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TO: Daniel Holland, Chair, Academic SenateFROM: Carlyn Morenus, Chair, University Curriculum CommitteeRE: Proposal to Delete IDS Minor in Tourism Studies

The University Curriculum Committee has approved and is forwarding for Academic Senate review the attached proposal to drop the IDS Minor in Tourism from the *Undergraduate Catalog*.

Because of lack of faculty and student interest and because instructional and advising resources are needed in higher priority programs, the Department of Geography-Geology and the School of Kinesiology and Recreation have requested termination of the Minor in Tourism Studies. No students have been admitted to the program for more than a year, so the impact on individual students is expected to be minimal. Should a student be impacted, they will be advised to switch to a traditional Geography minor. Substitution waivers will be written as needed.

The University Curriculum Committee supports the proposal to delete the IDS Minor in Tourism Studies.

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