

**New Jersey Presidents' Council
Academic Issues Committee
November 3, 2017, 10:00 a.m. Conference Call**

MINUTES

Presidents: Joann La Perla-Morales (Chair), MaryAnn Baenninger, Jon Connolly, David Haney, Jianping Wang

Also Participating: Basil Baltzis, James Burkley, Rafael Castilla, Bob Clark, Nurdan Duzgoren-Aydin, Willard Gingerich, Chris Grevesen, Roberta Harvey, Carra Hood, Gillian Small, Jackie Taylor, Jeff Toney

Sally D'Aloisio, Allison Samay, Eric Taylor

I. Call to Order / Roll Call

II. Approval of Minutes of the September 29, 2017 Meeting

Basil Baltzis moved, seconded by Jeff Toney, to approve the minutes of the September 29, 2017 meeting. The motion carried unanimously.

III. Report from the Chair

IV. New Programs

A. Rider University

1. Master of Science Degree in Corporate Finance (52.0304)

First Reader: *Christopher Capuano, Fairleigh Dickinson University

Second Reader: **Sue Henderson, New Jersey City University

*Gillian Small, Fairleigh Dickinson University, reported in the absence of Dr. Capuano.

**Nurdan Aydin, New Jersey City University, reported in the absence of Dr. Henderson.

Dr. Small summarized the submitted proposal aligns with the institution's strategic plan, its learning outcomes are appropriate, and the students' outcomes are clearly defined. The consultant was appropriately qualified. Dr. Aydin concurred with Dr. Small's comments. Dr. Small moved, and Dr. Aydin seconded that this proposal be recommended to the Presidents' Council. The motion carried. Rafael Castilla abstained.

B. Rowan University

1. Bachelor of Science in Molecular and Cellular Biology (26.0406)

First Reader: Jeff Toney, Kean University

Second Reader: Jackie Taylor, The College of New Jersey

Dr. Toney reported that the submitted proposal was well done, and good assessment plan. The program objectives, learning outcomes and enrollment plans are appropriate. The consultant's report was well done. Dr. Taylor concurred with Dr. Toney's summary and noted that this is a very solid report. Dr. Toney moved, seconded by Dr. Taylor that this request be recommended to the Presidents' Council. The motion carried. Roberta Harvey abstained.

2. Master of Arts in Urban Education and Community Studies (45.1201)

First Reader: MaryAnn Baenninger, Drew University
Second Reader: Basil Baltzis, New Jersey Technology Institute

Dr. Baenninger summarized the submitted proposal stating that it was well done. The consultant was very qualified and his report was excellent. Dr. Baltzis agreed with Dr. Baenninger that it was an extremely well done report. It was moved by Dr. Baenninger and seconded by Dr. Baltzis that this request be recommended to the Presidents' Council. The motion carried. Roberta Harvey abstained.

C. William Paterson University

1. Bachelor of Science in Actuarial Science (52.1304)

First Reader: *Lori Vermeulen, Stockton University

Second Reader: **Michael Smith, Berkeley College

*Carra Hood, Stockton University, reported in the absence of Lori Vermeulen.

**Chris Grevesen, Berkeley College, reported in the absence of Michael Smith.

Dr. Hood summarized the submitted proposal stating that it was a well-focused proposal, included an adequate assessment plan, and supports the institution's strategic plan. The consultant's report contains constructive comments and includes a response from William Paterson University that the appropriate adjustments will take place. Dr. Grevesen concurred with Dr. Hood's thorough evaluation of the program. Dr. Hood moved, seconded by Dr. Grevesen that this request be recommended to the Presidents' Council for approval. The motion carried.

V. Other Action Items

A. Kean University – Expedited Request to Change Programmatic Mission

First Reader: Willard Gingerich, Montclair State University

Second Reader: James Burkley, Rutgers University

Dr. Gingerich reviewed the submitted petition stating that the institution meets the statutory criteria for the change of programmatic mission. Mr. Burkley concurred with Dr. Gingerich. Dr. Gingerich moved, seconded by Mr. Burkley that this request be recommended to the Presidents' Council. The motion carried. Jeff Toney abstained.

B. Stockton University

1. Bachelor in Science Degree-Computer Information Systems (CIS)(Conversion)(11.0103)

First Reader: Jianping Wang, Mercer County Community College

Second Reader: Willard Gingerich, Montclair University

Dr. Wang summarized the submitted proposal stating that it is a well developed and documented. Dr. Gingerich concurred and added the proposal includes an appropriate assessment plan. Dr. Wang moved, seconded by Dr. Gingerich that this request be recommended to the Presidents' Council. The motion carried. Dr. Hood abstained.

2. Bachelor in Science Degree-Computer Science (CS)(Conversion)(11.0701)

First Reader: Jon Connolly, Sussex County Community College

Second Reader: Basil Baltzis, New Jersey Technology Institute

Dr. Connolly summarized the submitted proposal stating the learning outcomes, assessment plan and the curriculum math are well detailed. Dr. Baltzis concurred with Dr. Connolly's summary. It was moved by Dr. Connolly and seconded by Dr. Baltzis that this request be recommended to the Presidents' Council. After discussion the motion carried. Dr. Hood abstained.

C. Virginia University of Oriental Medicine (VUOM)

http://www.state.nj.us/highereducation/highedddocs/VUOM_Petition_2017.pdf

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1. Licensure Petition

First Reader: Roberta Harvey, Rowan University

Second Reader: *Yves Salomon-Fernandez, Cumberland County College

*Bob Clark, Cumberland County College, reported for Yves Salomon-Fernandez.

Dr. Harvey reviewed the submitted petition and stated the program is well designed, includes a consultant's report that states the institution meets the standards for licensure with no concerns. Dr. Clark concurred with Dr. Harvey's summary. Dr. Harvey moved, Dr. Clark seconded, that this request be recommended to the Presidents' Council. The motion carried.

D. Yeshiva Gedola of Woodlake Village (YGWV)

www.state.nj.us/highereducation/higheddocs/YGWV_Petition_2017.pdf

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1. Licensure Petition

First Reader: MaryAnn Baenninger, Drew University

Second Reader: Jeff Toney, Kean University

Dr. Baenninger reviewed the submitted petition for two programs, Bachelor of Talmudic Studies and Associate of Talmudic Studies. The licensure proposal meets all the requirements and standards. Dr. Toney concurred with Dr. Baenninger's summary. It was moved by Dr. Baenninger, seconded by Dr. Toney, that this request be recommended to the Presidents' Council. After discussion the motion carried.

E. Yeshiva Gedola Tiferes Yaakov Yitzchok (YGTTY)

www.state.nj.us/highereducation/higheddocs/YGTTY_Petition_2017.pdf

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1. Licensure Petition

First Reader: *Sue Henderson, New Jersey City University

Second Reader: **Christopher Capuano, Fairleigh Dickinson University

*Nurdan Aydin, New Jersey City University, reported for Sue Henderson.

**Gillian Small, Fairleigh Dickinson University, reported for Christopher Capuano.

Dr. Aydin reviewed the submitted petition for Bachelor of Talmudic Studies degree program and the Associate of Talmudic Studies degree program. Dr. Aydin stated the petition is very comprehensive and complete, and includes a report from a highly qualified consultant. Dr. Small concurred with Dr. Aydin's review. It was moved by Dr. Aydin, seconded by Dr. Small that this request be recommended to the Presidents' Council. The motion carried.

VI. For Your Information

A. Caldwell University

1. OSHE Degree Inventory Correction

Bachelor of Science in Computer Information Systems (CIS) (11.0101)

2. Program Terminations

- Pre-Bachelor's Certificate in Art Therapy (51.2301)
- Pre-Bachelor's Certificate in Government Service and Administration (44.0401)
- Pre-Bachelor's Certificate in Visual Communications (50.0401)
- Bachelor of Science in International Business (52.1101)
- Bachelor of Science in Management (52.0201)
- Master Certificate in Pastoral Ministry (39.0701)
- Master of Arts in Contemporary General Management (52.0201)

- Master of Arts in Liberal Studies (24.0101)
 - Master of Arts in Pastoral Ministry (39.0701)
3. Change in Nomenclature:
- Bachelor of Arts in Communication Arts to Bachelor of Arts in Communication and Media Studies (09.0101)
 - Master of Arts in Organizational Leadership for Higher Education to Master of Arts in Higher Education (13.0406)

B. Camden County College

1. Termination of Certificates of Achievement
 - Education Interpreter (16.1603)
 - Homeland Security (43.0119)
 - Computer Graphics (10.0303)
2. Termination of the following in Associate in Applied Science:
 - Liberal Arts and Science: Food Science Option (24.0101)
 - ASL and English Interpreting (16.1603)
 - Medical Laboratory (51.1004)
 - Video Imaging (50.0602)

C. Kean University

1. New Option
 - M.A. Counseling, College Counseling and Student Services Option (13.1102)

D. Mercer County Community College

1. New Certificate Program
 - Certificate of Achievement in Unmanned Ariel Systems (49.0199)

E. Monmouth University

1. Change in Nomenclature effective fall 2018
 - Bachelor of Science in Computer Science with a concentration in Advanced Computing to Bachelor of Science in Computer Science (11.0101)
2. Program Termination, effective fall 2018
 - Bachelor of Science in Computer Science with a concentration in Applied Computing (11.0101)
3. Initiation of New Undergraduate Degree, effective 2018
 - Bachelor of Arts in Computer Science (11.0101)

F. Montclair State University

1. Post-Baccalaureate Certificate Program
 - Professional French Translation (16.0103)

G. New Jersey Institute of Technology

1. MS in Applied Science CIP code change from 40.9999 to 13.1316
2. Initiation of Graduate Certificates
 - Graduate Certificate in Applied Science (13.1316)
 - Graduate Certificate in Quantitative Finance (27.0301)

H. Rowan University – Nomenclature Changes

1. Nomenclature change of existing Concentrations as Minors:
 - Concentration in Theatrical Design to Minor in Theatrical Design (CIP

- 50.0502 Technical Theatre/Theatre Design and Technology)
 - Concentration in New Media Communication to Minor in New Media Communication (CIP 09.0702 Digital Communication and Media/Multimedia)
 - Concentration in Audio Recording to Minor in Audio Recording (CIP 10.0203 Recording Arts Technology/Technician)
 - Concentration in Creative Writing to Minor in Creative Writing (CIP 23.1302 Creative Writing)
 - Concentration in Leadership Studies to Minor in Leadership Studies (CIP 13.0401 Educational Leadership and Administration, General)
 - Concentration in Systems Engineering to Minor in Systems Engineering (CIP 14.2701 Systems Engineering)
 - Concentration in Bioengineering to Minor in Bioengineering (CIP 14.0501 Biomedical/Medical Engineering)
 - Concentration in African American Studies to Minor in African American Studies (CIP 05.0201 African-American/Black Studies)
 - Concentration in Jewish Studies to Minor in Jewish Studies (CIP 38.0206 Jewish/Judaic Studies)
 - Concentration in Asian Studies to Minor in Asian Studies (CIP 05.0103 Asian Studies/Civilization)
 - Concentration in International Studies to Minor in International Studies (CIP 30.2001 International/Global Studies)
 - Concentration in Women's and Gender Studies to Minor in Women's and Gender Studies (CIP 05.0207 Women's Studies)
 - Concentration in Pre-Medical to Minor in Pre-Medical (CIP 51.1102 Pre-Medicine/Pre-Medical Studies)
 - Concentration in Medical Social Science to Minor in Medical Social Science (CIP 51.1199 Health/Medical Preparatory Programs, Other)
 - Concentration in Ethics to Minor in Ethics (CIP 38.0103 Ethics)
 - Concentration in Applied Geographic Knowledge & Skills to Minor in Applied Geographic Knowledge & Skills (CIP 13.1332 Geography Teacher Education)
 - Concentration in Geographic Inquiries into Global Issues to Minor in Geographic Inquiries into Global Issues (CIP 45.0799 Geography, Other)
 - Concentration in Sustainable Built Environments to Minor in Sustainable Built Environments (CIP 30.3301 Sustainability Studies)
 - Concentration in Applied Mathematics to Minor in Applied Mathematics (CIP 27.0301 Applied Mathematics)
 - Concentration in Statistics & Operations Research to Minor in Statistics & Operations Research (CIP 27.0599 Statistics, Other)
 - Concentration in Astronomy to Minor in Astronomy (CIP 40.0201 Astronomy)
 - Concentration in Neuroscience to Minor in Neuroscience (CIP 26.1501 Neuroscience)
 - Concentration in Materials Science to Minor in Materials Science (CIP 40.1001 Materials Science)
 - Concentration in Geoscience to Minor in Geoscience (CIP 40.0699 Geological and Earth Sciences/Geosciences, Other)
 - Concentration in Environmental Science to Minor in Environmental Science (CIP 03.0104 Environmental Science)
 - Concentration in Urban Studies to Minor in Urban Studies (CIP 45.1201 Urban Studies/Affairs)
 - Concentration in Bioethics & Philosophy of Medicine to Minor in Bioethics & Philosophy of Medicine (CIP 51.3201 Bioethics/Medical Ethics)

2. Nomenclature change of existing Specializations as Concentrations:

- Specialization in Accounting to Concentration in Accounting within the MBA in Business Administration (CIP 52.0301 Accounting)
- Specialization in Finance to Concentration in Finance within the MBA in Business Administration (CIP 52.0801 Finance, General)
- Specialization in Entrepreneurship to Concentration in Entrepreneurship within the MBA in Business Administration (CIP 52.0701 Entrepreneurship/Entrepreneurial Studies.)
- Specialization in Marketing to Concentration in Marketing within the MBA in Business Administration (CIP 52.1401 Marketing/Marketing Management, General)
- Specialization in Management Information Systems to Concentration in Management Information Systems within the MBA in Business Administration (CIP 52.1201 Management Information Systems, General)
- Specialization in Management to Concentration in Management within the MBA in Business Administration (CIP 52.0201 Business Administration and Management, General)
- Specialization in Supply Chain & Logistical Systems to Concentration in Supply Chain & Logistical Systems within the MBA in Business Administration (CIP 52.0203 Logistics, Materials, and Supply Chain Management)
- Specialization in Global Business & Leadership to Concentration in Global Business & Leadership within the BS in Business Administration (CIP 52.1101 International /Trade/Commerce)
- Specialization in Supply Chain & Logistical Systems to Concentration in Supply Chain & Logistical Systems within the BS in Business Administration (CIP 52.0203 Logistics, Materials, and Supply Chain Management)
- Specialization in Biomedical Art & Visualization to Concentration in Biomedical Art & Visualization within the BFA in Studio Art (CIP 51.2703 Medical Illustration/Medical Illustrator)
- Specialization in Graphic Design to Concentration in Graphic Design within the BFA in Studio Art (CIP 50.0409 Graphic Design)
- Specialization in Rhetoric/Cultural Criticism to Concentration in Rhetoric/Cultural Criticism within the BA in Communication Studies (CIP 09.0101 Speech Communication and Rhetoric)
- Specialization in Interpersonal/Organizational Communication to Concentration in Interpersonal/Organizational Communication within the BA in Communication Studies (CIP 09.0101 Speech Communication and Rhetoric)
- Specialization in Public Affairs to Concentration in Public Affairs within the MA in Public Relations (CIP 09.0904 Political Communication)
- Specialization in Critical Studies to Concentration in Critical Studies within the BA in Radio/TV/Film (CIP 09.0102 Mass Communication/Media Studies)
- Specialization in Production to Concentration in Production within the BA in Radio/TV/Film (CIP 09.0701 Radio and Television)
- Specialization in Creative Writing to Concentration in Creative Writing within the BA in Writing Arts (CIP 23.1302 Creative Writing)
- Specialization in New Media Writing & Publishing to Concentration in New Media Writing & Publishing within the BA in Writing Arts (CIP 09.1001 Publishing)
- Specialization in Professional/Technical Writing to Concentration in Professional/Technical Writing within the BA in Writing Arts (CIP 23.1303)

Professional, Technical, Business, and Scientific Writing)

- Specialization in Counselor Education to Concentration in Counselor Education within the PhD in Education (CIP 13.1101 Counselor Education/School Counseling and Guidance Services)
- Specialization in Higher Ed & Postsecondary Ed to Concentration in Higher Ed & Postsecondary Ed within the PhD in Education (CIP 13.0406 Higher Education/Higher Education Administration.)
- Specialization in Literacy Education to Concentration in Literacy Education within the PhD in Education (CIP 13.9999 Education, Other)
- Specialization in Special Education to Concentration in Special Education within the PhD in Education (CIP 13.1099 Special Education and Teaching, Other)
- Specialization in English to Concentration in English within the MS in Teaching: Secondary (CIP 13.1305 English/Language Arts Teacher Education)
- Specialization in World Languages to Concentration in World Languages within the MS in Teaching: Secondary (CIP 13.1306 Foreign Language Teacher Education)
- Specialization in Social Studies to Concentration in Social Studies within the MS in Teaching: Secondary (CIP 13.1318 Social Studies Teacher Education)

- Specialization in Reading Practitioner to Concentration in Reading Practitioner within the MA in Reading Education (CIP 13.1315 Reading Teacher Education)
- Specialization in Reading Specialist to Concentration in Reading Specialist within the MA in Reading Education (CIP 13.1315 Reading Teacher Education)
- Specialization in Mathematics to Concentration in Mathematics within the MA in STEM Education (CIP 13.1311 Mathematics Teacher Education)
- Specialization in Science to Concentration in Science within the MA in STEM Education (CIP 13.1316 Science Teacher Education/General Science Teacher Education)
- Specialization in Materials to Concentration in Materials within the BS in Chemical Engineering (CIP 14.1801 Materials Engineering)
- Specialization in Biological Engineering to Concentration in Biological Engineering within the BS in Chemical Engineering (CIP 14.4501 Biological/Biosystems Engineering)
- Specialization in Project Management to Concentration in Project Management within the MEM in Engineering Management (CIP 14.0101 Engineering, General)
- Specialization in Biomedical Engineering to Concentration in Biomedical Engineering within the MS in Engineering (CIP 14.0501 Bioengineering and Biomedical Engineering)
- Specialization in Environmental Engineering to Concentration in Environmental Engineering within the MS in Engineering (CIP 14.1401 Environmental/Environmental Health Engineering)
- Specialization in Electrical & Computer Engineering to Concentration in Electrical & Computer Engineering within the PhD in Engineering (CIP 14.09 Computer Engineering)
- Specialization in Biomedical Engineering to Concentration in Biomedical Engineering within the PhD in Engineering (CIP 14.0501 Bioengineering and Biomedical Engineering)
- Specialization in Civil & Environmental Engineering to Concentration in Civil &

Environmental Engineering within the PhD in Engineering (CIP 14.0801 Civil Engineering, General)

- Specialization in Chemical Engineering to Concentration in Chemical Engineering within the PhD in Engineering (CIP 14.0702 Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering)
- Specialization in Mechanical Engineering to Concentration in Mechanical Engineering within the PhD in Engineering (CIP 14.1901 Mechanical Engineering)
- Specialization in Materials Science & Engineering to Concentration in Materials Science & Engineering within the PhD in Engineering (CIP 14.1801 Materials Engineering)
- Specialization in Advanced Manufacturing to Concentration in Advanced Manufacturing within the BS in Mechanical Engineering (CIP 14.3601 Manufacturing Engineering)
- Specialization in European/Ancient History to Concentration in European/Ancient History within the BA in History (CIP 54.0199 History, Other)
- Specialization in Global History to Concentration in Global History within the BA in History (CIP 54.0199 History, Other)
- Specialization in United States History to Concentration in United States History within the BA in History (CIP 54.0102 American History, United States)
- Specialization in International Business/Economics to Concentration in International Business/Economics within the BA in International Studies (CIP 52.1101 International Business/Trade/Commerce)
- Specialization in Global Comparative Perspective to Concentration in Global Comparative Perspective within the BA in International Studies (CIP 30.2001 International /Global Studies)
- Specialization in Middle East & African Studies to Concentration in Middle East & African Studies within the BA in International Studies (CIP 05.0199 Area Studies, Other)
- Specialization in Asian Studies to Concentration in Asian Studies within the BA in International Studies (CIP 05.0103 Asian Studies/ Civilization)
- Specialization in European & Russian Studies to Concentration in European & Russian Studies within the BA in International Studies (CIP 05.0199 Area Studies, Other)
- Specialization in Latin American & Iberian Studies to Concentration in Latin American & Iberian Studies within the BA in International Studies (CIP 05.0199 Area Studies, Other)
- Specialization in Math/Science to Concentration in Math/Science within the BA in Liberal Studies (CIP 24.0101 Liberal Arts and Sciences/ Liberal Studies)
- Specialization in Humanities/Social Science to Concentration in Humanities/Social Science within the BA in Liberal Studies (CIP 24.0101 Liberal Arts and Sciences/ Liberal Studies)
- Specialization in Religion to Concentration in Religion within the BA in Philosophy & Religion Studies (CIP 38.0201 Religion /Religious Studies)
- Specialization in Philosophy to Concentration in Philosophy within the BA in Philosophy & Religion Studies (CIP 38.0101 Philosophy)
- Specialization in Public Policy to Concentration in Public Policy within the BA in Economics (CIP 44.0501 Public Policy Analysis, General)
- Specialization in Public Policy to Concentration in Public Policy within the BA in Political Science (CIP 44.0501 Public Policy Analysis, General)
- Specialization in Politics of Race, Class, Gender to Concentration in Politics of Race, Class, Gender within the BA in Political Science (CIP 45.1099 Political Science and

Government, Other)

- Specialization in Applied Sociology to Concentration in Applied Sociology within the BA in Sociology (CIP 45.9999 Social Sciences, Other)
- Specialization in Anthropology to Concentration in Anthropology within the BA in Sociology (CIP 45.0201 Anthropology)
- Specialization in Composition to Concentration in Composition within the MM in Music (CIP 50.0904 Music Theory and Composition)
- Specialization in Conducting to Concentration in Conducting within the MM in Music (CIP 50.0906 Conducting)
- Specialization in Instrumental Performance to Concentration in Instrumental Performance within the MM in Music (CIP 50.0903 Music Performance, General)
- Specialization in Jazz Studies to Concentration in Jazz Studies within the MM in Music (CIP 50.0910 Jazz/Jazz Studies)
- Specialization in Vocal Performance to Concentration in Vocal Performance within the MM in Music (CIP 50.0903 Music Performance, General)
- Specialization in Performance to Concentration in Performance within the BM in Music (CIP 50.0903 Music Performance, General)
- Specialization in Composition to Concentration in Composition within the BM in Music (CIP 50.0904 Music Theory and Composition)
- Specialization in Jazz Studies to Concentration in Jazz Studies within the BM in Music (CIP 50.0910 Jazz/Jazz Studies)
- Specialization in Music Technology to Concentration in Music Technology within the BS in Music Industry (CIP 50.0913 Music Technology)
- Specialization in Music Business Concentration in Music Business within the BS in Music Industry (CIP 50.1003 Music Management and Merchandising)
- Specialization in Arts Administration Concentration in Arts Administration within the MA in Theatre (CIP 50.1004 Theatre/Theatre Arts Management)
- Specialization in Theatre Arts Concentration in Theatre Arts within the BA in Theatre (CIP 50.0501 Drama and Dramatics/Theatre Arts, General)
- Specialization in Music Therapy to Concentration in Music Therapy within the BM in Music (CIP 51.2305 Music Therapy/Therapist)
- Specialization in DevOps to Concentration in DevOps within the BA in Computing & Informatics (CIP 11.1001 Network and System Administration/Administrator)
- Specialization in Mobile Devices to Concentration in Mobile Devices within the BA in Computing & Informatics (CIP 51.2101 Telecommunications Management)
- Specialization in Artificial Intelligence to Concentration in Artificial Intelligence within the BS in Computer Science (CIP 11.0102 Artificial Intelligence)
- Specialization in Information Technology to Concentration in Information Technology within the BS in Computer Science (CIP 11.0103 Information Technology)
- Specialization in Programming Language & Compilers to Concentration in Programming Language & Compilers within the BS in Computer Science (CIP 11.0201 Computer Programming/Programmer General)
- Specialization in Networking Systems to Concentration in Networking Systems within the BS in Computer Science (CIP 11.0901 Computer Systems Networking and Telecommunications)
- Specialization in Software Engineering to Concentration in Software Engineering

- within the BS in Computer Science (CIP 14.0903 Computer Software Engineering)
- Specialization in Graphics, Visualization & Gaming Technology to Concentration in Graphics, Visualization & Gaming Technology within the BS in Computer Science (CIP 11.0803 Computer Graphics)
- Specialization in Cyber Security to Concentration in Cyber Security within the BS in Computer Science (CIP 11.1003 Computer and Information Systems Security/Information Assurance)
- Specialization in Mobile Application Development to Concentration in Mobile Application Development within the BS in Computer Science (CIP 51.2101 Telecommunications Management)
- Specialization in Health Data Analytics to Concentration in Health Data Analytics within the MS in Data Analytics (CIP 11.0802 Data Modeling/Warehousing and Database Administration)
- Specialization in Physics to Concentration in Physics within the BS in Physical Science (CIP 40.0899 Physics, Other)
- Specialization in Chemistry to Concentration in Chemistry within the BS in Physical Science (CIP 40.0599 Chemistry, Other)
- Specialization in Photonics to Concentration in Photonics within the BS in Physics (CIP 40.0807 Optics/Optical Sciences)
- Specialization in Child Behavioral Services to Concentration in Child Behavioral Services within the BA in Psychology (CIP 42.2814 Applied Behavior Analysis)
- Specialization in Comprehensive Math to Concentration in Comprehensive Math within the BA in Mathematics (CIP 27.0101 Mathematics, General)
- Specialization in Statistics to Concentration in Statistics within the BA in Mathematics (CIP 27.0503 Mathematics and Statistics)
- Specialization in Mathematics Education to Concentration in Mathematics Education within the BA in Mathematics (CIP 27.0199 Mathematics, Other)
- Specialization in Health Promotion & Wellness Management to Concentration in Health Promotion & Wellness Management within the BA in Health & Exercise Science (CIP 51.0001 Health and Wellness, General)
- Specialization in Exercise Science to Concentration in Exercise Science within the BS in Nutrition & Exercise Science (CIP 31.0507 Physical Fitness Technician)
- Specialization in Dietetics to Concentration in Dietetics within the BS in Nutrition & Exercise Science (CIP 51.3101 Dietetics/Dietitian)
- Specialization in Nurse Practitioner: Adult-Gerontology Acute Care to Concentration in Nurse Practitioner: Adult-Gerontology Acute Care within the MSN in Nursing (CIP 51.3803 Adult Health Nurse/Nursing)
 - Specialization in Nurse Practitioner: Psychiatric Mental Health to Concentration in Nurse Practitioner: Psychiatric Mental Health to within the MSN in Nursing (CIP 51.3810 Psychiatric/Mental Health Nurse/Nursing)
 - Specialization in Nurse Practitioner: Pediatric to Concentration in Nurse Practitioner: Pediatric within the MSN in Nursing (CIP 51.3809 Pediatric Nurse/Nursing)
 - Specialization in Nurse Practitioner: Women's Health to Concentration in Nurse Practitioner: Women's Health within the MSN in Nursing (CIP 51.3822 Women's Health Nurse/Nursing)
 - Specialization in Nurse Practitioner: Family to Concentration in Nurse Practitioner: Family within the MSN in Nursing (CIP 51.1605 Family Practice Nurse/Nursing)

- Specialization in Clinical Nurse Leader to Concentration in Clinical Nurse Leader within the MSN in Nursing (CIP 51.3820 Clinical Nurse Leader)
- Specialization in Nurse Educator to Concentration in Nurse Educator within the MSN in Nursing (CIP 51.3817 Nursing Education)

I. Rowan University

1. Change in Nomenclature:
 From: Bachelor of Arts in Environmental Studies
 To: Bachelor of Arts in Environmental and Sustainability Studies (03.0103)
 From: Minor in Environmental Studies
 To: Minor in Environmental and Sustainability Studies (03.0103)

J. Rutgers University-Camden

1. Nomenclature and CIP Code Change
 From: Master of Arts for Teachers (M.A.T.) in Foreign Language (16.0101)
 To: Teacher Education (13.1399)

K. Sollers College

1. New Certificate Programs
 - a. Big Data Engineering (11.0802)
 - b. Biostatistics (26.1102)

L. Union County College

1. Change in Degree Designation – AA to AS in Criminal Justice (43.0107)

VII. Old Business

A. Eastern International College

1. BS in Allied Health Leadership (51.0701, 51.0702, 51.2211) (previously submitted 9-29-17)

First Reader: David P. Haney, Centenary University

Second Reader: Jon Connolly, Sussex County Community College

The AIC is not recommending this proposal to the NJPC. The committee has reviewed the letter from Dr. Andrew Scott Ziner as the response to the issues raised in the AIC's letter of October 4, 2017. Specifically, the committee requests that Eastern International College respond to the following items:

- Engage a consultant with a background consistent with the program being proposed. (The reviewer engaged as the consultant has a degree in Business Education and no apparent experience with allied health programs).
- The consultant did not conduct an on-site visit
- The consultant did not make any recommendations for improvement or even suggestions.
- The consultant's responses to many of the required issues is based on "discussions with EIC" without reference to any direct evidence to support the issue. EIC needs to ensure that the consultant understands the purpose of the report.

- There is a very confusing statement in the curricular map, the heading says “EIC”s Nursing Program graduates will... This could simply be a typo but it lead the AIC to consider that these could be Learning Outcomes for a different program not the BSAHL.
- The proposal dated August 2017 states that a significantly revised College Mission and Strategic Plan was developed and vetted by the College administration and Board and is still in progress, pending formal approval. This pending mission and strategic plan supports EIC to exceed its current mission and expand baccalaureate programs. This appears to suggest that the strategic plan relevant to this proposal is the one pending approval and not the one approved on February 15, 2016.

The above constitute the recommendation made by the AIC. I would also like to respond to comments you made in your letter to President Levao regarding letters of support and objection. For AIC purposes there are two types of letters an institution may receive, a letter of objection and a letter of no objection. EIC received four letters of objection and approximately 10 letters of no objection. There is a distinction between a letter of no **objection** and a letter of **support**. You indicated that the AIC did not consider the letters of **support** in our decision, in fact these were letters of no objection. To say these ten programs were **in support of** your proposal is not in accordance with the AIC manual and procedures.

The AIC Committee also consider the discussion as to whether a re-submission was to be a “New Program” or a “Re-submission to be irrelevant. In either case the committee would be following the guidelines in the AIC Manual to determine the approval or non-approval of the program.

The AIC Committee also wanted to communicate to you that the decision to not approve the proposal in its current format has nothing to do with the fact that the BASHL would be “exceeding” the mission of EIC. The AIC was not making its recommendation based on “exceeding” mission but rather on the content and quality of the proposal.

Dr. Haney moved, seconded by Dr. Connolly that the proposal be presented to the Presidents’ Council for approval. The vote to not move this proposal forward was unanimous.

Action Item: The motion will be returned to the institution with a detailed report so that the committees concerns can be addressed.

B. Thomas Edison State University

1. MS in Data Science and Analytics (27.0599) (previously submitted 5-18-17)

First Reader: Rafael Castilla, Eastwick College

Second Reader Roberta Harvey, Rowan University

Dr. Harvey moved, seconded by Dr. Castilla that the proposal be presented to the Presidents’ Council for approval. The vote to not move this proposal forward was unanimous. Mr. Burkley abstained. Note: The NJPC officers will conference call on November 15 to discuss.

**Next meeting date – Friday, December 1, 2017 – 10:00 a.m. via conference call
Participant Call-In Number -641-715-0632 and Access Code 250751.**

Proposal Submission Date –Friday, November 17, 2017.

