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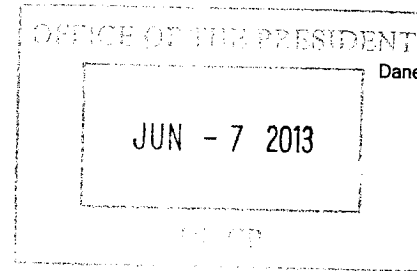
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May 31, 2013



Wallace D. Loh, Ph.D.
President
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Dear President Loh:

The Maryland Higher Education Commission has reviewed a request from the University of Maryland College Park to offer two new Post-Baccalaureate Certificates (P.B.C.) within the existing Master of Education program in Human Development Education. The programs will be offered off-campus at the Universities of Shady Grove.

I am pleased to inform you that the certificate programs have been approved. This decision was based on an analysis of the programs in conjunction with the Maryland Higher Education Commission's Policies and Procedures for Academic Program Proposals and the Maryland State Plan for Postsecondary Education. The programs demonstrate potential for success, an essential factor in making this decision.

For purposes of providing enrollment and degree data to the Commission, please use the following HEGIS and CIP codes:

<u>Program Title</u>	<u>Degree Level</u>	<u>HEGIS</u>	<u>CIP</u>
Achievement Motivation & Adolescent Self and Social Processes	P.B.C.	0822-01	42.2806
Adolescent Cognitive Development and Motivation to Read	P.B.C.	0822-02	42.2806

Should the programs require any substantial changes in the future, please keep the Commission apprised. I wish you continued success.

Sincerely,

Danette G. Howard, Ph.D.
Secretary of Higher Education

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