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Office of the President
April 23, 2026

Members, Board of Trustees:

GRADUATE CERTIFICATE:
MARTIN-GATTON COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE, FOOD AND ENVIRONMENT

Recommendation: that the Board of Trustees approve the establishment of a graduate certificate in One Health in the Martin-Gatton College of Agriculture, Food and Environment.

Background: The proposed graduate certificate in One Health will prepare students to address the connections between animals, humans and the environment. The certificate program is addressing workforce needs and emphasizes the importance of implementing a One Health approach that focuses on research, instruction and extension efforts to address major issues, such as zoonotic and vector-borne diseases, antimicrobial resistance, bioterrorism, and food safety/security thereby enhancing human, animal and environmental health across Kentucky.

The proposed graduate certificate has been recommended to the Provost by the Martin-Gatton College of Agriculture, Food and Environment faculty, given their expertise within their respective disciplines. The Provost of the University supports the program faculty's recommendation.

Action taken: Approved Disapproved Other _____