

Date: March 9, 2020

To: Cathy Sandeen, Chancellor

From: John Stalvey, Interim Provost 

Cc: John Petraitis, Interim Dean, College of Arts and Sciences
Hattie Harvey, Associate Professor
Susan Kalina, Vice Provost for Academic Affairs
Claudia Lampman, Vice Provost for Student Success

Re: **AY20 Expedited Program Review Findings – Early Childhood Special Education MEd**

I have reviewed the dean's findings, the program's response to the dean's findings, and the completed Expedited Program Review Template for the Early Childhood Special Education MEd.

Recommendations

My recommendation is to accept the decision and recommendations of the dean and request to delete the program after the teach out has been completed. Admissions to the program were temporarily suspended in fall 2019, due to the lack of faculty resources to cover the courses. Once the structure and functioning of the UA College of Education is resolved, the three universities should address how to best meet state needs in the area of Early Childhood Special Education.

Decision

Recommend Deletion