PROVOST ALERT - Approved Reorganization: College of Education

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MEMORANDUM

19 July 2011

To: UNLV Campus Community

From: Michael W. Bowers
Executive Vice President & Provost

Subject: Approved Reorganization: College of Education

Please note that the reorganization of the College of Education was approved at the June 2011 NSHE Board of Regents meeting.

The restructuring of the College of Education (COE) accomplishes a redefined educational mission, a more efficient distribution of support services, an enhanced degree of financial accountability, a reduced and redefined administrative support structure, a refined and consolidated course and program delivery system, a refocused research and scholarship agenda, and a focused service mission. As a result, the COE is consolidating from six academic units to three academic units. These three units include faculty members who, and programs/degrees which, have compatible research and scholarship, teaching and service missions. The reorganized COE programs and faculty members will serve the needs of education and related professionals who work within preschool through higher education settings as well as within research and community based centers.

1. **Elimination** of the current six unit COE departmental structures:

   - Counselor Education
   - Curriculum and Instruction
   - Educational Leadership - Eliminated eff. 7/1/2011 - see Provost Alert dated 10 June 2010
   - Educational Psychology
   - Special Education and Early Childhood
   - Sports Education Leadership - Eliminated eff. 7/1/2011 - see Provost Alert dated 10 June 2010

2. **Establishment** of a three unit COE departmental structure

   a) Department of Educational and Clinical Studies -
      
      **Includes Counselor Education, Early Childhood Education, Human Services, Special Education, and TESOL - Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages**

   Continuing Programs:
Counselor Education - School Counseling  MEd
Clinical Mental Health Counseling  MS
Early Childhood Education  BS
Early Childhood Education  MEd
Human Services  BS
Special Education  BAEd
Special Education  BSEd
Special Education  MEd
Special Education  PhD
DUAL: Special Education PhD and JD
Advanced Graduate Certificate in Addiction Studies
Advanced Graduate Certificate in Mental Health Counseling
Advanced Graduate Certificate in Rehabilitation Counseling

Eliminations Approved:
Special Education  MS (Effective End Fall Semester 2012) See Provost Alert dated 11 March 2011
Special Education  EdD (Effective End Fall Semester 2012) See Provost Alert dated 11 March 2011

b) Department of Educational Research, Cognition, and Development -
Includes Educational Psychology, Higher Education Leadership, and School Psychology

Continuing Programs:
Education Leadership  MEd
Education Leadership  PhD
Educational Psychology  EdS
Educational Psychology  MS
Educational Psychology  PhD
Learning and Technology  PhD
DUAL: Educational Psychology PhD and JD
DUAL: Educational Leadership PhD and JD

Eliminations in process - on Board of Regents Agenda for September 2011 meeting:
Educational Leadership  EdD - effective end of semester Fall 2012
Educational Leadership  EdS - effective end of semester Fall 2012

Eliminations to be requested:
Educational Psychology  MEd
Educational Leadership  MS

c) Department of Teaching and Learning -
Includes Elementary, Secondary, Post Secondary and Career Technical Education

Continuing Programs:
Curriculum & Instruction  EdD
Curriculum & Instruction  EdS
Curriculum & Instruction  MEd
Curriculum & Instruction  MS
Curriculum & Instruction  PhD
Elementary Education  BAEd
Elementary Education  BSEd
Secondary Education  
BAEd
Secondary Education  
BSEd
Teacher Education  
PhD
Science and Education  
PDDSE

3. Dean's Office - These degrees will be managed through the Dean's Office until further decisions are made:

**Continuing Programs:**
Executive Educational Leadership EdD
Sports Education and Leadership PhD

**Eliminations to be requested:**
Workforce Education  
BAEd
Workforce Education and Development MEd
Workforce Education and Development  
MS

**Eliminations Approved:**
Workforce Education  
Physical Education  
Physical Education  
MS (Effective End Fall Semester 2012) See Provost Alert dated 11 March 2011.

Effective Date:  1 July 2011

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

For further information, please contact the Dean's Office for the College of Education at (702) 895-3375.

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