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MEMORANDUM

To: Executive Committee of the Academic Council

From: Peter Lange

Re: Masters in Biostatistics

I am pleased to submit the attached proposal from the Department of Biostatistics to establish a masters degree in Biostatistics. The proposal was presented to the Academic Programs Committee on April 14, 2010 and was unanimously recommended for approval. I submit this proposal to ECAC for discussion and consideration with my fullest support.

It was recommended that the oversight of this program sit in the office of the Dean of Medical Education. I agree with this request and include a copy of the letter from Edward M. Buckley, M.D. accepting that responsibility.

Attachment

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