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MS Program in Information Science School Library

**Attachments:** 

SUNY albany-2018-0130.pdf; UAlbany MS ISSL Disaggregate Proposal with Dist Ed

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Congratulations to colleagues in our Department of Information Science in the College of Emergency Preparedness, Homeland Security and Cybersecurity on the final New York State approval and registration of a Master of Science (M.S.) degree program in Information Science School Library! This is an updated program additionally/newly approved for distance education delivery, leading to NYS certification for graduates as School Library Media Specialists. Prior to this new registration as a stand-alone program, an existing 41 credit version was in place at the University for many years as one of five tracks in our M.S. Information Science program. Formal State approval correspondence for the new "disaggregated" program is attached for your reference, along with the program proposal itself. The faculty are now authorized to promote and deliver this newly registered 36 credit graduate program to students.

I ask that responsible colleagues receiving this notice, as appropriate to responsibilities, take actions as warranted to establish the new M.S. program listing in the Grad Bulletin and University administrative systems. As illustrated in the proposal, it is expected that enrollees will complete the 36 credit curriculum over 2 years of study. Thank you and successful implementation to all involved.

Jon Bartow

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Dr. Bringsjord:

Please see the attached letter and Inventory of Registered Programs report concerning the referenced program proposal. Please maintain these items in your records.

Thank you,

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