



MEMORANDUM

TO: Members of the Faculty Senate

FROM: Dr. Kyle Marrero, President

RE: Response to Senate Actions

DATE: October 19, 2018

Following is my response to the actions of the Faculty Senate as represented in the minutes of the meeting of October 12, 2018, which were approved electronically on October 16, 2018. All program approvals are made contingent upon the department's commitment to staff the changes out of existing internal funds. Note that Section 3.6.2 of the Board of Regents *Policy Manual* states, *inter alia*: "The termination of educational programs, degrees, or majors shall be submitted to the Chancellor for review and recommendation for action by the Board of Regents." So, all program, degree, and major terminations (as well as additions) need to be approved by the Board. Our requests should include the rationale and the plan for addressing the needs of existing students.

Committee Reports:

Undergraduate Programs Committee

Motion to add or modify various courses, minors, or degrees (see minutes) were approved.

I accept this motion.

Graduate Program Committee

Motion to modify Military Withdrawal Policy (see Figure One of the minutes) was passed.

I accept this motion.

Rules Committee

Motion to remove former Dismissal Process of a Faculty Member, 105 of the *UWG Faculty Handbook* and replace with recommended amended policy was passed (see minutes).

I accept this motion.

Motion to approve UWG Discipline and Grievance Procedure, 2.6.1 of the UWG Academic Affairs Policies was passed following a friendly amendment (see minutes).

I accept this motion.