Recommendation for Discontinuance of a Degree or Certificate Program

(USRR Academic Program Discontinuance Policy https://policy.ku.edu/governance/USRR#ArticleVIII)

Name of Program and Type of Program (Degree or Undergraduate or Graduate Certificate):
Science Management Graduate Certificate

Academic plan and subplan codes to be retired: *SCIMGT-GC*

Department: *School of Professional Studies*

School/College/Unit: *School of Professional Studies*

CIP Code: 03.0103

Number of students currently enrolled (AIRE): 0

Number of students enrolled over the past five academic years (AIRE): 2

Number of program graduates over the past five years: (AIRE): 1

Rationale for recommendation: This certificate was developed to support the business and management needs of students from the science industry. However, we have found more success in curriculum adjustments within our master's degrees. Discontinuing the certificate will free up a bit of administrative and advising capacity.

Impact of discontinuance:

On students: None, there are no students currently enrolled. We will continue to offer similar courses to meet the personal skills needed for perspective students.

On faculty: None, there are no students currently enrolled. We will continue to offer similar courses, so no faculty changes.

On staff: We will free up a bit of administrative and advising capacity by discontinuing the certificate.

On mission: None, we will continue to offer the courses, so students will continue to have access to the educational outcomes.

Signature and Sequence of Review:

SPS Dean: _____ **Date: _03/26/21_**

Provost/EVC:____ Barbara A. Bichelmeyer _____ **Date: _04/28/21_**