

Date: June 22, 2017  
To: Tomas Velasco  
From: Rick McKinnies  
Re: Final Report for the New Programs Committee for the 2016/2017 Year

The purpose of this letter is to report the activities that took place for the New Program's Committee from September 2016 to May 2017. During this period, the New Program Committee reviewed eight RME's and wrote eight resolutions. Of the eight resolutions, six were read during the meeting and voted on (all passing the council), one resolution the college requested a temporary hold, and one resolution the first reading was completed at our last meeting with no objection and the second reading will take place at the first Graduate Council meeting in September 2017.

Below is a list of the all eight resolutions as indicated above:

Six resolutions that passed the council;

- Resolution in support of accelerated MA in Criminology and Criminal Justice
- Resolution in support of accelerated MA-MS in Economics
- Resolution in support of the MSED-JD in Higher Education and Law
- Resolution in support of name change in HER
- Resolution in support of PSM in Zoology
- Resolution in support of the elimination of Urban Landscape Concentration

Resolution put on hold at the request of the College of Education and Human Services;  
Resolution in support of the name change in Rehabilitation Counseling

Resolution where the first vote was completed;

- Resolution in support of the addition of SPED Post-Baccalaureate Certificate

If additional information is necessary, be sure to let me know.

Thank you,

Rick McKinnies  
New Programs Committee Chair