

STATE BOARD OF COMMUNITY COLLEGES

**Curriculum Program Terminations
As Approved by the System President**

The System President has approved the terminations as listed below:

Central Carolina Community College

Alternative Energy Technology/Biofuels (A20130)

Rationale: Low enrollment. Employment opportunities are insufficient in the service area to support the program.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2015**

Computer Programing (A25130)

Rationale: Low enrollment: There were insufficient employment opportunities for graduates in the service area. The content of the program has been integrated under the Computer Information Technology (A25260) program.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2015**

Facility Maintenance Worker (Diploma) (D50170)

Rationale: Low Enrollment: Low pay and lack of market demand in the service area led to low enrollment.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2015**

Health Care Technology (Certificate) (C45350)

Rationale: No enrollment. Employment opportunities are insufficient in the service area to support the program.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2015**

Human Services Technology/Social Services (A4538D)

Rationale: Low enrollment. Students are able to meet industry needs by completing the Human Services Technology program.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2015**

Licensed Practical Nurse Refresher (Certificate) (C45390)

Rationale: No enrollment. The refresher program is designed for Licensed Practical Nurses whose nursing license has been inactive, retired or lapsed for five years or more and seek to reactive their North Carolina license. There has been no expressed interest for this program for several years.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2015**

Manufacturing Technology (A50320)

Rationale: Low enrollment: Other manufacturing-based programs such as Tool and Die, Industrial Systems, and engineering technology programs superseded Manufacturing Technology.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2015**

Mechanical Engineering Technology (A40320)

Rationale: Low enrollment: The college recently received approval to offer Computer-Aided Drafting which better supports industry needs.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2015**

Office Administration/Legal (A2537A)

Rationale: No enrollment: There were insufficient employment opportunities for graduates in the service area. The college will continue to offer related courses under the Paralegal Technology (A25380) and Office Administration (A25370) programs.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2015**

Professional Arts and Crafts: Sculpture (A30290)

Rationale: Low Enrollment: Students are able to utilize the Associate in Fine Arts program, which was implemented in 2013, to obtain transfer level skills. Continuing education courses are available to serve non-credit seeking students.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2015**

Real Estate (A25400)

Rationale: No Enrollment: There were insufficient employment opportunities for graduates in the service area. The college will continue to offer real estate training under continuing education.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2015**

South Piedmont Community College

Office Administration (A25370)

Rationale: No enrollment: There were insufficient employment opportunities for graduates in the service area. The college will continue to offer office administration courses under the Medical Office Administration (A25310) and Computer Information Technology (A25260) programs.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2015**

Radiation Therapy (A45680)

Rationale: The college has not offered the program since 2011. The college had difficulty recruiting qualified faculty and has lost clinical sites for their students. The employment opportunities in the service area has declined.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2015**

Surgical Technology (A45740)

Rationale: The college has not offered the program since 2013. There are approximately five Surgical Technology programs within a sixty-mile radius of the college which impacted the availability of clinical sites. Student benefits does not support the financial investment required to refurbish the program to be in compliance with CAAHEP accreditation requirements. Employment opportunities have declined in the service area.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2015**

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