

**ACADEMIC PROGRAMS UPDATE
SEPTEMBER 2023**

1. Undergraduate Program Development:

Undergraduate Program Actions Requiring Board of Trustees Action and/or Notification or Approval by the Ohio Department of Higher Education

Since the last set of YSU Board of Trustees meetings, the Ohio Department of Higher Education (ODHE) has approved the following undergraduate program changes:

- No changes to report.

2. Graduate Program Development:

Graduate Program Actions Requiring Board of Trustees Action and/or Notification or Approval by the Chancellor's Council on Graduate Studies (CCGS)

- A full proposal to offer the **MS in Data Science and Statistics** is being reviewed by CCGS.
- Two new MBA specializations—**Organizational Leadership** and **Human Resources**—were approved by CCGS.
- A request for a combined Bachelor's to Master's program in **BS in Applied Science in Criminal Justice** to an **MS in Criminal Justice** was approved by campus committees and is being reviewed by CCGS.
- A request for a combined Bachelor's to Master's program in **BSAS Forensic Science, BS Chemistry, BA Chemistry, and BS Biochemistry** to an **MS in Chemistry** is being reviewed by campus committees.