

UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND, BALTIMORE COUNTY (UMBC)
Department of Information Systems

MENTOR CHANGE FORM

This form allows a doctoral student to change mentors.

Briefly identify the reason(s) for changing mentors:

NOTES:

1. It is strongly discouraged to change mentors after proposal defense.
2. It is expected that the new mentor ensures that major intellectual contributions of the dissertation are conducted under the guidance of the new mentor.
3. Exceptions to the above are limited to cases when faculty leave the department, and/or based on agreement of the involved faculty (old and new mentor) and the Graduate Program Director.

By signing below, all involved parties agree to the above requirements.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT SIGNATURES		
Student:	Signature:	Date:
New Mentor:	Signature:	Date:
Co-Mentor (optional):	Signature:	Date:
Previous mentor:	Signature:	Date:
Graduate Program Director:	Signature:	Date:

This form is submitted to the Information Systems Department and is kept in the student's file.