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MEMORANDUM

To:

Donna E. Shalala, President

From:

Richard L. Williamson

Chair, Faculty Senate

Date:

March 24, 2011

Subject: Faculty Senate Legislation #2010-11(B) – School of Communication Change of Name

of its Program from Print Journalism to Journalism

At its March 23, 2011 meeting, the Faculty Senate approved the proposal from the School of Communication to change the name of one of its program from Print Journalism to Journalism.

Background materials are enclosed for your reference.

This legislation is now forwarded to you for your action.

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Enclosure (Proposal as presented to the Faculty Senate)

cc:

Thomas LeBlanc, Executive Vice President and Provost

Sam Grogg, Dean, School of Communication

Sam Terilli, Associate Professor, School of Communication

CAPSULE: Faculty Senate Legislation #2010-11(B) – School of Communication Change of Name of its Program from Print Journalism to Journalism

PRESIDENT'S RESPONSE

APPROVED: DATE: 4 11 11 (President's Signature)
OFFICE OR INDIVIDUAL TO IMPLEMENT: DEAN GROGG
EFFECTIVE DATE OF LEGISLATION: IMMEDIATELY (if other than June 1 next following)
NOT APPROVED AND REFERRED TO:
REMARKS (IF NOT APPROVED).

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MEMORANDUM

DATE:

January 21, 2011

TO:

Richard Williamson

Chair, Faculty Senate

FROM:

Terri A. Scandura

Dean, The Graduate School

SUBJECT:

Program Name Change for CNJ

The School of Communication has submitted a request to change the name of its program from Print Journalism to Journalism. The program name change was discussed at the meeting of the Graduate Council on Thursday, January 20, 2011, and none of the Graduate Council members expressed concerns regarding this change.

cc: Office of Planning, Institutional Research and Assessment

November 9, 2010

Memo To:

Dr. Terry Scandura

From:

Sam Terilli, CNJ Journalism Program Director

Subject:

CNJ program name on the graduate level

As you may recall, over the summer we concluded we needed to change the name of our CNJ graduate journalism program or track from Print Journalism to something more current. This program falls under the general M.A. degree in Communication as one of the programs or tracks within the School of Communication at the graduate level.

We have since concluded that the actual name of the track is Journalism. Apparently, a few years ago the word "print" was inserted in editing some printed brochures and web copy to distinguish the track from the broadcasting track. Consequently, the program faculty and the School of Communication's graduate committee have voted simply to return to the actual name, which is Journalism and dispense with the use of "print" in any of the materials referring to what we offer.

My understanding is that this action does not require formal approval. I am providing this for informational purposes. Please let me know if you have any questions.

cc Dean Sam Grogg Dr. Michael Beatty