To: Dean Van Galen, Chancellor
116 North Hall
University of Wisconsin-River Falls

From: James Madsen, Chair
Faculty Senate
University of Wisconsin-River Falls

April 11, 2011

RE: UWRF Faculty Senate Motion 2010-2011/38

At the April 6, 2011 meeting of University of Wisconsin-River Falls Faculty Senate, motion 2010-2011/38 was passed and it is effective immediately. This motion is forwarded to you for your action.

> Motion from the Academic Programs & Policy Committee (Jim Zimmerman, Chair) to approve the changes in the Technology for Teachers program as requested by the faculty of the Teacher Education Department (CEPS).

Approved   ✓

Disapproved

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Dean Van Galen, Chancellor   Date

TRANSMITTAL for <u>GRADUATE CERTIFICATES</u> : Changes or Proposals

I.   INFORMATION:

      A. Check all that apply: Existing Program ☒   New Program ☐

          Name Change ☐ Credits Change ☐ Substantial Change in Curriculum ☒

      B. Program Title: Technology for Teachers

      C. Department(s) (Originating): **TED**

      D. College(s) (Originating): **CEPS**

      E. Programs / Departments Consulted (Requires letters of support from all Departments or Programs substantially affected):

      1)   2)

      3)   4)

      F. Date of Implementation: **SUMMER** Semester **2011** Year

      G. Have all courses in this program been approved? Yes ☒ No ☐ If "No", which ones?

      H. Attach Request Narrative

II.   UNIT APPROVALS: Requires signatures of all Department Chairs and Deans whose programs will be substantially affected by the changes or proposal. Signature lines for the affected Departments and Colleges (noted in "E" above), are on the back of this form. These signatures should be obtained prior to review by all other shared governance levels.

	Signature	Date
Department Curriculum Committee Chair (optional)		
Department/Program Chair	*Teri Cratty*	1-26-11
College Curriculum Cmtt. Chair		
Dean of College	*Fay Perkins*	1-27-11
Graduate Council Chair		2-23-2011
University Curriculum Cmtt. Chair	*Barbara S Nielson*	3/21/11
Academic Policy & Program Cmtt. Chair		3/28/11
Faculty Senate Chair		4/6/11
Provost / Vice Chancellor		4/14/11
Chancellor		4/14/11
	Signature	Date

*NOTE: The master copy of this transmittal & accompanying documents must be filed in the Provost's office upon final approval. The Provost's office will notify all appropriate administrative offices [Registrar, Office of Graduate Studies, Dean(s), Department Chair(s)] of approvals & necessary actions to implement changes.

Technology for Educators Certificate

Current Curriculum

EDTC 600 Intro. to Educational Technology
EDTC 601 The Internet and the Classroom* (DROP)
EDTC 602 Integrating Technology into the Curriculum
EDTC 798 Ind. Research in Educational Tech.

Proposed Curriculum

EDTC 600 Intro. to Technology: Tools for Tchrs.
EDTC 602 Integrating Tech. into the Curriculum
EDTC 603 New Tech. for the Classroom* (NEW)
EDTC 798 Ind. Research in Educational Tech.

*Denotes proposed change

Rationale:

EDTC 601 has become outdated as teachers routinely use the Internet in their classrooms. EDTC 603 was created to allow more diversity in the applications being taught.

The certificate itself is directed toward K-12 teachers and community and technical college faculty who wish to learn more about integrating educational technology into their classrooms. It is also directed toward K-12 teachers or administrators who wish to obtain licensure as district Technology Coordinators (the certificate will provide only part of the requirements for this licensure).