



September 28, 2017

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Dear Dr. Scott:

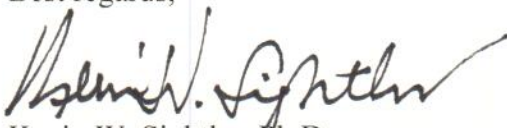
Thank you for your letter of April 26, 2017, notifying the Commission of the intent to offer the following approved associate in applied science (A.A.S.) degree programs through a competency-based education (CBE) model:

- A.A.S. in Network Management—fall 2017
- A.A.S. in Computer Programming and Development—spring 2018

The programs are part of the North Carolina Competency-Based Education Project, and the course/credit-based mapped approach to CBE was chosen rather than direct assessment. The same curriculum and course objectives will be used, and the initiative does not require any additional faculty, courses, resources, or services. Learning outcomes assessment will be consistent across all modes of delivery, and the project uses a blended learning model to ensure regular and substantive interaction between the faculty and learners. Your letter notes that all SACSCOC policies and principles apply to the new delivery method. The initiative does not appear to be a substantive change requiring approval.

We acknowledge the information and will add it to our files

Best regards,


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