

**Request for Authorization to Discontinue the
Bachelor of Science (BS) in Geography at
North Carolina Central University**

North Carolina Central University has requested that its B.S. in Geography (CIP Code #45.0701) be discontinued.

This Geography degree program and the Environmental Science degree program have been identified as “low productivity”, and are being merged to form the Environmental and Geographic Sciences degree program. The change will result in improved efficiency and effectiveness. The course needs (major courses) of students who have completed more than 60 hours in the current program have been identified, and will be made available in order that these students may complete the current program within two years.

Recommendation: It is recommended that the Board of Governors approve North Carolina Central University’s request to discontinue the B.S. in Geography.