**Northern Arizona University**

**Office of the Provost**

**Program Request Form for Changing the Name of an Academic Unit or College**

**For approval by Provost/President and ABOR for Degree Program Name Changes**

**Submit to:** [**Curriculum.Assessment@nau.edu**](mailto:Curriculum.Assessment@nau.edu)

**PROPOSAL**

NOTE: A name change typically takes ~18 months for implementation.

Primary Contact for Submission:

College Resourcing the Program:

*If colleges are partnering to create the program, identify the "Primary College" as the college providing the most academic units toward the credential, then list the other college or colleges also resourcing the partnership.*

Academic Unit(s):

*If academic units are partnering to create the program, identify the "Primary Academic Unit" as the unit providing the most course units toward the credential, then list the other units also resourcing the partnership.*

**Proposed Title of Academic Unit or College**:

**Brief Description of the Rationale/Justification.  Max of 500 words.  Describe the purpose of the name change (*For example, does it align better with other changes in the organizational structure? with changes to the curriculum? Is it due to changes in market trends? Does it reflect changes in the discipline?)*. If applicable, provide evidence that the name change will positively impact student demand.**

***The Completed Proposal will be reviewed by the Provost Team. Academic Unit Name Changes require approval from ABOR prior to implementation.***