Office of the Executive Vice President & Provost

MEMORANDUM

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To: UNLV Campus Community

From: Carl L. Reiber
Vice Provost for Academic Affairs

Subject: Approval - Graduate Certificate in Nuclear Criticality Safety Engineering (NSCE)

The Graduate Certificate in Nuclear Criticality Safety Engineering (NSCE) has been approved.

The NCSE Graduate Certificate will support graduate students in the MS in Materials and Nuclear Engineering program, professional NCS Engineers, and nuclear industry employees. It was developed through a two-year $198,600 curriculum development grant from the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

The NCSE Certificate program consists of four nuclear engineering courses that will provide the practicing NCS engineer (and their employer) with components that will help train and maintain a well-qualified workforce and are appropriate for nuclear engineering and health and medical physics students as well. UNLV has established ties with nuclear criticality safety groups, such as NSTec and URENCO USA (National Enrichment Facility), and the US NRC supports the program because of their stated workforce needs.

Effective Date: Spring 2013

Please note for lists, databases, and generation of appropriate codes, etc.

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