

April 15, 2013

Dr. Belle S. Wheelan, President
Commission on Colleges
Southern Association of Colleges and Schools
1866 Southern Lane
Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097

Dear Dr. Wheelan,

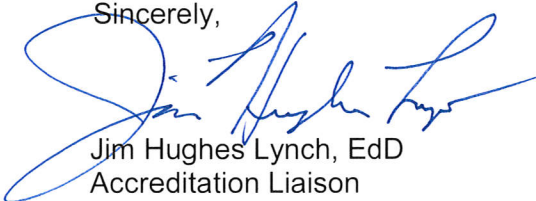
I am pleased to announce the College of Coastal Georgia's intent to offer a new Bachelor of Arts degree programs in American Studies, beginning Fall Semester 2013. Today, we received approval at the March 12, 2013 meeting of the University System of Georgia's Board of Regents to offer this new baccalaureate degree program. I have included a copy of the Vice Chancellor and Chief Academic Officer's letter of approval.

Additionally, please find enclosed our **Substantive Change Prospectus** for your review and consideration. An e-version of the prospectus and related appendix items have been included on the enclosed CD for easy access and reference.

Please do not hesitate to contact me, as Accreditation Liaison, if you have any questions.

As always, we appreciate your guidance and support.

Sincerely,



Jim Hughes Lynch, EdD
Accreditation Liaison
Director of Institutional Effectiveness

Enclosures

c: Dr. Nuria Cuevas
Dr. Valerie Hepburn