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**KRISTIN LAGATTUTA**  
**DAVIS DAVISIONAL ACADEMIC SENATE CHAIR**

**Re: Approval of UCD Proposal to Discontinue Degree Programs: Textiles and Clothing & Fiber and Polymer Science**

Dear Kristin:

In accordance with Sections II.A. and IV.A. of the *Universitywide Review Processes For Academic Programs, Units, and Research Units* (the “Compendium”), the Academic Council solicited input from the University Committee on Educational Policy (UCEP), regarding UC Davis’ proposal to discontinue two programs that are the last of their kind in the UC system: Textiles and Clothing (major and minor) and Fiber and Polymer Science (major and minor). At its April 24, 2019 meeting, the Academic Council endorsed UCEP’s recommendation to approve the discontinuation.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have additional questions.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Robert C. May.

Robert C. May, Chair  
Academic Council

cc: Provost Brown  
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April 3, 2019

**ROBERT MAY, CHAIR  
ACADEMIC COUNCIL**

**RE: DISCONTINUATION OF UC DAVIS DEGREE PROGRAMS: TEXTILES AND CLOTHING  
AND FIBER AND POLYMER SCIENCE**

Dear Robert,

UCEP discussed UCD's proposed discontinuation of the Textiles and Clothing and Fiber and Polymer Science degree programs during our meeting on April 1<sup>st</sup>. Committee members appreciate the work that has been done by UCD to ensure that the discontinuation of these programs will not impact students. UCEP voted unanimously to approve the discontinuation of the Textiles and Clothing and Fiber and Polymer Science degree programs.

UCEP appreciates the opportunity to comment on this matter. Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Anne Zanzucchi".

Anne Zanzucchi, Chair  
UCEP