


## MEMORANDUM

**TO:** Members of the Faculty Senate  
**FROM:** Dr. Kyle Marrero, President   
**RE:** Response to Senate Actions  
**DATE:** November 21, 2016

Following is my response to the actions of the Faculty Senate as represented in the minutes of the meeting of September 9, 2016, which were approved at the Faculty Senate meeting on October 14, 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:

#### Correction to December 2015 & January and March 2016 Minutes

Motion to make corrections (as listed in the September minutes) to the December 2015 and March 2016 minutes and add an information item to the January 2016 minutes was approved.

I accept this motion.

#### Undergraduate Programs Committee

Motions to modify Bachelor of Business Administration with a major in Management, Bachelor of Business Administration with a major in Management Information Systems, and Bachelor of Science with a major in Criminology, and to add POLS 2101 and POLS 4606 were all approved.

I accept these motions.

#### Graduate Programs Committee

Motions were approved to add CEPD 6177, BIOL 5735, and MATH 6523, and modify Master of Professional Counseling in College Student Affairs.

I accept these motions.

### Academic Policies Committee

Motion to require the MOWR Minor Acknowledgement form of all MOWR students (not just 10<sup>th</sup> graders) was approved.

I accept this motion.

### Rules Committee

Motion to modify UWG Faculty Handbook, Section 203, Class Roster (see agenda), was passed.

I accept this motion.