

**University of Minnesota Board of Regents
Mission Fulfillment Committee
October 11, 2018**

Consent Report

I. Request for Approval of New Academic Programs

- **College of Biological Sciences (Twin Cities campus)—Create undergraduate minor in Computational Biology**

The College of Biological Sciences on the Twin Cities campus requests approval to create an undergraduate minor in Computational Biology, effective spring 2019. The proposed program trains students in data analysis techniques related to biological research. The proposed program makes use of existing courses resources.

- **College of Biological Sciences (Twin Cities campus)—Create undergraduate minor in Cellular and Molecular Neuroscience**

The College of Biological Sciences on the Twin Cities campus requests approval to create an undergraduate minor in Cellular and Molecular Neuroscience, effective spring 2019. The proposed program gives students a background in these particular areas of neuroscience and prepares them for work in Medical School. The proposed program makes use of existing courses and resources.

- **Medical School (Twin Cities campus)—Create fellowship in Integrated Vascular Surgery**

The Medical School on the Twin Cities campus requests approval to create a fellowship in Integrated Vascular Surgery, effective summer 2019. The program will offer clinical, surgical, and research opportunities for fellows, including training in diagnosis, medical treatment, and reconstructive vascular surgical techniques. The proposed program makes use of existing resources.

- **Medical School (Twin Cities campus)—Create fellowship in Pediatric Obesity Medicine**

The Medical School on the Twin Cities campus requests approval to create a fellowship in Pediatric Obesity Medicine, effective summer 2019. The program will offer clinical, surgical, and research opportunities for fellows, while training them in the specialized, multidisciplinary therapies used to address childhood obesity, including behavioral, pharmacological, and surgical options. The proposed program makes use of existing courses and resources.

II. Request for Changes to Academic Programs

- **College of Biological Sciences (Twin Cities campus)—Change the name of the undergraduate minor in Neuroscience to Integrative Neuroscience**

The College of Biological Sciences on the Twin Cities campus requests approval to change the name of the undergraduate minor in Neuroscience to Integrative Neuroscience, effective spring 2019. The new name better reflects the program and distinguishes it from new and distinct program offerings.