Dear Louis:

The Educational Planning Committee would like to thank you for presenting your program review to the committee March 20, 2015.

This process enabled us to learn a great deal about your program, your strengths, challenges and plans for growth, and will therefore be better able to support your needs and requests as our college moves forward.

Enclosed please find the written report from the committee with our commendations and recommendations. We look forward to reviewing your progress on the recommendations at the next annual update of your program review.

Please let us know if you have any questions or comments regarding the following report.

Sincerely,

Michael Allen, Co-Chair
D’Art Phares, Co-Chair

August 29, 2015
Department: Professional Studies/Family Consumer Studies/Interior Design

Commendations:
- Completion of Culinary Arts COR curriculum updates

Recommendations:
- For Interior Design and FCS:
  - Update curriculum and programs/certificates to meet current student demand, industry standards, and transfer needs, and to bring them into alignment with CSUN's programs.
  - Establish viable Advisory Committees for Interior Design and FCS to assist in this process, and provide public access to membership, meeting dates/times, minutes, and etc.
  - Schedule meetings/workshops with the Curriculum Committee to expedite this process.
  - Work with the area dean to offer courses commensurate with student demand, industry standards, and transfer needs while Interior Design and FCS are being updated.
- Detail all curriculum changes/uploads in each year's annual update
- Consider removing catering from faculty supervision
- Consider transferring Interior Design and FCS to other departments
- Eliminate duplicative courses (offered by 2 or more LAMC disciplines) in Culinary Arts and FCS

Signatures of Co-Chairs:

Michael Allen  
D'Art Phares

June 1, 2015