A PROPOSAL FROM THE COUNCIL ON ACADEMIC AFFAIRS TO ESTABLISH NEW DEGREES/ PROGRAMS IN THE COLLEGE OF EDUCATION AND HUMAN ECOLoGY AND THE SCHOOL OF HEALTH AND REHABILITATION SCIENCES, COLLEGE OF MEDICINE

WHEREAS the semester conversion process provided an opportunity for academic units to re-envision their academic programs, resulting, in selected colleges, in new undergraduate, graduate, and professional degrees; and

WHEREAS each proposal was developed, reviewed, and approved, within the relevant department or school; was then reviewed/approved by the College within which the unit is located, and endorsed by the Dean; was reviewed/approved by the Graduate Council of the Graduate School, when appropriate; was then reviewed/approved by a subcommittee of the Council on Academic Affairs, expanded for additional input/perspectives during the semester conversion; and was then reviewed/approved by the full Council on Academic Affairs; and

WHEREAS the College of Education and Human Ecology proposes a new tagged undergraduate degree – Bachelor of Science in Human Development and Family Science; two new programs leading to the Master of Science degree - Consumer Sciences and Kinesiology; five new programs leading to the Doctor of Philosophy degree – Consumer Sciences, Human Development and Family Science, Kinesiology, Educational Policy and Leadership, and Teaching and Learning; and the establishment of a Doctor of Education (Ed.D.) degree program; and

WHEREAS the School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences, College of Medicine proposes changing an established program in athletic training from a program leading to the Bachelor of Science in Allied Health Professions to a tagged degree – Bachelor of Science in Athletic Training; and
WHEREAS each proposal has a well-defined rationale, learning goals, program structure, and the resources in place for implementation; and

WHEREAS each program must receive final approval from the Ohio Board of Regents; and

WHEREAS the proposals were approved by the Council on Academic Affairs, at meetings on May 4, 2011, July 13, 2011, January 18, 2012, and February 1, 2012, and all were reviewed by the University Senate’s Faculty Council on May 10, 2012;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the University Senate approve the following new degree proposals from the College of Education and Human Ecology: Bachelor of Science in Human Development and Family Science; Master of Science – Consumer Sciences program, and Kinesiology program; Doctor of Philosophy - Consumer Sciences program, Human Development and Family Science program, Kinesiology program, Educational Policy and Leadership program, and Teaching and Learning program; and the Doctor of Education; and the proposal from the School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences to establish a Bachelor of Science in Athletic Training, and respectfully request concurrence from the Board of Trustees.