Services department according to their areas of expertise. Individualized plans of study have been developed for students enrolled in the program to ensure that the courses they need for timely degree completion will be offered. Students who make appropriate progress will be able to complete the program by spring 2025.

**Bachelor of Arts in Physics (BA) (CIP 40.0801)**

The Bachelor of Arts in Physics (40.0801) will be discontinued effective fall 2024. This request to discontinue a degree program, delivery mode, or site has been reviewed by the appropriate institutional committees and academic authorities. The request to discontinue the Bachelor of Arts in Physics is due to low enrollment and comparatively poor rates of successful course completion. Individualized plans of study have been developed for students enrolled in the program. Students who make appropriate progress will be able to complete the program by spring 2028.

**Recommendation:** UNC System Office staff recommend that the University of North Carolina Board of Governors approve the request of University of North Carolina at Greensboro to discontinue the delivery of the above-described academic degree programs effective fall 2024.