

**STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA
BOARD OF GOVERNORS
Academic and Student Affairs Committee
June 20, 2013**

SUBJECT: Ph.D. in Adult Education, CIP 13.1201, Florida State University

PROPOSED COMMITTEE ACTION

Consider termination of the Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) in Adult Education at the Florida State University, CIP Code 13.1201.

AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION

Section 7, Art. IX, Florida Constitution; Board of Governors Regulation 8.011

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The Florida State University (FSU) is requesting to terminate a Ph.D. degree program in Adult Education. Demand for the existing Ph.D. program decreased significantly over the past several years due to the popularity of doctoral programs in Higher Education and in Education Leadership and Policy Studies. No students are currently enrolled in the program.

The FSU Board of Trustees approved the termination of the program on September 24, 2010. However, the university requested a delay in final program termination by the Board of Governors in order to accommodate two students who were still completing their degrees.

Supporting Documentation Included: Termination Form

Facilitators/Presenters: Governor Tripp