



**SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF REGENTS**  
**ACADEMIC AFFAIRS FORMS**  
**Termination of a Site**

<b>UNIVERSITY:</b>	<b>USD</b>
<b>DEGREE(S) AND PROGRAM:</b>	<b>General Studies, B.G.S.-U.BGS.GENS</b>
<b>SITE PROPOSED FOR TERMINATION<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>Distance Sites:</b>  <b>Capital University Center</b> <b>925 East Sioux Avenue</b> <b>Pierre, SD 57501</b>  <b>Rapid City University Center</b> <b>4300 Cheyenne Blvd</b> <b>Rapid City, SD 57709</b>
<b>CIP CODE:</b>	<b>24.0101</b>
<b>UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENT:</b>	<b>Arts &amp; Sciences Dean</b>
<b>UNIVERSITY DIVISION:</b>	<b>College of Arts &amp; Sciences</b>

**University Approval**

*To the Board of Regents and the Executive Director: I certify that I have read this proposal, that I believe it to be accurate, and that it has been evaluated and approved as provided by university policy.*

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President of the University \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**1. Program Degree Level:**

Associate  Bachelor's  Master's  Doctoral

**2. Category:<sup>2</sup>**

Certificate  Specialization  Minor  Major

**3. Provide a justification for terminating delivery at the site:**

There are no students enrolled in the programs at these sites.

**4. If there are current students in the program, what are the implications of terminating the site and what is the plan for completion by the students? N/A**

**5. What is the last date (day/month/year) by which a student can graduate in the program?**  
 8/23/2019

**6. What is the proposed date (day/month/year) terminated status takes effect (the proposed date for terminated status is also the last date a student may enroll in or declare the program)? 8/23/19**

**7. What are the potential cost savings of terminating the program site and what are the planned uses of the savings? N/A**

<sup>1</sup> If this is an off-campus site, please include the physical address of the site as a well as a description or name of the location.

<sup>2</sup> Note: Certificates, specializations, and minors may only be terminated and not placed on inactive status due to limitations in Colleague.

**8. What are the resulting employee terminations and other possible implications including impact on other programs? N/A**

**Original approvals at SDBOR meeting June 2010:**

<https://www.sdbor.edu/the-board/agendaitems/Documents/2010/June/FULLBOR0610M2.pdf>

Print screens below for approval and agenda item if needed.

**SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF REGENTS**

**Full Board**

**AGENDA ITEM: M - 2**

**DATE: June 24-25, 2010**

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**SUBJECT: New Program: BHSU, DSU, NSU & USD Bachelor of General Studies**

**Executive Summary:** Black Hills State University, Dakota State University, Northern State University, and the University of South Dakota request authorization to offer a Bachelor of General Studies. The proposal is provided as Attachment I.

Each university would be authorized to award the degree. A Bachelor of General Studies is within the statutory and Board Policy missions of each university. The degree is designed for students who have accumulated credits without meeting the requirements for a degree and for students who change their minds after completing many hours in another program.

Each university requests authorization to deliver the program in Sioux Falls, Rapid City and Pierre and by distance technology.

The universities do not request new State resources or new or increased student fees. BHSU, DSU, NSU and USD do not request exceptions to Board policy.

**1. Introduction**

Black Hills State University, Dakota State University, Northern State University and the University of South Dakota request authorization to offer a Bachelor of General Studies. The proposal is provided as Attachment I.

The Executive Director waived the intent to plan because all universities have an A.A. in General Studies, because the proposal is a cooperative effort by four universities, and because the

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**RECOMMENDED ACTION OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**

1. Approve the Bachelor of General Studies as described in Attachment I as a new program for Black Hills State University, Dakota State University, Northern State University, and the University of South Dakota
2. Authorize each university to deliver the entire program at the off-campus centers in Sioux Falls, Rapid City and Pierre and by distance technology.

**6. Off-Campus or Distance Delivery**

BHSU, DSU, NSU and USD each request authorization to deliver the entire program at the off-campus centers in Sioux Falls, Rapid City, and Pierre.

BHSU, DSU, NSU and USD each request authorization to deliver the entire program by distance technology, including online.

Authority to offer the degree at different locations will help a university encourage its former students to enroll and complete the degree.