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CAS/COE Collegiate Re-Structuring Subcommittee Meeting Outcomes

We prioritized our tasks. First we are going to determine which programs belong in the new college (NC) and which should be placed elsewhere. Our charge is not to determine the new homes for those programs that we determine do not belong in the NC. Second, we will develop recommendations for facilities, laboratories, RPT guidelines, and bylaws. Third, we will determine the appropriate college structure, including operational and budgetary systems. Finally, we will comment on program collaborations and curricula as appropriate.

We concluded that the following programs or units belong in the NC:

Mechanical Engineering Technology
Electrical Engineering Technology
Computer Engineering Technology
All programs and units currently housed in COE

We concluded that the following programs or units do not belong in the NC:

Horticulture
Culinary Arts
Sports Administration
Hospitality and Facilities Management
Humanities, Cultural, and Media Studies

We formed subcommittees to investigate in more detail whether the following programs or units belong in the NC:

Information Technology
Construction Science
Chemical Technology
Math and Physics.

These subcommittees will contain content experts from the faculty in the programs listed and cognate fields.

The CAS/COE committee will reconvene in two weeks time (Thursday, 19 March, 10 AM) to hear the subcommittee reports and to make a determination regarding the appropriate location of the programs being investigated further.