

**STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA  
BOARD OF GOVERNORS  
Academic and Student Affairs Committee  
March 18, 2015**

**SUBJECT:** Academic Program Pre-Proposal Recognition System (APPRiSe)

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**PROPOSED COMMITTEE ACTION**

For Information

**AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION**

Article IX, Section 7, Florida Constitution; Board of Governors Regulation 8.012

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

The Academic and Student Affairs Committee work plan includes enhancing academic program coordination between the State University System and the Florida College System. To this end, the Committee directed staff to work with staff from the Division of Florida Colleges in developing a process by which colleges and universities could communicate their intentions to implement new degree programs well in advance of any action by individual boards of trustees. The online system which has been developed will allow colleges and universities to post their intention to explore the possibility of offering a new baccalaureate program and receive constructive feedback from colleagues throughout both systems.

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**Supporting Documentation Included:** None

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