

Program/Degree Summary – May 9, 2006

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- Eliminates eight doctorates and thirteen master's programs involving about 240 of 4,800 graduate students

Annotated List

- Proposes two new doctoral (communication and medieval studies) and four new master's degree programs (environmental studies, ethno-history, MAT, world languages)
- Enhances funding to six doctoral programs (Audiology, Biology, Geosciences, Integrated Health, Physics, Science Education,) and nine master's programs (Art Education, Creative Writing, Early Childhood Education, Engineering Management, Medieval Studies, Music, Orientation/Mobility, Physician Assistant, Science Education)
- Unifies four doctoral degrees into one degree (engineering); and two others into one doctoral degree (evaluation)
- Retains funding at present level to eleven doctoral programs and thirty-eight master's programs
- Merges 24 master's-level programs to establish the curricular structure required for clear priorities in resource allocation
- Eliminates eight doctorates (Applied Economics, Clinical Psychology, Comparative Religion, Computer Science, Public Administration, School Psychology, Spanish, Statistics) and thirteen master's programs (Applied Sociology, Art—MA, Art—MFA, Biostatistics, Earth Science, Elementary School Teaching, Industrial Psychology, Middle School Teaching, Molecular Biotechnology, Operations Research, Socio-cultural Foundations, Teaching Geography, Teaching Music)