

MEMORANDUM

TO: Members of the Faculty Senate

FROM: Dr. Kyle Marrero, President 1

RE: Response to Senate Actions

DATE: January 10, 2014

Following is my response to the actions of the Faculty Senate as represented in the minutes of the meeting of October 18, 2013, which were approved at the Faculty Senate meeting on November 15, 2013. 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

Motion to add ACCT 4265 was approved.

I accept this motion.

Graduate Programs Committee

Motions to add ACCT 5233 and ACCT 5265 were approved.

I accept these motions.