


Special Consideration Item:

Graduate Council approved the College of Education and Human Development request to delete the Career Development Education doctoral program from the TAMU programs of study.

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Approved by CC 4-7-11

Mark I. Zoran, chair

February 11, 2011

To: Dr. Jim Kracht, Executive Associate Dean for Academic Affairs
College of Education and Human Development

From: Dr. Victor Willson, Head and Professor
Department of Educational Psychology



Reference: **Request to delete the Career Development Education doctoral program from the TAMU programs of study**

The Department of Educational Psychology requests removal of the Career Education doctoral program from the University listing of programs of study for the 2011-12 Academic Year and onward.

The Career Development Education (CDED) doctoral program was for a number of decades in various departments of the College of Education and Human Development. In one of the reorganizations of the College it was placed in the Department of Educational Psychology along with a core group of faculty with expertise and focus on Career Education. In addition, members of the Counseling Psychology Doctoral and Masters Program in the department had long participated through coursework, mentoring and supervision of students, and programmatic development in cooperation with the Career Development program. In the last decade the primary CDED faculty retired or were deceased. The last faculty member retired four years ago. Since there were graduate students still in the process of completing their degrees, we chose not to make any formal request at the time. In a related change, most of the faculty in the Counseling Psychology program directly associated with Career Development Education retired in the last few years, leaving only one faculty member with a direct association with the CDED program courses. Given the complete absence of faculty with primary expertise in CDED, no students have been admitted into the CDED program for the last 5 years. We have no current CDED students still active, and those remaining on our records have exceeded the ten year limit for doctoral study with no intent to complete their degree.

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Graduate council approved the College of Education and Human Development request for prefix change for graduate courses in the Bilingual Program from EPSY to BIED.

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Graduate Instruction Committee, CEHD

THROUGH: Jim Kracht, PhD
Associate Dean for Academic Affairs

FROM: Victor Willson, PhD
Professor and Head

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SUBJECT: Graduate Course Prefix Change

The Bilingual Education Program (formerly under Educational Psychology) requests that the prefix for graduate courses within the Bilingual Program be changed from EPSY to BIED. The reason for this requested change is so that our course prefix will reflect our new Program name which was effective December 7, 2008.

Attached is EPSY 632 to be changed to BIED 632. Please contact us should you require additional information.

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