

The College proposes to change the name of the “Undeclared” student track to “Exploratory.” We have two principal goals with this name change:

1. We want to remove the idea that “undeclared” students are lacking something, which is explicit in the negative prefix in the current term;
2. Concurrently, we want to send a signal that exploration and (self) discovery are integral part of the college experience.

In addition to this name change, the College will implement activities that will help exploratory students seek and find clarity concerning their personal, intellectual, and professional goals.

Such renaming is consistent with what many other institutions of higher learning have already done (among them: University of Florida; Florida State University; Auburn University; UC-Davis; Boston University; Ithaca College; and more).