

**Motion presented to Faculty Senate 5/06/14**  
**Deactivation of Bachelor of Arts in Human Development**

Date: October 16, 2013

To: President Harvey Stenger (through channels)

From: Laura Bronstein, Interim Dean, College of Community and Public Affairs

Re: Deactivation of Bachelor of Arts in Human Development program

This letter is to formally request deactivation of the Bachelor of Arts in Human Development program (SED Program Code – 03137; HEGIS 2201) as outlined in State University of New York policy “Program Deactivation and Discontinuance.” The program offered by the Department of Human Development in the College of Community and Public Affairs has evolved from one concentrated on liberal arts to the more professionally focused program it is today. The Human Development faculty voted on and approved deactivation of the program on March 29, 2011. Enrollment in the BA program has mirrored the professional emphasis of the program with steadily decreasing numbers of no more than four students per academic year since fall 2004. There have not been any students enrolled in the program since 2009-10. We request that deactivation be effective starting fall 2014.

The College of Community and Public Affairs fully supports this decision based on the evolving nature of the Human Development program necessitating appropriate enrollment in the Bachelor of Science program.

cc: Lubna Chaudhry, Co-Chair, Department of Human Development  
Donald Loewen, Vice Provost for Undergraduate Education  
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