



Proposal to the Senate Educational Policy Committee

PROPOSAL TITLE: Identification on the diplomas of degrees awarded by the Global Campus outside the Global Campus Partnership agreement of 2007

SPONSOR: Senate Committee on Educational Policy, Abbas Aminmansour, Chair (AAmin@Illinois.edu, 333-2834)

COLLEGE CONTACT: Not applicable

BRIEF DESCRIPTION: See title.

JUSTIFICATION:

Given that:

1. The University of Illinois Board of Trustees has approved a proposal to “Authorize the University of Illinois Global Campus to Seek Independent Accreditation.”
2. Section 8.a of Part D of the *Senate Bylaws* states: The Committee on Educational Policy shall examine, and make recommendations to the Senate concerning appropriate action on educational policy matters over which the Senate has legislative jurisdiction, including: Degree programs, Initiation, changes or discontinuance of curricula, Requirements for award of degrees, ...
3. The 2007 Global Campus Partnership agreement with the three campuses of the University of Illinois establishes parameters and procedures for offering approved degree programs of the three University of Illinois campuses through the Global Campus.
4. Under the above referenced Partnership agreement, degree programs offered through the Global Campus are reviewed and approved by the appropriate campus senate and that the pertinent academic units on the campuses are responsible for academic quality control and oversight of programs and hiring of instructors.

Therefore, the Educational Policy Committee of the Urbana-Champaign Senate respectfully requests that no degree awarded through the Global Campus outside of the 2007 Global Campus Partnership agreement be identified on the diplomas as awarded by the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign or upon the recommendation of the Senate at Urbana-Champaign.

BUDGETARY AND STAFF IMPLICATIONS: Costs associated with preparing separate diplomas for degrees awarded through the Global Campus are to be absorbed by the Global Campus

DESIRED EFFECTIVE DATE: Upon approval

STATEMENT FOR PROGRAMS OF STUDY CATALOG: Not applicable