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To: Graduate Instruction Committee, CEHD

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Through: Dr. George Cunningham
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Re: Masters of Education in Curriculum and Instruction

Date: January 22, 2014

Approved by GC:
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Chair
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[Signature]

The Masters of Education in Curriculum and Instruction program (both face-to-face and online) requests approval for the following changes:

- A) Allow students filing the official Office of Graduate and Professional Studies Degree Plan to select a chair only rather than a three person committee.
- B) Allow students to be exempt from the final exam but instead complete a common course, EDCI 634

The Masters of Education degree enrollment (including both face-to-face and online) has increased in the past year and will continue to increase in the following semesters as new emphases are added to the course offerings. Currently there are about 282 students enrolled in our Master degree program (about 180 in on-line M.Ed. program). As the number of faculty in TLAC has not increased significantly in the past years, the changes are necessary to ensure that students are able to move through the program in a timely fashion.

Thank you for your consideration in this request.