

The University Senate of Michigan Technological University

Proposal 45-22

(Voting Units: Academic)

Proposal to Change name of Minor from “Pharmaceutical Chemistry” to “Medicinal Chemistry”

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Department of Chemistry

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1. General description and characteristics: This proposal is to change the name of the “Pharmaceutical Chemistry” **minor** to “Medicinal Chemistry.”

2. Proposed new title: “Medicinal Chemistry”

3. Rationale: (i) The "parent" BS degree changed from Pharmaceutical Chemistry to Medicinal Chemistry this year; the minor should match. (ii) A new Pre-pharmacy BA degree has just been approved; changing the minor will avoid confusion with that degree.

Students may continue with the current name or change to medicinal chemistry. New students will be enrolled under the new name.

4. Related programs: N/A

5. Projection of number of students: No change

6. Curriculum design NA

7. New course description NA

8. Model schedule NA

9. Library and learning resources NA

10. Equipment NA

11. Program costs NA

12. Accreditation requirements. No additional accreditation requirements.

13. Planned implementation. Fall 2022