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**“Resolution to Urge Due Diligence in Suspensions of Graduate Admissions  
and Revisions of the Discontinuance Policy”**

- 46 and according to university policy and faculty shared governance”; and now,  
 47 therefore, be it  
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 49 Resolved, That decisions on limiting or eliminating graduate programs in the College be in  
 50 compliance with AS Policy 11-05, “Discontinuance of Academic Programs,” and  
 51 with full and timely disclosure to all parties involved, including graduate students,  
 52 graduate faculty, department administrators, and deans—and that this be  
 53 understood as the meaning of the phrase in line 30 of AS Policy 11-05, “as far as  
 54 possible”; be it further  
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 56 Resolved, That the Academic Senate charge the CEPC to draft amendments to AS Policy  
 57 11-05, “Discontinuance of Programs,” that address the issues of (a) what specific  
 58 considerations come into play for suspension of admissions, (b) minimum notice  
 59 time to a department about admissions’ suspension, (c) a date after which  
 60 decisions concerning suspension of admissions would rollover to the following  
 61 academic year, and (d) a time limit of one year to such suspensions if no term is  
 62 specified by the administrative action; be it further  
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 64 Resolved, That this task be undertaken with all due diligence so that amendments may be  
 65 brought to the floor of the Academic Senate well-in-advance of the spring 2013  
 66 admissions process for fall 2013; be it further  
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 68 Resolved, That all decisions related to the potential suspension of admissions to graduate  
 69 programs not only be conducted according to University policy, but also (a) be  
 70 transparent, and (b) exercise the mechanisms of faculty governance at  
 71 departmental, College, and University levels; be it further  
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 73 Resolved, That copies of this resolution be distributed to Provost Para, all deans, and to the  
 74 chairs of all departments.  
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 84 The above resolution was passed by the CLA Faculty Council as CLA FC Resolution 12-02 on  
 85 Sept. 12, 2012.

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