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Request for Letter of Support

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Wed, Oct 5, 2016 at 11:02 PM

Prof McLaughlin,

My name is Diane Pozefsky and I am the Director of Undergraduate Studies in Computer Science. We would like to make a minor restructure of our BA program that will help simplify management of programs of study.

We currently allow students to include two courses outside of computer science to be counted toward the major. The courses need to be approved as having a significant coputational component. After several years, we have a list of 9 pre-approved courses that can be counted. We feel that it is time to formalize those courses.

The change that we want to make is to include them as part of the BA (as a maximum of 2 courses outside of computer science) so that they can be automatically managed by Tarheel Tracker. We do not expect any change in the frequency of students taking these courses but the university requires that we get a letter of support from the involved department.

The Math courses that are on our list is MATH 566, Introduction to Numerical Analysis MATH 661, Scientific Computation I

If you would be willing to indicate your support for this change that would include these 2 courses as possible courses for the BA in Computer Science, we would like to submit the change to the Administrative Board on October 15.

Thank you for your help.

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Tue, Oct 11, 2016 at 9:14 AM

To: "Marzuola, Jeremy Louis" <marzuola@email.unc.edu>

Jeremy,

Hope that you can help me get a letter of support for this. We need to submit to the administrative board this week.

We do not have a lot of our majors taking either of these courses and I don't expect that to change.

Thanks.

Diane

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Marzuola, Jeremy Louis <marzuola@email.unc.edu>

Tue, Oct 11, 2016 at 11:19 AM

To: Diane Pozefsky <pozefsky@cs.unc.edu>

Dear Diane,

I apologize for the delay. I had communicated with my chair that this sounded fine upon his forwarding me your previous letter, but had not heard back until today. I support this change to the CS BA program. Do you need an official letter or will e-mail confirmation do? I can try to get you a formal letter sometime tonight if need be.

Best.

Jeremy

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Thu, Oct 13, 2016 at 1:37 PM

To: "Marzuola, Jeremy Louis" <marzuola@email.unc.edu>

This is fine. Thanks.

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