

**STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA**  
**BOARD OF GOVERNORS**  
June 30, 2022

**SUBJECT:** Public Notice of Intent to Approve Amendment to Board of Governors Regulation 8.011, Authorization of New Academic Degree Programs and Other Curricular Offerings

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**PROPOSED BOARD ACTION**

Consider approval of the amendment to Board of Governors Regulation 8.011, Authorization of New Academic Degree Programs and Other Curricular Offerings.

**AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION**

Article IX, Section 7, Florida Constitution

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

Board of Governors Regulation 8.011 defines and outlines the process for approving and implementing academic degree programs and other curricular offerings. The proposed amendment clarifies distinctions among curricular offerings and updates the regulation to align with Board of Governors' processes. Additionally, on March 20, 2014, the Board of Governors approved New College of Florida's mission change, allowing the institution to offer master's programs contingent on the Board of Governors' approval. The proposed amendments include a requirement that New College's master's programs be considered for approval by the Board of Governors during any regularly scheduled meeting.

The Board of Governors approved the Public Notice of Intent to Amend Board of Governors Regulation 8.011, Authorization of New Academic Degree Programs and Other Curricular Offerings, at its March 30, 2022, meeting. Following approval of the public notice of intent, no public comments were received. The regulation as amended is ready for final approval.

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**Supporting Documentation Included:**

Regulation 8.011, Authorization of New Academic Degree Programs and Other Curricular Offerings