

STATE BOARD OF COMMUNITY COLLEGES

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

In October of 2013, the System Office requested that college staff review programs that had demonstrated a lack of enrollment for the last two years in accordance with 1D SBCCC 400.95(b) which states: "The college shall terminate a curriculum program when there has been no enrollment for two years..."

The System President has approved the terminations as listed below:

Blue Ridge Community College

Automotive Restoration Technology (Diploma) (D60140)

Rationale: No Enrollment. Few jobs exist in the area of auto restoration. The program attracted students interested in car restoration as a hobby. These students can continue to be served in the college's collision repair program.

Termination Semester: Spring 2014

Business Administration/E-Commerce (A25121)

Rationale: Low Enrollment. The students and employers are more interested in the broader Business Administration degree. The college will continue to offer electronic commerce related courses as part of the Business Administration (A25120) degree and specialized short-term training under Continuing Education.

Termination Semester: Fall 2014

Catawba-Valley Community College

Furniture Upholstery (Diploma) (D50220)

Rationale: Low Enrollment. Local industry requested that the program transition into continuing education to meet specific training needs.

Termination Semester: Spring 2014

Davidson County Community College

Community Spanish Interpreter (A55370)

Rationale: The Healthcare Interpreting (A45430) program, which prepares individuals to work in a healthcare environment as entry-level bilingual professionals, provides more opportunities for the college's service area than the Community Spanish Interpreter program.

Termination Semester: Spring 2014

Haywood Community College

Therapeutic Massage (A45750)

Rationale: Low Enrollment. There was a decline in enrollment and lack of student interest in the program. In the future, the college may consider offering the program in continuing education.

Termination Semester: Fall 2014

Southwestern Community College

Practical Nursing (Diploma) (D45660)

Rationale: Low Enrollment. Employment opportunities in the area have declined because medical facilities are now utilizing Medical Assistants and Nurse Aide II's to meet their workforce needs. Student interest has declined as a result of the job market.

Termination Semester: Spring 2014

Wake Technical Community College

Real Estate (A25400)

Rationale: There are insufficient employment opportunities for real estate graduates in the college's service area. The college will offer real estate related training under continuing education if there is a future need.

Termination Semester: Spring 2014

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