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Dear Colleagues:

The attached proposal to terminate the following majors will be an agenda item for the January 19, 2011, Full University Curriculum Committee meeting:

Mathematics Education (Ed.D.)
Special Education (Ed.D.)

Sincerely,

David E. Shipley, Chair
University Curriculum Committee

cc: Provost Jere W. Morehead
    Dr. Laura D. Jolly

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TO: Dr. Maureen Grasso, Dean Graduate School
FROM: Dr. Jim Marshall, Associate Dean for Academic Programs
DATE: August 19, 2010
RE: Termination Proposals

Enclosed please find the following termination proposals from the Departments of Mathematics and Science Education and Communication Sciences and Special Education:
- Mathematics Education, Ed.D.
- Special Education, Ed.D.

The College of Education’s Curriculum Committee approved these proposals on August 19, 2010.

xc: Libby Johnson
August 2, 2010

Fiona Liken  
Curriculum Systems  
116 Franklin House  
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Dear Fiona:

We wish to terminate the Ed.D in Mathematics Education because it has not been active since we established the Ph.D. There are currently no students enrolled in the program, and we have not admitted students to the program for over 15 years. There are no immediate plans for reinstatement of this degree program. Terminating the degree will have no impact on other degree programs in our department.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Denise A. Spangler  
Department Head

cc: James Marshall, Associate Dean

Approved:  
Máureen Grasso  
Dean, Graduate School
July 14, 2010

Fiona Liken  
Curriculum Systems  
116 Franklin House  

Dear Fiona:

We wish to terminate the Ed.D in Special Education because it is no longer active. There are currently no students enrolled in the program and there have not been any graduates in the last five years. There are no plans for reinstatement of this degree program.

The department supports this decision to terminate. In fact, we thought we had terminated the degree several years ago. Terminating the degree will not weaken other degree programs offered in our department; at the doctoral level, we are concentrating on growing our Ph.D. program.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Al De Chichis  
Department Head

Approved:  
Maureen Grasso  
Dean, Graduate School