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CURRICULUM COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

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NOTE: The curricular form for each item listed may be accessed at www.marshall.edu/senate/ucc. Click the UCC Agendas/Minutes link; click the link for the September 23, 2016 meeting date; click the link in the Description column to open a particular item.

Recommends approval of the listed UNDERGRADUATE AREA OF EMPHASIS CHANGES in the following colleges and/or schools/program: COLLEGE OF EDUCATION & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

• **COLLEGE OF EDUCATION & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT:**

***Name of Area of Emphasis to be changed:** Mentally Impaired K-6 (current) changing to Multi-Categorical K-6 (new)

***Major that this Area of Emphasis should be listed:** Elem Ed (EE00)

***Rationale:** In recent years, teacher licensure for high incidence disabilities in West Virginia and many other states has changed from requiring certification in individual areas to certification that covers in all high incidence areas. Under our current program our undergraduates are not qualified for most K-12 special education positions and must immediately return to college to add additional certification areas to their license. Changing our program Multi-Categorical Special Education will mean our students will be fully qualified and eligible for appropriate certification upon graduation.

***Curriculum:** Change the name of two courses-paperwork has been submitted. Add one course-paperwork has been submitted. Remove one course from requirements-we do not wish to delete the course at this time. Number of hours will change from 18 to 15—old and new curricula sheets attached to curriculum request form.

FACULTY SENATE CHAIR:

APPROVED BY THE
FACULTY SENATE: Wendy C. [Signature] DATE: 11-1-16

DISAPPROVED BY THE
FACULTY SENATE: _____ DATE: _____

UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT:

APPROVED: [Signature] DATE: 11-8-16

DISAPPROVED: _____ DATE: _____