

## ***MEMORANDUM***

**TO:** Members of the Faculty Senate

**FROM:** Dr. Kyle Marrero, President

**RE:** Response to Senate Actions

**DATE:** February 3, 2016



Following is my response to the actions of the Faculty Senate as represented in the minutes of the meeting of December 4, 2015, which were approved at the Faculty Senate meeting on January 29, 2016. All program approvals are made contingent upon the department's commitment to staff the changes out of existing internal funds. Note that Section 3.6.2 of the Board of Regents *Policy Manual* states, *inter alia*: "The termination of educational programs, degrees, or majors shall be submitted to the Chancellor for review and recommendation for action by the Board of Regents." So, all program, degree, and major terminations (as well as additions) need to be approved by the Board. Our requests should include the rationale and the plan for addressing the needs of existing students.

### **Committee Reports:**

#### **Undergraduate Programs Committee**

Motions to modify THEA 3394, CISM 3335, B.B.A. in Marketing, B.S. in Sports Management, and minor in Marketing for non-Business majors and to add MGNT 3633 were approved.

I accept these motions.

#### **Graduate Programs Committee**

Motions to add SPED 6705, 6795, 8795 and MKTG 5868 and to modify Ph.D. in Psychology were approved.

I accept these motions.