

MEMORANDUM

TO: Members of the Faculty Senate

FROM: Dr. Kyle Marrero, President

RE: Response to Senate Actions

DATE: April 18, 2014

Following is my response to the actions of the Faculty Senate as represented in the minutes of the meeting of January 24, 2014, which were approved at the Faculty Senate meeting on February 21, 2014. 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

A) Motion to add ART 3100, ART 3150, ART 3151, and ART 4408 was approved.

I accept this motion.

B) Motion to modify course requirements for BS in Sport Management was approved.

I accept this motion.

C) Motions to add prebaccalaureate certificate program (Cultural Resource Management – Anthropology) and ANTH 3170 were approved.

I accept these motions.

Motion to modify prerequisites for POLS 4504 International Political Economy was approved.

I accept this motion.

Motion to modify course requirements for BS in Criminology was passed after a minor editorial change (see minutes).

I accept this motion.

Motion to modify course requirements for BA in International Economics was passed.

I accept this motion.

Graduate Programs Committee

A) Motions to add CEPD 6135, CEPD 7105, CEPD 7141, CEPD 7153, and CEPD 7158 and to modify SPED 8783 and SPED 8784 were approved.

I accept these motions.

B) Motions to modify Ph.D. in Psychology (see agenda) and PSYC 7004 (renumbering of PSYC 8003 as PSYC 7004) were approved.

I accept these motions.

C) Motion to add ACCT 6242 and delete ACCT 5242 was approved.

I accept this motion.