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Office of the President May 8, 2012

Members, Board of Trustees:

CHANGE IN DEGREE – GRADUATE SCHOOL

<u>Recommendation</u>: that the Board of Trustees approve a change in the name of the Doctor of Philosophy with a major in Public Administration degree to Doctor of Philosophy with a major in Public Policy and Administration (CIP Code: 44.0401, PROG: GS PHD PPAD), effective in the Fall 2012 Semester.

<u>Background</u>: The James W. Martin School of Public Policy and Administration name change was approved by the Board of Trustees at its meeting on May 3, 1994 to reflect the broader mission and activities of the unit. The proposed degree change more accurately captures the essence of the research and service activities of the faculty and students in the program and is consistent with the title of the school.

This proposal has the approval of the Graduate Council, Senate Council and University Senate. The provost of the University supports this recommendation.

Action taken:	☑ Approved	☐ Disapproved	Other	