



August 5, 2022

Dr. Mark Rudin
President
Texas A&M University-Commerce
2600 West Neal Street
P. O. Box 3011
Commerce, TX 75428

Dear Dr. Rudin:

Thank you for submitting the following substantive change:

Substantive change:

Program Closure
Graduate Certificate in Film Studies

Submission date:

2/16/2022

Intended Implementation date:

8/29/2022

Case ID:

SC017642

Texas A&M University-Commerce requests the closure of the Graduate Certificate in Film Studies, effective August 29, 2022. No students are currently enrolled in or seeking this graduate certificate. Because no students are seeking the Film Studies graduate certificate currently, no students will be affected by the certificate's closure.

Faculty were informed of the program closure at a departmental meeting. The one faculty member teaching the courses for this certificate retired at the start of the 2020-2021 academic year. No other faculty are impacted by this closure.

The Board of Trustees of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges approves the closure of the Graduate Certificate in Film Studies.

Should you need assistance, please contact Dr. Denise Y. Young at (404) 492-5386 or via email at dyoung@sacscoc.org.



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Please include the Case ID number above in all submissions or correspondence about this substantive change.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Belle S. Wheelan".

Belle S. Wheelan, Ph.D.
President

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cc: Dr. Ricky Dobbs, Associate Provost, Texas A&M University-Commerce
Dr. Denise Y. Young, Vice President, SACSCOC