

Institutional Response to Annual Report of Low-Producing Programs

Summary of Actions

The applicable program faculty, chairs, deans and chief executive officer have determined that the following programs should be phased out, consolidated with existing program(s), or be considered for a temporary exemption:

Low-Producing Program Information			Proposed Action		
Degree Name	Program Name	CIP Code	Phase out	Consolidate*	Temporary Exemption†
BA	Economics	45.0601.00	8/31/2016		
BA	French	16.0901.00	8/31/2016		
BS	HS&CS-Child and Family Development	19.0706.00	8/31/2011		
MA	Fine Arts	50.0101.00	8/31/2014		
MS	HS&CS - Nutrition	19.0501.00	8/31/2011		
MS	Industrial Technology	13.1309.00	8/31/2014		
BSIT	Industrial Technology-Construction Technology	52.0205.00		X	
BSIT	Industrial Technology-Design Technology	15.1301.00		X	
BA	Art	50.0702.00			X
BSDIET	Dietetics	51.3101.00			X
BS	Spanish	16.0905.00			X
MA	English	23.0101.00			X
MA	History	54.0101.00			X
BS	Aviation Science & Technology-Aviation Science Management	49.0104.00			X
MS	Chemistry	40.0501.00			X
MS	Mathematics	27.0101.00			X
BS	Physics	40.0801.00			X
BSPAP	Public Affairs	44.0401.00			X

† Complete the *Request for Temporary Exemption of a Low-Producing Program* form, (<http://www.theccb.state.tx.us/lowproducing>).

Extensions Granted

COLABS

BA Art
BS Dietetics
BA Spanish
MA English
MA History

COST

BS Aviation Science & Technology/
Aviation Science Management
MS Chemistry

BJ-MLSPA

BS Public Affairs

Extensions Denied

COST

MS Mathematics
BS Physics

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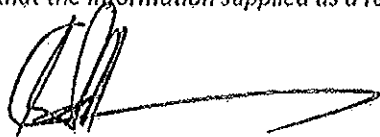
*Additional Information for consolidation of programs

Programs to be consolidated				Consolidated program			
Degree Name	Program Name	CIP Code	Closure date	Degree Name	Program Name	CIP Code	Minimum SCH
BSIT	Industrial Technology - Construction Technician	52.0205.00	8/31/2016	BSIT	Industrial Technology	15.0612.00	120
BSIT	Industrial Technology - Design Technology	15.1301.00	8/31/2016				

1. Briefly give the reasons for consolidation. Include a justification for the choice of CIP code and benefits to the students for a consolidated program.
2. Describe the alignment among degree program requirements for each program under consideration for consolidation. Identify common course requirements, designated/prescribed electives, free electives, etc.
3. Explain how the change would affect programmatic accreditation or re-accreditation.
4. Describe the cost efficiency benefits of consolidating the programs.

NOTE: As applicable, the consolidated program must adhere to the GIPWE requirements, *Standards for Bachelor's and Master's Degrees (Chapter 5, Subchapter C, §5.45)*, or the criteria for doctoral programs (*Chapter 5, Subchapter C, §5.46*) and the 18 Characteristics of a Texas Public Doctoral Programs.

I certify that the information supplied as a response to the annual low-producing report is accurate.



Chief Academic/Information Officer

5/26/11
Date

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Sunset Statement

All programs identified for phase out will prohibit the declaration of majors beginning fall semester of 2011. Each of these programs will have a maximum of 5 years to matriculate any majors left within the undergraduate programs and a maximum of 3 years to matriculate any majors left within the graduate programs. Upon matriculating the last major or the end of the time frame set forward, the degree will be terminated from the University Program Inventory.