



# **Davis Division Academic Senate**

## **Request for Consultation Responses**

### **Proposal to Discontinue: Chemical Engineering & Materials Science Dual Major**

**November 30, 2012**

The College of Engineering's Department of Chemical Engineering and Materials Science proposes discontinuation of the Chemical Engineering and Materials Science Dual Major. The proposal has been approved by the College Faculty Executive Committee. Undergraduate Council (UGC) has delegated decision-making authority for this proposal. Committee responses will be used to inform UGC's decision.

# **CAP Oversight Committee**

**November 15, 2012 1:38 PM**

The Committee on Academic Personnel does not see any issues of concern for CAP in this proposed change.

# **Council of School & College Faculty Chairs (LS: HACCS)**

**November 5, 2012 6:51 PM**

*No response at this time.*

# **Elections, Rules & Jurisdiction**

**November 14, 2012 10:56 AM**

*No response at this time.*

# Graduate Council

November 19, 2012 9:39 AM

## **RFC: PROPOSAL TO DISCONTINUE: CHEMICAL ENGINEERING & MATERIALS SCIENCE DUAL MAJOR**

The APD chair reviewed the RFC Proposal to Discontinue: Chemical Engineering & Materials Science Dual Major.

No concerns arose regarding the proposal. Given that there will be no change in the number of undergraduate courses offered; it does not appear that the discontinuance would reduce the number of teaching assistant opportunities available for graduate students in related programs. The proposal notes that there may be a slight reduction in workload for departmental staff and faculty, which could enable more time to be devoted to graduate education.

Accordingly, the APD Committee submits for Council's consideration the aforementioned recommendation to post to the Academic Senate's RFC.

Sincerely,

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# **Planning & Budget**

**November 14, 2012 11:22 AM**

CPB reviewed the proposal to discontinue the Chemical Engineering and Materials Science Dual major and agrees with the proposal.

# Research

**November 14, 2012 10:57 AM**

*No response at this time.*