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## SENATE LEGISLATION APPROVAL

<b>Date:</b>	March 4, 2010
<b>To:</b>	C. D. Mote, Jr.
<b>From:</b>	Elise Miller-Hooks Chair, University Senate 
<b>Subject:</b>	PCC Proposal to Terminate or Suspend Inactive EDCI Graduate Programs
<b>Senate Document #:</b>	09-10-26


I am pleased to forward for your consideration the attached legislation entitled, "PCC Proposal to Terminate or Suspend Inactive EDCI Graduate Programs." Alex Chen, Chair of the Programs, Curricula and Courses (PCC) Committee, presented the proposal. The University Senate approved the proposal at its March 3, 2010 meeting.

We request that you inform the Senate Office of your decision as well as any subsequent action related to your conclusion.

Enclosure: PCC Proposal to Terminate or Suspend Inactive EDCI Graduate Programs  
Senate Document # 09-10-26

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- Cc: Nariman Farvardin, Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs & Provost  
Reka Montfort, Executive Secretary and Director, University Senate  
Ellin Scholnick, Associate Provost for Faculty Affairs  
Terry Roach, Executive Assistant to the President  
Janet Turnbull, President's Legal Office  
Elizabeth Beise, Interim Associate Provost for Academic Planning & Programs

Approved:   
C. D. Mote, Jr.  
President

Date: 3/5/10



## University Senate TRANSMITTAL FORM

<b>Senate Document #:</b>	09-10-26
<b>PCC ID #:</b>	09047
<b>Title:</b>	Proposal to Terminate or Suspend Inactive EDCI Graduate Programs
<b>Presenter:</b>	Alex Chen, Chair, Senate Programs, Curricula, and Courses Committee
<b>Date of SEC Review:</b>	1/19/10
<b>Date of Senate Review:</b>	2/3/10
<b>Voting (highlight one):</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. On resolutions or recommendations one by one, or</li> <li>2. In a single vote</li> <li>3. To endorse entire report</li> </ol>
<b>Statement of Issue:</b>	<p>The College of Education wishes to terminate or suspend the following inactive graduate programs in order to remove them from the Maryland Higher Education Commission Academic Program Inventory. All but one of these programs are inactive. These inactive programs have no enrolled students or applicants. The College is proposing to suspend the one program that is still active.</p> <p>The programs proposed for termination are as follows:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The M.A. in Curriculum and Instruction Computers in Education Area of Concentration</li> <li>2. The Ph.D. in Curriculum and Instruction Art Education Area of Concentration</li> <li>3. The Large Scale Assessment Post-Baccalaureate Certificate offered by the Department of Measurement, Statistics and Evaluation</li> <li>4. The M.A. in Measurement, Statistics and Evaluation <b>Measurement</b> Area of Concentration</li> <li>5. The M.A. in Measurement, Statistics and Evaluation <b>Statistics</b> Area of Concentration</li> <li>6. The M.A. in Measurement, Statistics and Evaluation <b>Program Evaluation</b> Area of Concentration</li> <li>7. The M.Ed. in Education Concepts and Practices</li> <li>8. The Ph.D. in Counseling and Personnel Services Counseling</li> </ol>

	<p>and Consultation Area of Concentration</p> <p>9. The MA in Curriculum and Instruction Specializations in Elementary Education, Reading Education, and Second Language Education and Culture</p> <p>10. The Ph.D. and Ed.D. Elementary Education Area of Concentration.</p> <p>Additionally, the College of Education would like to suspend the M.A. in Curriculum and Instruction Non-Thesis Option Areas of Concentration in Mathematics Education; Minority and Urban Education; and Science Education. These are low enrollment specializations that are available (and more suitable for) the Thesis Option for the M.A.</p> <p>The proposal was submitted to the Senate by the Office of Academic Affairs following favorable recommendation by the Academic Planning Advisory Committee (APAC) on October 26; the Graduate Council Programs, Curricula &amp; Courses Committee on November 19 (with email notification to the full Graduate Council); and the Senate Programs, Curricula &amp; Courses Committee on December 4.</p>
<b>Relevant Policy # &amp; URL:</b>	N/A
<b>Recommendation:</b>	The Senate Committee on Programs, Curricula, and Courses recommends that the Senate approve these program terminations and suspension.
<b>Committee Work:</b>	The Committee considered the proposal at its meeting on December 4, 2009. Kathy Angeletti, the College's Assistant Dean for Administration and Planning, was present to answer questions. After discussion, the Committee voted unanimously to recommend the proposal.
<b>Alternatives:</b>	The Senate could decline to approve the proposed program terminations.
<b>Risks:</b>	If the Senate does not approve the proposed program terminations, the University will continue to have these unused or underused academic programs listed on the state's academic program inventory.
<b>Financial Implications:</b>	There are no financial implications with this proposal.
<b>Further Approvals Required:</b> <i>(*Important for PCC Items)</i>	President and Chancellor (with notification to the Maryland Higher Education Commission.)

# THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND, COLLEGE PARK PROGRAM/CURRICULUM/UNIT PROPOSAL

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PCC LOG NO.

09047

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**College/School: College of Education**

College/School Unit Code-First 8 digits: 01203100

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**Department/Program: Multiple Departments**

Department/Program Unit code-Last 7 digits:

**Type of Action (choose one):**

- Curriculum change (including informal specializations)
- Renaming of program or formal Area of Concentration*
- Addition/deletion of formal Area of Concentration*
- Suspend/delete program*
- New academic degree/award program*
- New Professional Studies award iteration
- New Minor
- Other

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**Summary of Proposed Action:**

This cover sheet incorporates multiple deletion proposals. These related proposals were consolidated under one PCC proposal log number to better organize and present the numerous proposals put forward by the College of Education in fall 2009. The proposals organized under PCC-log number 09047 include proposals that relate to the deletion or suspension of different Education graduate programs:

- 09014-Delete EDCI MA Computers in Education Concentration
- 09015-Delete EDCI PhD Art Education Area of Concentration
- 09016-Delete EDMS Large Scale Assessment Certificate
- 09017-Delete EDMS MA-Measurement Concentration
- 09018-Delete EDMS MA-Statistics Concentration
- 09019-Delete EDMS MA-Program Evaluation Concentration
- 09020-Delete EDUC M.Ed. Education Concepts and Practices

- 09021-Delete EDCP Ph.D. Counseling and Consultation Area of Concentration
- 09023-Suspend EDCI M.A. Specialties in Elementary Education, Reading Education, Second Language Education and Culture
- 09024-Delete EDCI Ed.D. and Ph.D. Elementary Education Concentrations
- 09025-Suspend EDCI M.A. Non-Thesis Option Specialties in Mathematics Education, Minority and Urban Education, and Science Education

Individual cover sheets for each proposal are attached.

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APPROVAL SIGNATURES - Please print name, sign, and date. Use additional lines for multi-unit programs.

1. Department Committee Chair **see attached** \_\_\_\_\_
2. Department Chair **see attached** \_\_\_\_\_
3. College/School PCC Chair **see attached** \_\_\_\_\_
4. Dean **see attached** \_\_\_\_\_
5. Dean of the Graduate School (if required) **see attached** \_\_\_\_\_
6. Chair, Senate PCC **see attached** \_\_\_\_\_
7. University Senate Chair (if required) \_\_\_\_\_
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09014

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College/School: **Education**

Department/Program: **Curriculum and Instruction – Master of Arts**

Type of Action (choose one):

- Curriculum change (including informal specializations)     *New academic degree/award program*  
 *Renaming of program or formal Area of Concentration*     New Professional Studies award iteration  
 *Addition/deletion of formal Area of Concentration*     New Minor  
 *Suspend/delete program*     Other

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Summary of Proposed Action:

Delete the **Computers in Education Area of Concentration** in the EDCI MA program. This program has been inactive for a number of years, and the department has decided to discontinue it. There are no students enrolled in this area of concentration.

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1. Department Committee Chair ANNA GRAEBER A. Graeber 11-4-09
2. Department Chair LINDA VALLI Linda Valli 11-4-09
3. College/School PCC Chair Anne Graeber ANNA GRAEBER 11-5-09
4. Dean Steph mkyj 11/6/09
5. Dean of the Graduate School (if required) [Signature] 12/3/09
6. Chair, Senate PCC [Signature] 12/4/09
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**09015**

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**College/School: Education**

**Department/Program: Curriculum and Instruction – Ph.D.**

**Type of Action (choose one):**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Suspend/delete program</i>                                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Other                                    |

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**Summary of Proposed Action:**

Delete the *Art Education Area of Concentration* in the EDCI Ph.D. program. This program has been inactive for a number of years, and the department has decided to discontinue it due to changes in the faculty staffing within the department. There are no students enrolled in this area of concentration.

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2. Department Chair LINDA VALLI Linda Valli 11-4-09
3. College/School PCC Chair ANNA GRAEBER Anna Graeber 11-5-09
4. Dean Steve W. [Signature] 11/09/09
5. Dean of the Graduate School (if required) [Signature] 12/3/09
6. Chair, Senate PCC [Signature] 12/4/09
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College/School: **Education**

Department/Program: **Measurement, Statistics, and Evaluation (EDMS)**

Type of Action (choose one):

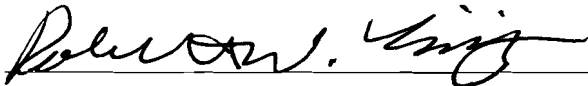


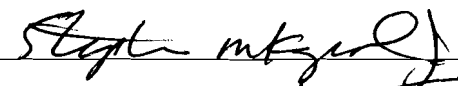
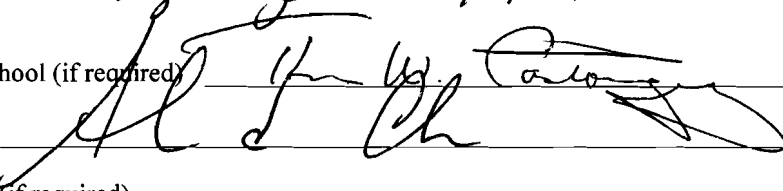
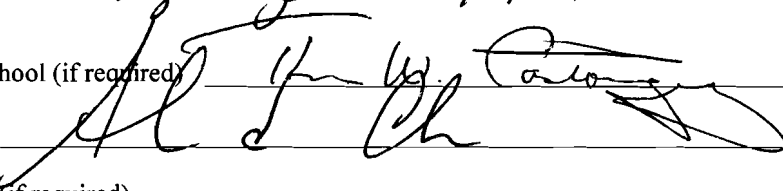
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**Summary of Proposed Action:**

Delete the *Large Scale Assessment Certificate* in EDMS. This was a joint endeavor funded by the National Center for Education Statistics to train National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP) coordinators at the state level. The project fulfilled its mission, and thus federal funding was terminated. There are no students currently enrolled in this program.

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2. Department Chair 
3. College/School PCC Chair ANNA GREEBER     11/05/09
4. Dean  11/09/09
5. Dean of the Graduate School (if required)  12/3/09
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**College/School: Education**

**Department/Program: Measurement, Statistics, and Evaluation (EDMS) – Master of Arts Area of Concentration in Measurement**

**Type of Action (choose one):**

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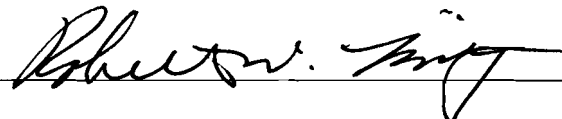
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**Summary of Proposed Action:**


Deletion of *Measurement, Program Evaluation, and Statistics* Areas of Concentration in the EDMS MA: In the early 1990s, the department decided that students interested in each of these specific areas required so much training from the other areas as well that it was no longer a useful distinction for our students.

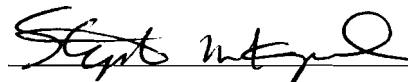
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3. College/School PCC Chair ANNA GREEBER  11/05/09

4. Dean  11/9/09

5. Dean of the Graduate School (if required)  12/3/09

6. Chair, Senate PCC  12/4/09

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**College/School: Education**

**Department/Program: Measurement, Statistics, and Evaluation (EDMS) – Master of Arts Area of Concentration in Statistics**

**Type of Action (choose one):**

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**Summary of Proposed Action:**

Deletion of *Measurement, Program Evaluation, and Statistics* Areas of Concentration in the EDMS MA: In the early 1990s, the department decided that students interested in each of these specific areas required so much training from the other areas as well that it was no longer a useful distinction for our students.

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2. Department Chair Donna Blue
3. College/School PCC Chair ANNA GRAEBER Anna Graeber 11/05/09
4. Dean Steph m/gray 11/9/09
5. Dean of the Graduate School (if required) 11/10/09 W. Casanova 12/3/09
6. Chair, Senate PCC [Signature] 12/4/09
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College/School: Education

Department/Program: Measurement, Statistics, and Evaluation (EDMS) – Master of Arts Area of Concentration in Program Evaluation

Type of Action (choose one):

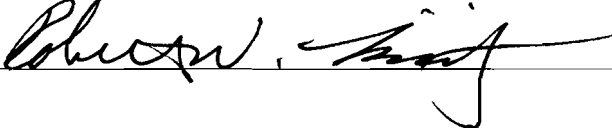
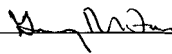

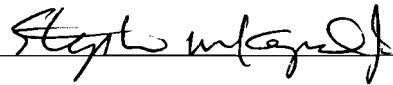
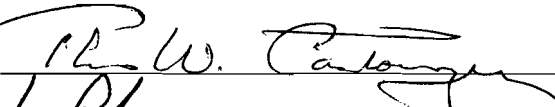
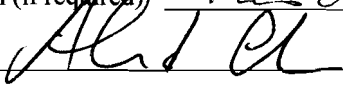
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 *Suspend/delete program*     Other

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Summary of Proposed Action:

Deletion of *Measurement, Program Evaluation, and Statistics* Areas of Concentration in the EDMS MA: In the early 1990s, the department decided that students interested in each of these specific areas required so much training from the other areas as well that it was no longer a useful distinction for our students.

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2. Department Chair 
3. College/School PCC Chair Anna GRAEBER  11/05/09
4. Dean  11/9/09
5. Dean of the Graduate School (if required)  12/3/09
6. Chair, Senate PCC  12/4/09
7. University Senate Chair (if required) \_\_\_\_\_
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**College/School: Education**

**Department/Program: EDUC/Education Concepts and Practices M.Ed.**

**Type of Action (choose one):**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Addition/deletion of formal Area of Concentration</i>   | <input type="checkbox"/> New Minor                                |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Suspend/delete program</i>                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Other                                    |

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**Summary of Proposed Action:**

This master's level program was approved effective fall 2003, but never was officially implemented. No students have ever been enrolled in this program.

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- Department Committee Chair \_\_\_\_\_
- Department Chair Margaret J. McLaughlin, Asso. Dean for Graduate Research *Education & Research*
- College/School PCC Chair ANNA GRÄBER *Anna Gräber* 11/05/09
- Dean Steve M. G. [Signature] 11/9/09
- Dean of the Graduate School (if required) Th. W. [Signature] 12/3/09
- Chair, Senate PCC [Signature] 12/4/09
- University Senate Chair (if required) \_\_\_\_\_
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**09021**

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**College/School: Education**

**Department/Program: Counseling and Personnel Services – Ph.D.**

**Type of Action (choose one):**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Suspend/delete program</i>                                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Other                                    |

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**Summary of Proposed Action:**

Delete the ***Counseling and Consultation Area of Concentration*** in the Ph.D. program. This program has been inactive for a number of years, and the department has decided to discontinue it. There are no students enrolled in this area of concentration.

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1. Department Committee Chair Herwig Teglas / Herwig Teglas
2. Department Chair [Signature]
3. College/School PCC Chair Anna Genterer Alone Maabu 11/05/09
4. Dean [Signature] 11/09/09
5. Dean of the Graduate School (if required) [Signature] 12/3/09
6. Chair, Senate PCC [Signature] 12/4/09
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**09020**

**College/School:** College of Education

**Department/Program:** EDCI

**Type of Action (choose one):**

- Curriculum change (including informal specializations)
- Renaming of program or formal Area of Concentration*
- Addition/deletion of formal Area of Concentration*
- Suspend/delete program*

- New academic degree/award program*
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- New Minor
- Other

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**Summary of Proposed Action:** Suspend and subsequently delete the following specialties from the EDCI Master of Arts:

- Elementary Education
- Reading Education
- Second Language Education and Culture

**Rationale:** These specialties have been in existence for a long time. They attract few students and those wishing masters level work have M.Ed. specialties available. In an effort to operate more efficiently and cost effectively, we ask that admission to these specialties be officially suspended and that the specialties be deleted when all current enrollees have graduated.

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2. Department Chair Linda R. Valli Linda R. Valli November 10, 2009
3. College/School PCC Chair Anna Graeber Anna O. Graeber November 10, 2009
4. Dean [Signature] 11/11/09
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**College/School:** College of Education

**Department/Program:** Curriculum and Instruction

**Type of Action (choose one):**

■ *Addition/deletion of formal Area of Concentration*

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**Summary of Proposed Action:**

Delete only the Ed.D and Ph.D. Areas of Concentration in Elementary Education.

**Rationale:** This degree dates from the time before EDCI existed (pre 1980) and there was a Department of Elementary Education. In at least the last twelve years, applicants have been directed toward the corresponding degrees in the Professional Development/Teacher Education. The Graduate Secretary in EDCI assures me that there are no students currently pursuing the EdD or PhD in Elementary Education.

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**Summary of Proposed Action:**

Suspend admission to and subsequently delete only the following specialties from the EDCI Master of Arts Non-Thesis Option:

- Mathematics Education
- Minority and Urban Education
- Science Education

**Rationale:** EDCI is requesting changes to increase efficiency and effectiveness, and these are very low enrollment specialties. For practicing teachers for whom this is likely a terminal degree, an M.Ed. degree, Teacher Leader, is offered that has specialties in each of these areas. Each of these specialty areas also has an M.A. with thesis option available for potential applicants who wish a more academic track, perhaps leading to a doctorate. For such students, an M.A. with thesis is more appropriate.

We ask that admission to these specialties be suspended and when the current science students and MUE students graduate, we wish the programs deleted. There are currently no students in the Mathematics Education M.A. without thesis specialty.

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