

COLLEGE OF GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

CGPS Process for Proposing New Programs, Certificates or Degrees

Step 1	Complete Program Pre-Proposal Approval Form. Find Program Pre-Proposal Approval Form on website under CGPS Faculty Resources
Step 2	Email Program Pre-Proposal Approval Form to Provost.
Step 3	Provost presents Program Pre-Proposal Approval Form to Executive Leadership Team for discussion, feedback and approval. Upon completion, Provost returns form to proposer.
Step 4	Present Program Pre-Proposal Approval Form to Graduate council for updates and feedback.
Step 5	Host a preliminary launch team consisting of the following: a. CGPS staff b. Marketing representative c. Financial aid representative d. Registrar representative e. Business office representative
Step 6	Incorporate feedback from Steps 1-5 and complete the Formal Program Proposal Form. Find Formal Program Proposal Form on website under CGPS Faculty Resources
Step 7	Obtain campus approval from the following: Department Academic college CGPS Dean Associate Provost Assessment office Financial aid Registrar Business office Graduate council: Discussion and vote
Step 8	Submit this form, Program Pre-Proposal Form and Formal Program Proposal Form to the following Provost Board of Trustees (February, May, October) Higher Learning Commission (if required)