

**Southern Oregon University
Board of Trustees
Academic and Student Affairs Committee**

**RESOLUTION
New Bachelor's Degrees and Certificate Programs**

Whereas, the Southern Oregon University benefits from a cross-section of high-quality, well-designed academic degree programs;

Whereas, the university wishes to offer the following new undergraduate degrees and certificates:

- Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Science, Media Innovation
- Bachelor of Fine Arts, Digital Cinema
- Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Science, Human Service
- Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Science, Power and Politics
- Cinematography and Production Technology Certificate
- Directing for Scripted Narrative Certificate
- Media Post-Production Certificate
- Production and Production Management Certificate

Whereas, the proposed programs leverage existing institutional strengths and create expanded opportunities for undergraduate students;

Whereas, these programs create interdisciplinary synergies in fields with growing demand;

Whereas, these programs have been approved by the relevant institutional units and committees, and the SOU Faculty Senate; and

Whereas, the Academic and Student Affairs Committee is authorized by the Board of Trustees to approve new programs on behalf of the Board. Now, therefore,

Be it resolved, the Academic and Student Affairs Committee of the Board of Trustees of the Southern Oregon University hereby approves the aforementioned new degree programs and new certificate programs, as provided in the Committee's January 19, 2023 documentation.

VOTE:

Barry	yes
Bullock	yes
Chavez	yes
Gay	yes
Lee	yes
Medina	yes
Pieper	yes
Thalden	yes

DATE: January 19, 2023

Recorded by,



Sabir Durrani

University Board Secretary