



MEMORANDUM

TO: Members of the Faculty Senate

FROM: Dr. J. Micheal Crafton, Interim President

RE: Response to Senate Actions

DATE: April 22, 2019

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Following is my response to the actions of the Faculty Senate as represented in the minutes of the meeting of February 22, 2019, which were approved at the Faculty Senate meeting on March 29, 2019. 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 add or modify various courses, programs, or degrees (see minutes) were approved.

I accept these motions.

Graduate Programs Committee

Motions to modify M.A. in Psychology, MEDT 7451, and MEDT 7455 were passed.

I accept these motions.

Academic Policies Committee

Motion to modify UWG Admissions Policy - International/Permanent Resident Student Admission was passed (see Figure I).

I accept this motion.

Rules Committee

Motions to modify the following sections of the UWG *Faculty Handbook* were approved (also see Figure II):

- a) 103.0201, Formation and Operation of Faculty Promotion and Tenure Evaluation Committees
- b) 103.0202, Dean's Evaluation
- c) 103.0203, The Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs' Evaluation
- d) 103.0204, Final Approval

I accept these motions.