REPORT FOR THE UNIVERSITY SENATE

University Senate Committee: ACADEMIC POLICIES

Brief History of Issue - why the issue is being considered:

The City University of Hong Kong is a department-level exchange with an inbound (City U) focus on biology and chemistry and an outbound (UWEC) focus on chemistry and material science. Since the signing of the exchange agreement in September 2013, the University of Wisconsin – Eau Claire has not sent any students to study at City University of Hong Kong and has only had one applicant who withdrew. The three-year agreement expires in September 2016. Both universities and the involved departments have decided to not renew the agreement.

Points Discussed by Committee:

Program is not very desirable for students especially since there are no prearranged university housing available for the student exchanges in HK. Departments involved in this exchange support discontinuation

Pros of Recommendation:

Closes a program that students have not elected to use since inception.

Cons of Recommendation:

none

Technology/Human Resource Impact:

none

Committee Recommendation:

Close the study abroad program with the City University of Hong Kong
The University Senate Committee:

by a vote of 5 for to 0 against on 9/27/2006 (Date)

Recommends that:
The Center for International Education close the study abroad program at City University of Hong Kong (INTX 417)

Implementation Date: Immediate

Signed: 
Chair of the Committee

Send to: University Senate Office