TO: Jeanette F. Morales, Assistant Director, Office of Academic Program Management
FROM: Frank Kelley, Associate Dean for Undergraduate Business Programs
DATE: October 11, 2012
RE: Proposal regarding Internships for Credit

The Bauer College of Business proposes to the UH Undergraduate Committee the following regarding internships for credit:

Catalog language:

Internships for Credit: No more than six semester hours of internship courses may count toward the bachelor of business administration degree plan; only three of these hours may count in the student's major if the internship is within the major. The other three semester hours of internship course work may count as elective credit. Business students with a double major may count three semester hours of internship course work toward the first major if the internship is within that major and three semester hours of internship course work toward the second major if the internship is within that major, not to exceed a total of six semester hours of internship courses toward the bachelor of business administration degree plan.

Justification:

GENB 4396 is currently an option for students wanting to do an internship for credit. In addition, some departments in Bauer College have created their own internship course, so it is necessary to state how many internship courses a student is allowed. Internships course limits do not preclude students from taking other experiential learning or service learning or project-based courses.