

Coppin State University

96.0 III-7.00 POLICY ON DEGREE AND CURRICULAR REQUIREMENTS

(Approved by the Board of Regents, April 26, 1990)

I. Degree and Other Formal Award Requirement

The primary responsibility for the development of curriculum and of degree requirements resides in the faculty and administration of an institution with final internal approval by the President.

- A. Coppin State University (CSU) has establish its requirements for the conferring of baccalaureate, master's, and doctoral degrees and for certificates. These requirements meet MHEC standards.
- B. Curricular specializations that do not qualify as areas of concentration, and do not lead to the award of certificates, may be developed within the institution and are approved by the President or designee.

II. Board of Regents and MHEC Approval of Academic Programs

In accord with the annotated code of Maryland, new degree granting programs, certificate programs, substantial modifications of existing programs or programs offered at a new site, require the approval of the Board of Regents and the approval of the Maryland Higher Education Commission (MHEC).

Major modifications of the general education requirements, as well as suspension, curtailment, or discontinuance of programs shall be submitted to the Chancellor for approval. Prospectuses and program proposals forwarded for consideration by the Board of Regents and the Maryland Higher Education Commission must be in conformance with the procedures and format as published in the most current University of Maryland System Academic Program Development Procedures and the Policies and Procedures for Academic Program Proposals of the Maryland Higher Education Commission.

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