

COMMISSION ON GRADUATE STUDIES AND POLICIES

RESOLUTION TO AMEND PRESIDENTIAL POLICY MEMORANDUM NO. 230,

AWARDING OF A GRADUATE CERTIFICATE

RESOLUTION 2014-15G

Approved, Commission on Graduate Studies and Policies
First Reading, University Council
Approved, University Council
Approved, President
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WHEREAS, Policy Memorandum No. 230 established graduate certificates and defined requirements for certificate proposals but did not provide for review of certificate viability; and

WHEREAS, curricula and student interests change over time; and

WHEREAS, some existing graduate certificates were never awarded or have not been awarded in recent years; and

WHEREAS, it is desirable to keep the Graduate Catalog up-to-date by listing only viable certificates;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that Policy Memorandum No. 230 be amended to include periodic review of the awarding of each graduate certificate and discontinuation of those that have no pending applications or awards in the past 5 years.

Programs will receive a warning of impending discontinuation a year in advance of the discontinuation date.