## ASACR 7

Office of the President September 12, 2025

Members, Board of Trustees:

## ACADEMIC DEGREE RECOMMENDATION: PIGMAN COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

<u>Recommendation</u>: that the Board of Trustees approve the establishment of a bachelor of science degree in Artificial Intelligence in the Stanley and Karen Pigman College of Engineering.

<u>Background</u>: Artificial Intelligence (AI) is one of the most transformative technologies, having a critical impact in most sectors of the economy. The program will provide students with in-depth knowledge of foundations and skills for building, evaluating and using AI systems that can learn from data and interactions, reason through information and leverage acquired knowledge to solve real world problems.

The proposed bachelor's degree has been recommended to the Provost by the Pigman College of Engineering faculty given their expertise within their respective disciplines. The Provost of the University supports the program faculty's recommendation.

Action taken:	☑ Approved	☐ Disapproved	☐ Other	