



Date: March 9, 2020

To: Cathy Sandeen, Chancellor

From: John Stalvey, Interim Provost *John RS Stalvey*

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Re: **AY20 Expedited Program Review Findings – English MA**

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 English MA.

Recommendations

My recommendation is to accept the decision and recommendations of the dean and request to delete the program after admissions have been suspended and the teach out has been completed. Demand for this program is low. Despite the program's high quality, the institution cannot sustain this program. Resources should be focused on sustaining the baccalaureate program. Students interested in the field will have access to an MA in English with a focus on literature at UAF.

Decision

Recommend Deletion