**Resolution: New Instructional Program Development Process**

WHEREAS, the development of new instructional programs is the purview of faculty, the Academic Senate and its Curriculum Committee, and

WHEREAS, Board policy provides that the Academic Senate will consult with college administration to develop and adopt processes for curriculum and program development, and

WHEREAS, Board procedure identifies that curriculum and program development shall rely on faculty expertise, depend on environmental scanning and verifiable need, depend on values and goals of the college Educational Master Plan, and result in a published proposal presented through participatory governance processes,

RESOLVED, that the Academic Senate adopt the Spring 2017 *New Program Development Process*.