Petition for a Non-Capstone Master of Science Degree

Name __________________________ Date ______________________

UM ID ______________ Email __________________________________________

Specialization ______________________

I request permission to waive the capstone requirement and instead take additional approved course work. This is intended for students who have work experience and do not necessarily need the skills that are learned by completing a capstone. I am submitting a 150-200 word statement explaining why this change in capstone is most appropriate for me along with the courses approved for the non-opus option by my advisor.

Additional Course Information

Course Number ______________ Term Course Taken ______________
(as appears on academic record)

Course Title _______________________________________________________

Course Instructor ___________________________________________________

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Approvals

Your Faculty Advisor must approve this request:

Faculty Advisor’s Name ______________________________________________

Faculty Advisor’s Signature __________________________________________ Date __________

Specialization Coordinator’s Name ______________________________________

Specialization Coordinator’s Signature ________________________________ Date __________

Approved by Associate Dean __________________________________________ Date __________

DEADLINE – THIS SHOULD BE COMPLETED BEFORE THE DROP/ADD DEADLINE OF THE WINTER TERM OF YOUR 1ST YEAR IN SEAS.

For Internal Use Only: ___ Update non-capstone spreadsheet

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