

OHIO BOARD OF REGENTS

Agenda Item 6.6     Request by the University of Phoenix to operate in Ohio

**RESOLUTION**

WHEREAS, the University of Phoenix has applied for authorization to offer courses and degrees in Ohio; and

WHEREAS, the staff of the Ohio Board of Regents, together with external consultants, have completed a detailed foundational review of the University's curricular and instructional models, and of allied academic and other resources; and

WHEREAS, consultants engaged by the Board's staff, having completed a site visit and reviewed materials, have concluded that the University of Phoenix meets the standards of Rule 3333-33-08 for the following degree programs:

- Bachelor of Science in Business with concentrations in Administration, Management, E-Business and Marketing
- Bachelor of Science in Information Technology
- Master of Business Administration (generic) and concentrations in Global Management and E-Business
- Master of Computer Information Systems

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED: that the University of Phoenix, subsequent to completion of other provisions of Ohio law, and in concordance with the "recommendations" listed in the attached report, "Site Visit to the University of Phoenix, Orlando, Florida," is authorized to offer the above mentioned degrees at sites in the Cleveland and Dayton metropolitan areas for a period of two years from the date of the first offering of classes. Authorization is contingent on a successful staff evaluation at the end of the first year. Assuming that the University continues to meet standards, staff may approve new regional sites as requested.